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LAWYERS' ARGUMENTS

Summing Up In the Bram Murder Case Will End Today.

Cotter Attacks Testimony of Brown and Monks.

District Attorney Hoar Now Closing For the Government.

Boston, Jan. 1.—The 17th day of the trial of Thomas Mead Bram for the murder on the high seas of Captain Charles I. Nash was reached yesterday, and the capacity of the courtroom in the federal building was taxed to its utmost.

Long before the doors were opened in the morning an eager crowd had gathered around the entrance to the justice chamber, and it was with difficulty that the officials succeeded in preserving order. Five minutes after the doors were open every seat in the audience portion of the room was occupied.

Attorney Cotter, for the defense, resumed his argument immediately, and was listened to intently by the spectators, fully one-third of whom were women. Mr. Cotter took up Witness Brown where he left him the day before and proceeded to emphasize the unreliability of the sailor's testimony. Mr. Cotter openly accused Brown of having committed the triple murder on board the Fuller, saying he was insane. Mr. Cotter then referred to Student Monks, and said: "I have no hesitation in saying that the testimony of Monks in this case is nothing short of direct, downright and deliberate perjury."

Mr. Cotter concluded his argument with an admonition of the jury to not convict an innocent man on such testimony as that given by Brown and Monks.

A recess of 15 minutes was taken, and District Attorney Hoar began his argument for the government.

Mr. Hoar warmly defended Monks from the charges which he claimed Mr. Cotter had made against him, and praised the action of the young student ever since the tragedy had been under investigation.

Brown's story to the sailors of the Fuller that he murdered a man in Rotterdam was classed as a sailor's yarn, and Mr. Hoar said it was conclusively shown that Brown's affliction in Holland was delirum.

Mr. Hoar occupied the entire afternoon with his argument to the jury. He summed up all the testimony, and endeavored to show the fallacy of the claim of the defense that the wheel could be lashed for over five minutes. The other testimony of the insanity experts was also placed in a concise form before the jury, Mr. Hoar claiming that the government's experts were just as reliable as those of the defense. Mr. Hoar will finish his argument early this morning.

Massachusetts Militia.

Boston, Jan. 1.—In his annual report to Governor Wolcott, Adjutant General Dalton says of the state militia: The year past has been the most satisfactory year for work and progress I have ever known. All commands as a whole have been energetic, great advance has been made in practical work, troops have a better idea of what they are for and what is expected of them by the commonwealth. Officers and men better realize their own importance, and study and work has been continuous, showing excellent results. I can safely say that the militia as a whole is in a most satisfactory condition, well equipped, earnest and ready to perform its whole duty. Officers and men are entitled to commendation for hard, earnest work and a desire to still further improve the service. The strength of the militia is 438 officers and 5608 men.

Boston Police Statistics.

Boston, Jan. 1.—Acting Governor Wolcott yesterday received the 12th annual report of the Boston police commission. The report says in part: There are few, if any, kitchen barrooms in Boston, no open houses of ill-repute and no gambling house doing business in the city. The total number arrested during the year was 48,796, against 42,534 the preceding year, being an increase of 6262. The number of males arrested was 42,289; females, 5507. There were 31,200 persons arrested for drunkenness during the year, being 5030 more than last year, and 2500 more than the average for the past five years. The number of persons punished by fine was 15710, and the fines amounted to $133,38. The witness fees amounted to $5,472. The value of property taker from prisoners and lodgers was $69292.

Watchman Dies In a Struggle.

Lawrence, Mass., Jan. 1.—Calvin A. Yeaton, a watchman at the Washington mills was found dead on the floor of the "French" drawing room of the factory yesterday morning. The left side of the head had been crushed in, apparently with some heavy implement, and murder was suspected. Yeaton came to his death through heart failure, brought on by a strugggle which he had with Edward Matthews, who had slipped into the mill without a permit, and who Yeaton was trying to eject. The watchman carried a heavy cane, but in the struggle with Matthews, the latter got possession of it and struck Yeaton over the head, making a deep gash, but not necessarily causing death. The struggle was seen by a number of persons outside the mill. Matthews gave himself up.

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THE WEATHER INDICATIONS.

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Sun rises—7:14; sets, 4:23.
Length of day—9h. 9m.
Moon rises—5:56 a. m.
Full sea—9:15 a. m., 10 p. m.

Forecast for New England: Fair today, probably snow by tomorrow morning; winds shifting to easterly; colder, followed by slowing rising temperature.

Victims of Coal Gas.

Newton, Mass., Jan. 1.—Michael Higgins, his wife and three little children slept in a room where there was a stove, which the father replenished with coal before retiring Wednesday night, but failed to open the drafts. Mrs. Higgins and the children were found unconscious yesterday morning from the fumes of the escaping gas, and it took the doctor over an hour to restore the woman to consciousness. All the children are still in a dangerus condition. Higgins was not seriously affected.

Prosecution of Wales.

Montpelier, Vt., Jan. 1.—The government rested its case in the trial of the Wales dynamite case in the supreme court yesterday, and the defense opened. The prosecution relies largely on the testimony of O. G. Harris, a clerk in a local hardware store, who testified that he sold Wales the dynamite found in the seminary attic after the fire. Harris identified Wales at the preliminary hearing, and declares positively that he is not mistaken. The defense are trying to prove that the fire was caused by spontaneous combustion, and that the dynamite was not put there with the intent to destroy the seminary; it also disputes that Wales bought the dynamite, and promises to produce a man who bought it and who is mistaken by Harris for Wales.

Mills Will Not Curtail.

Fall River, Mass., Jan. 1.—The report that the executive committee of the Fall River Cotton Manufacturers' association would soon call a general meeting of the manufacturers to adopt a plan for curtailing production, is denied by the members of that committee. It seems that at an informal meeting of the committee the situation was quite lengthily discussed, but no action was taken. This long meeting probably gave rise to the report, which has a disquieting effect among the mill operatives of this city. However, the outlook is especially dull at present, though sales for future delivery will prevent material increase of stock on hand during January.

A New England Junta.

Boston, Jan. 1.—A number of Cubans and Cuban sympathizers residing in this city and vicinity yesterday formed the Cuban-American junta of New England. The following are the officers elected: President, Carlos Ayres; vice president, Henrique C. Bruno; secretary, H. A. Houghton: treasurer, Henry I. Alvarez; auditor, J. B. Church; sergeant-at-arms, Henry Bodie. According to Secretary Houghton the junta will not assist in sending expeditions to Cuba, but will send medicines and clothing to the soldiers.

Committee Didn't Show Up.

Boston, Jan. 1.—The citizens' committee appointed last Monday at the mass meeting in Faneuil hall in behalf of the discharged men who took part in the West End street railway strike did not meet the directors of the road yesterday, as was expected. The West End directors met in the afternoon, but the result of the meeting was not made public. Only a few men were hired by the company yesterday, half of them being old employes of the road.

Death of Well-Known Lynn Citizen.

Lynn, Mass., Jan. 1.—Samuel V. Spear, one of Lynn's best known and venerable citizens, passed away with the close of 1896 at his home on Chestnut street. His death was incident to old age. He was 89 years of age, born in Philadelphia in 1807, and came to Lynn in 1826 as a shoemaker. Ten years later he became a shoe manufacturer, and had a long and successful business life, during which he accumulated much property.

Bad Accounts at Auction.

Hartford, Jan. 1.—John B. Miller of Newark, N. J., is in this city arranging, as he says, to collect what he characterizes as "bad bills." Miller has hired a frontage on the Metropolitan hotel property, and announces that at 2 p. m. tomorrow he will auction off to the highest bidders these accounts. The police announce that Miller will be arrested if he attempts to carry out his scheme.

Won't Talk About Cuba.

Lawrence, Mass., Jan. 1.—Mgr. Martinelli, when shown a dispatch from London to the effect that he had inspired the statement that the European powers had protested against the intervention of the United States in the Cuban war, denied any knowledge of the matter, and said he preferred not to discuss the Cuban situation at present.

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HARVARD LOSES FIRST GAME.

Price Defeats Ryder by Splendid Playing--- Southard Wins.

New York, Jan. 1.—There was a large and fashionable attendance at the intercollegiate chess tournament yesterday, when the fourth round was played. The men paired as follows:

Southard (H) vs. Parker (C), Ryder (H) vs. Price (C), Young (P) vs. Lehlbach (Y), Seymour (P) vs. Murdoch (Y).

For the first time during the tourney open games were played on all of the boards. While Southard ventured on a king's gambit both Ryder and Young essayed the Scotch gambit, a Ruy Lopez being selected by Seymour.

Parker's splendid and stubborn fight against Southard and Price's brilliant play against Ryder were the features of yesterday's play.

On the second board Price played fine chess against Ryder. Once in possession of the gambit pawn he held on to it, and later he gained an additional pawn with a splendid position. Ryder, who was in a bad way, now decided to make an attack, which proved wholly unsound.

Price netted first the exchange, later rook and finally won the game, after 25 moves. The Columbia player was warmly congratulated on his splendid form.

A capital game was played by Young and Lehlbach. There never was a chance for either man to gain an advantage, and after an even and interesting contest, lasting for 35 moves, it ended in a draw.

On the fourth board Seymour overlooked the winning continuation in the opening. Later on, however, matters became even, and after a well-fought game of 35 moves the players divided honors.

Southard found in the Columbian, Parker, a real tartar, for the latter's defense to the king's gambit was a regular treat. Repeatedly the Harvard man was put on the defensive, and at about 9 o'clock Parker missed a drawing, if not a winning continuation. Finally Southard won after 66 moves.

Following is the record of the game: Columbia—Won 2, lost 6; Harvard—Won 7, lost 1; Yale—Won 4, lost 4; Princeton—Won 3, lost 5.

The pairing for the fifth round, which will be played today, is as follows: Murdock vs. Parker, Ryder vs. Young, Lehlbach vs. Price, Southard vs. Seymour.

Athletic Club License Revoked.

New York, Jan. 1.—Mayor Wurster of Brooklyn yesterday, acting on a report filed by Brooklyn Inspector of Police Clayton, revoked the license given several days ago to the Greater New York A. C. to hold boxing matches at Coney Island. The license was issued on Dec. 24, and on the following day Peter Maher and Steve O'Donnell engaged in a boxing match, which resulted in a victory for the former, the latter being declared "out" after 27 seconds' fighting. Clayton, in his report, says that he saw Maher in his dressing room after the fight, and during a talk with him the latter said: "I went in to do him and did so; I wanted to knock him out." Warren Lewis, the president of the club, intends to have the courts take a hand in the matter. Maher, he says, fought faster and fiercer at the Broadway Athletic club in New York, with Joe Choynski, and had for a spectator Police Commissioner Roosevelt and other police officials. They did not say the law was being violated.

Arbitration Treaty Delayed.

Washington, Jan. 1.—The new treaty between the United States and Great Britain, by which all differences between the two countries for the next five years are to be referred to arbitration, will not be signed at present. It was expected that the document would be signed coincident with the new year, but this expectation will not be realized, and the signatures, it is now stated, cannot possibly be affixed before the end of next month. The causes for the delay cannot be stated, but they are sufficient to defer the consummation of the treaty. In the meantime there is no reason to believe that the prospects of ultimate agreement are less favorable than they have been, the delay doubtless being due to some non-essential question, as there is complete understanding on all material questions.

Blocton Train Wreckers.

Birmingham, Ala., Jan. 1.—Two suspected train wreckers were placed in jail here yesterday. They gave their names as Tom Ingraham and Andrew F. Eagan. Both are negroes. They were apprehended by special railroad detectives in the mountains about 10 miles from the city. The officials positively refuse to disclose the character of the evidence against the men, or to allow any outsiders to communicate with them. This conduct is explained by the fact that other arrests, and it is said sensational disclosures, will follow. The theory of the detectives now seems to be that the work wos done by an organized band of negroes, who had a rendezvous in the mountains, and that there were three or more in the gang.

Stockholders Dig Up

Chicago, Jan. 1.—The Dime Savings bank has been saved, it is announced, by the stockholders, who have gone down into their pockets and paid an assessment of some 50 per cent. The examination of Auditor Gore is understood to have found a large deficiency in the bank's assets, and rather than have the institution close its doors, leaving its 4000 depositors to suffer, the directors put the bank on its feet. So successful were they that the state auditor gave his full endorsement to the new condition of the institution.

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ORDERED: That [illegible] No. 25, An Ordinance Establishing a Police Department for the City of Quincy, be amended as follows: by striking out the word "eight" in the second line of Section 1 of the printed ordinances of the City of Quincy, revised to Jan. 1st, 1895, and inserting in place thereof the word "nine," so that said Section 1 shall read, "A Police Department is hereby established which shall consist of a Chief of Police and nine patrolmen, and no person shall be appointed a member of the police department who does not sustain a good moral character, and, except the Chief, who is not a citizen of Quincy."

Passed to be ordained Dec. 28, 1896.

Attest: CHRISTOPHER A. SPEAR, Clerk of Council.

Approved Dec. 30th, 1896.

C. F. ADAMS, 2d, Mayor.

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	This Week.	Last Week
Sunday	19	29
Monday	27	32
Tuesday	40	26
Wednesday	43	32
Thursday	45	17
Friday	35	17
Saturday	—	35

A Happy New Year to the readers of the DAILY LEDGER is the wish of its editors today. During 1896 we all had our struggles, for it was a hard year for business, but we feel that the LEDGER has improved and is yearly becoming more and more of a household necessity. With the return of good times we shall feel encouraged to make improvements which have been contemplated for months.

With today's paper the DAILY LEDGER enters volume nine, and can be said to be firmly established. It still enjoys the distinction of being the only daily newspaper in Norfolk county. Over 2,400 editions of the LEDGER have been printed, which means upwards of two million papers. The daily circulation is constantly increasing, the average for November and December being about 1300.

Tomorrow the DAILY LEDGER will introduce to its readers the new city government for 1897—the Mayor and City Council. Sketches of His Honor and the new Councilmen will appear, and in many cases will be accompanied by engravings of the gentlemen. This with the regular features of the eight-page Saturday LEDGER will make it an entertaining paper which some will prize as a souvenir.

On Monday, Inauguration Day, the DAILY LEDGER will print in full the inaugural address of Mayor Adams, and give a full report of the organization of the new City Council.

A Happy New Year for the city government of 1897, and a prosperous year for all the people of the good city of Quincy.

THE COMMUNICATION of "Fair Play" to the LEDGER presented the paving of Hancock street by the street railway company in a new light. A mistake is made however in assuming that the city wants compensation for the use of the streets. Such we take it is not the case. The presence of the railway in a street makes widening necessary and requires a greater outlay to maintain the street. It is evidently the purpose of the City Council to reimburse the city in part for such expenditures, which the city can ill afford. The City Council will do well to omit from the order that portion of Hancock street between City Square and School street. This will not prevent a petition being introduced into the new Council next Monday, of later, when it may be found expedient to double track to Water street or to the Braintree line. The passage of the order in its present form would probably prevent the double tracking of any portion of Hancock street, and there should be no delay in rebuilding the Boston line.

THE PROMPTNESS and unanimity with which the City Council passed the order to cooperate with the town of Brookline in asking the impeachment of County Commissioner Morrell, shows that the need of action is apparent, and that arguments are unnecessary. The Legislature will not let these petitions go unheeded.

G. A. R. Installation.

Paul Revere Post 88, G. A. R., will hold a public installation in Hancock hall, Thursday evening, Jan. 7. Junior Vice Commander of the Department, John E. Gilman of Boston, will perform the work. Invitations have been extended to the honorary members, Woman's Relief Corps, Sons of Veterans and all who so kindly assisted the Post in their late fair. An orchestra will furnish music during the evening. Dancing from 10 to 12.

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NEW YEAR'S FIRE.

A Thousand Dollar Loss at Norfolk Downs at Midnight.

The members of the fire department were almost given an opportunity to see the New Year come in, having been called out at 12.05 A. M., by an alarm from Box 151, for a disastrous fire in the old Squantum Yacht club building at Norfolk Downs. It is owned by John Stewart and occupied by him in part as a dwelling, and in part as a boat building shop.

Just how the fire started is not known for when Mrs. Stewart was awakened it was to find the room full of stifling smoke, and she and her husband had all they could do to get out themselves, and in scanty clothing at that. When the department from Quincy arrived it found the building practically destroyed, and as the nearest hydrant was about 2000 feet away, the department was not able to do much toward saving the building.

Mr. Stewart lost all his furniture and all of the tools in his shop, and the loss will not be far from $1000.

At 12 45 another alarm was pulled in from the same box by some of the spectators and for a time it was thought it was for a fire at Wollaston, and part of the department was making ready to start when the cause was discovered.

Chief Engineer Williams, who is ill, was not present and Engineer Sparrow was in charge.

Danced Out the Year.

The old year was danced out and the new year ushered in on Thursday evening by one of the prettiest dancing parties ever given in Wollaston. The party was held at the Knights of Honor hall. Mr. Chandler W. Smith and Mr. Eugene H. Sprague were in charge of the arrangements. The music was by Carey's orchestra of Boston.

Among those who were present were noticed Mr. and Mrs. Chandler W. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene H. Sprague, Mr. and Mrs. Charles T. Baker, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Fay, Mr. and Mrs. John A. Barbour, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick H. Bishop, Mr. and Mrs. William F. Farrington, Mr. and Mrs. William S. Washburne, Mr. and Mrs. John F. Neill, Miss Hatch, Miss Hastings, Miss Blanche M. Taylor, Mr. C. Nelson Smith, Mr. Howard W. Haskins, Mr. and Mrs. E. Walter Arnold, Mr. and Mrs. Walter O. Parker, Mr. W. E. Simmons, Jr., Miss Simmons, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Fredericks, Mr. and Mrs. Frank W. White, Mr. Ernest Judkins, Mr. Benj. Sargent, Miss Wheeler, Mr. H. L. Kincaide, Mr. Walter F. Jennings, and Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Badger.

K. of H. Entertainment.

Hancock hall was well filled Thursday night at the entertainment and dance given under the auspices of Merry Mount lodge, Knights of Honor. The entertainment which was very enjoyable, consisted of selections by the Shawmut banjo, guitar, and mandolin club; fancy dancing by little Garland Mischler, which was very fine; selections by the Ladies' Nilson quartette; solo, Mr. Lewis G. Griffiths, and comic selections by Mr. P. J. Barry.

At the conclusion of the entertainment, and after nearly an hour's delay, dancing was commenced and continued until morning, supper being served in the lower hall at midnight.

The march was led by Floor Director James Birnie, and was participated in by 65 couples.

Golden Cross Officers.

Granite Commandry, U. O. G. C., has elected these officers.

N. C.,—James F. Merrill.
P. N. C.,—A. F. Macleod.
V. N. C.,—Mrs. Harriet A. Prout.
Treasurer,—Mrs. B. Porterfield.
K. of R.,—W. B. Norrie.
Prelate,—Mrs. J. F. Smith.
Conductor,—C. C. Rich.
I. G.,—F. W. Baillie.
O. G.,—William Webb.
Trustees, — James F. Merrill, N. Q. Bacheldor, A. F. Macleod.

TODAY'S COURT.

The New Year started in quiet at the District Court the only new case being a drunk from Braintree, who was released. Chief of Police Hayden had the distinction of making the first complaint and getting out the first warrant of the year. The other business was of continued cases which were disposed of as follows:

Thomas Ward, drunkenness, placed on file.

Michael Downey drunkenness, continued two weeks.

Benjamin Bavin assault, continued one week.

John F. Cronin, non-support. Continued until May 1.

George F. McIntyre, non-support. Continued until May 1.

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Take laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. 25c.

—There are twice as many men as women in the state of Colorado, and still 52 per cent. of the total presidential vote was cast by women.

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New Year's Calls.

Rev. Edwin Noah Hardy was early astir this morning, and is probably the busiest man in the city today. He started in about 8 o'clock to call upon all the families connected with the Bethany Congregational church, some 300 or more. He recognizes that it will be impossible to reach them all but he will make the attempt. The reverend gentleman rides a bicycle but it is not good wheeling for the silent steed, so today he rides in a carriage. His New Year's calls are necessarily brief, most of them being made at the door, but in families where there is sickness he tarries longer.

With his words of good cheer he leaves a folder with an engraving of the church, a personal letter, the milestone for 1896, and Bethany church work for 1897.

The milestone tells us that the church has 27 new members. Church incorporated. Individual communion cups introduced. New singing books for the chapel. The training school for Christian service opened. The Brotherhood of Andrew and Phillip organized. Home department of Bible school introduced, and the record for largest attendance in the school broken Dec. 11. Special work for the boys begun.

In the letter to his people Mr. Hardy says in part:

"A change of leadership after a long, successful and loved pastorate severely taxes a church, and often results in serious interruption of its work. Happily our church is an exception and our continued prosperity, harmony and growth speak more eloquently than words of your loyalty and consecration and the loving and wise shepherding of our pastor emeritus.

"For a little more than a year have we labored together as pastor and people. Personally we have been cheered and encouraged far more than you can realize by your love, service and appreciation. And it is our great desire to be worthy of your confidence, and in the proclamation of the message found faithful to Him who hath called us to the ministry.

"Certainly with some satisfaction may we review the past year. Increasing numbers are identified with us, the church is better organized and the accessions to membership have been unusually large. We have planted and watered but 'God gave the increase.' Yet how much larger might have been the fruitage had we brought "all the tithes into the storehouse." Five from our household of faith have been called to the mansions above. The sweet influences of their lives remain with us, and because of their faith "we sorrow not, even as others, which have no hope."

Massachusetts Bay Colony.

At the last regular meeting of Massachusetts Bay Colony, U. O. P. F., the following were elected as officers for the next six months.

Governor,—George E. Todd.
Lieut. Governor,—Frank Tilton.
Secretary,—Miss Annie Clean.
Treasurer,—Mrs. Roger Wilde.
Collector,—George Sherwin.
Chaplin,—Mrs. John Carver.
Sergeant at Arms,—Eben Stocker.
Dep. S. at A.,—Mrs. James Curtin.
S. of O. G.,—Dr. D. A. Bruce.
S. of I. G.,—Charles Alden.
Representative to Supreme Colony,—Rev. J. H. Yeoman.
Trustees,—James Curtin, Roger Wilde, John Carver.
Installation will occur Jan. 11.

Vesper Music.

Vespers will be held at the Unitarian church on Sunday. The music by the choir will be:

"Saviour when night envolves the skies," Shelley
"Protect us Through the coming night" Cushman
"Peace I leave with you," Roberts
"Softly the evening shadows," Beethoven
Alto solo, "Consider the Lilies," Topliff

A Mystic Party.

On Thursday evening, the Ladies' Aid Society of the Quincy Point church gave another of their very enjoyable sociables, called a "Mystic Party." During the evening the ladies served the guests with refreshments ordered from a "mystic menu." After an hour or more spent in solving the mysterious inscriptions placed about the room, Dea. Newcomb, in behalf of the parish presented the pastor and his wife, Rev. and Mrs. M. H. Turk, each with a beautiful chair. Mr. Turk, although greatly surprised, responded in his usual calm and dignified manner.

Missing Boy Found.

Arthur O'Neil, the boy who was reported as missing since Tuesday turned up safe and sound Thursday night. When he left home Tuesday he went to the house of some friends of his parents at North Weymouth whom he told that he had come for a visit and that his parents had sent him. Thursday, his father learning of his whereabouts, went over for him, and as he was about to lay hands on his wayward son, the boy eluded him and made tracks for home. He arrived before his parents.

—The year 1897 may possibly bring some important changes in the management of some of Boston's big dailies. Most of them have not made so large profits during the last four years, as in days gone by.

MARRIED.

BATEMAN—LINCOLN—In Quincy, Jan. 1, by Rev. D. M. Wilson, Mr. William Robinson Bateman to Miss Lydia Waterman Lincoln.

DIED.

TILDEN—In North Weymouth, Dec. 30, Mr. Elijah D. Tilden, aged 66 years, 2 months and 6 days.

QUINCY BREVITIES.

Notes from Quincy Point, Wollaston, Atlantic, South and West Quincy.

A Happy New Year!

Five Sundays this month.

Snow is predicted for tomorrow.

The vote by President by State appears in this issue.

The Granite Shoe store is undergoing repairs.

C. B. Tilton is making changes in the interior of his store.

Branscheid & Martens have enlarged their newspaper store.

Mr. Howard Baker, Billings street, is very ill with typhoid fever.

The amendment to the Police ordinance is officially published today.

The Five Associates held a dance at Music hall Thursday evening.

Miss Clyde Robbins Botolph street is confined to the house with bronchitis.

Mr. C. L. Mitchell, Principal of the Wareham High School, is a guest of Rev. J. H. Yeoman.

Sprague Bros. & Co., the Boston provision dealers, will please accept thanks for calendar received.

Rev. and Mrs. C. P. Mills give a reception to St. Chrysostom's parish at the rectory this evening.

Mr. Emerson of Boston has purchased the old Rinn house on Faxon road and has moved his family in.

Chief Engineer Williams is confined to his home with a severe throat trouble and Engineer Packard is in charge.

A discount of $1 is allowed on subscriptions to the DAILY LEDGER when paid in advance. Now is the time to subscribe.

A Washington dispatch reports an additional pension for Bartholomew Rooney, but the gentleman died last week.

Rev. Edward Norton will preach a sermon for the New Year Sunday morning, and New Year's praise service will be held in the evening.

The Granite City club will move into the Savings Bank building this month, and the rooms now occupied in the Durgin & Merrill block are advertised to let.

The sixth annual regalia ball of Granite lodge, M. U., I. O. O. F., was held Thursday evening, at Ellsworth hall, East Milton. It was largely attended and a success in every way.

Services were held in all the Catholic churches today. The first mass at St. John's church was celebrated at 5.30 by Rev. J. P. Cuffe, and the second at 8 30 by Rev. F. A. Cunningham.

The City Council of 1896 will hold its final meeting tonight. As four days must intervene between the readings of many orders, those which do not go through tonight must go by default.

The regular meeting night of the St. John's society will be on Thursdays hereafter. The annual election of officers will take place next Thursday evening. The society will go to Communion on Sunday.

After the adjournment of the City Council of 1896 this evening, a banquet complimentary to President Bryant will be given at the Greenleaf.

Four members of Co. K have been discharged for having absented themselves from the annual drill: John J. Clark, Oscar A. Johnson, Fred A. Saunders and Arthur R. White.

The funeral of Edward Avery of Braintree was held Thursday from Emmanuel church, Boston, the Masons participating. Hon. E. C. Bumpus of Quincy, one of the representatives of the Norfolk county bar, and others from this city attended.

Watch Meeting.

A watch night service was held at the Episcopal church, Thursday night, which was fairly well attended. The service consisted of the Litany and the singing of several hymns. Rev. Mr. Breed spoke on the work for each one for the new year and what we have derived from the past year. The service, which was from eleven until twelve o'clock, was preceded by a parish reception in the chapel. A short entertainment, consisting of singing and readings, was given and coffee and cake were served.

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With Hood's Sarsaparilla, "Sales Talk," and show that this medicine has enjoyed public confidence and patronage to a greater extent than accorded any other proprietary medicine. This is simply because it possesses greater merit and produces greater cures than any other. It is not what we say, but what Hood's Sarsaparilla does, that tells the story. All advertisements of Hood's Sarsaparilla, like Hood's Sarsaparilla itself, are honest. We have never deceived the public, and this with its superlative medicinal merit, is why the people have abiding confidence in it, and buy

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Mufflers,

Cardigan Jackets, Sweaters all specially selected for the Christmas trade.

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White Shirts, Collars and Cuffs, make a most acceptable present. We sell only the best grades.

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JUNE'S MELANGE.

The Proposed Makeshift in Fire Department—Other Comments.

To the Editor of the Daily Ledger:

That Chief Engineer Williams is a most excellent fireman, no one will deny, and it was rather painful to witness that worthy man trying to get the City Council to grant him something he really does not want and which he knows is but a mere makeshift and not at all the right arrangement for practical purposes.

It is not a business proposition to so man a piece of apparatus that it will invariably run away from its members, and depend upon men outside the department to make it effective. If an alarm of fire occurs night or day with a permanent man and a horse in the house, the wagon should be on its way to the box in less than one minute, and no call man will see it again until he has chased it to its destination. When it reaches there the Chief proposes to utilize the services of volunteers, yet no man knows better than he, how unreliable and unsatisfactory such service usually is.

The reduction of the number of call men to so small proportions for the sake of having only one permanent man, could only have been done for the purpose of showing not too large an expense caused by the change. The chances are that with only four call men, and they liable to be at work, it would be seldom that enough would ever be at a fire to lay and handle a line of hose. The permanent man could not leave his horse to couple on to a hydrant nor to attach the pipe and handle it after the hose has been run off.

The disadvantages of this new and expensive change, will appear more numerous the longer it is thought of. If any such expense is to be incurred, it should be on a practical business basis and not have the apparatus of the department depend for its handling upon whoever may happen to be around when it arrives at a fire without its members. The proposed change involves an annual expense which represents four per cent. on one hundred thousand dollars, and for the City Council to authorize such an expenditure for a very questionable experiment is, to say the least, extremely unwise. It is one of those subjects which ought not to be rushed through without further thought. Twelve votes are necessary for its passage and they ought not to materialize.

While it was injudicious to ask for a raise of salaries and has caused a great deal of comment and criticism, yet the Mayor cannot do better than to re-appoint the present Treasurer and Clerk. Both are faithful and efficient officers, well qualified and satisfactory to the citizens.

Where does the President of the Council get his authority for ruling that "a motion to refer to the next City Council takes precedence of a motion to suspend the rules?" Also that "an ordinance must be passed this year in order to take effect next year?"

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Leap Year Party.

An exclusive leap year party was held at Faxon hall, Thursday evening, to dance out the old year and usher in the new. It was so select that it reminded one of old maids. However, they say some of the choicest buds of the season were there and that it was a swell affair. Music was furnished by Monk. About thirty-five couples were present.

Dancing was enjoyed from 8 to 12 o'clock and as the last stroke of the hour died away the New Year was ushered in with the mazy waltz.

Mrs. H. E. Hardwick and Mrs. Theophilus King were matrons, while the offices of ushers and committee were filled by the young ladies. It is almost unnecessary to add upon this occasion there were no wall flowers. Frappe was served during the evening.

Young Men's Christian Association.

The men's Sunday afternoon meetings are growing in interest each week. Last Sunday the parlor was crowded to its full capacity. The orchestra adds much to the song service. On Sunday Mr. H. A. Rideout will speak.

The Gymnasium Bible class, which meets at 4 45, now numbers seventeen members.

Old Man Abbe Bound Over.

Thompsonville, Conn., Jan. 1.—The hearing in the case of Timothy Harlow Abbe, aged 84, who was charged with setting several fires in Enfield, was finished yesterday afternoon, and Justice Morrison bound the prisoner over to the March term of the superior court under $1500 bonds, which were furnished.

Nashua Saloons to Be Closed.

Nashua, N. H., Jan. 1.—There is much excitement among the saloon keepers of this city owing to an order by the police commissioners last night, whereby that body voted to instruct the city marshal to shut up all saloons within a few days. The order will affect 150 saloons.

Looking Into Cutdown.

Haverhill, Mass., Jan. 1—A movement has been in progress for some time to induce the state board of arbitration to investigate the recent extensive reductions in wages in the shoe factories of Lynn, and it is now announced that the board has decided to go to Lynn in a few days.

Baby Accidentally Shot.

Freeport, Me., Jan. 1.—Bessie, aged 2, only child of Ernest Soule of this town, was accidentally shot in the back of the head by a 22-caliber revolver in the hands of her uncle, who was cleaning it, and the child will die.

NEW ENGLAND BRIEFS.

Burglars entered the store of Moses H. Fowler at Newburyport, Mass, and robbed the safe of a small amount of money.

The Maine cattle commissioners ask for a large appropriation to pay farmers for tuberculosis cattle that were killed.

The receipts from duties at the Boston custom house for the year have amounted to $10,285,383, as compared with $10,853,257 in 1895.

F. P. Woodbury, Elisha M. Warden and O. H. Ellis have been arrested at Hilmsdale, N. H., on charge of violating the license laws.

The Boston Transit commission in its annual report states that during the year $786,516 has been expended on the subway, making a total of $1,703,772.

The shoe workers and the manufacturers at Georgetown, Mass., have agreed on a new price list. The majority of workmen will receive a slight reduction in wages.

Governor Coffin of Connecticut issued a requisition upon Governor Wolcott of Massachusetts for John Lyons, wanted for theft in Waterbury, who was arrested in Worcester.

The state board of visitors, created by the New Hampshire legislature for the purpose of having general supervision over state institutions, met at Montpelier and organized by electing Governor Grout chairman, and Speaker Lord, secretary.

Big Shortage.

Hollidaysburg, Pa., Jan. 1.—The true financial condition of the bank of Gardner, Morrow & Co., that closed its doors last September, was made public yesterday. The liabilities aggregate $333,750.27. The good assets foot up $94,000 and the uncollectable accounts $80,000 The bankers offer no explanation of the shortage of $159,730.27 between the liabilities and the total assets. This discrepancy still remains a mystery.

To Prevent Collisions at Sea.

Washington, Jan. 1.—The president has issued a proclamation fixing July 1 next as the date for the taking effect of the new rules for the prevention of collisions at sea, agreed on by the leading maritime nations of the world.

Debs a Socialist.

Terre Haute, Ind., Jan. 1.—In a letter soon to be printed in The Railway Times, Eugene V. Debs will announce that he has abandoned the People's party and become a straight out Socialist.

American Built Boats For Japan.

Washington, Jan. 1.—Minister Hoshi of Japan yesterday signed contracts for the construction of two new cruisers, one with the Cramp ship yards of Philadelphia and the other with the Union iron works of San Francisco. The combined cost will be about $3,000,000.

College Golf Association.

New York, Jan. 1.—Representatives from Harvard, Yale, Columbia, Princeton and Pennsylvania, met here yesterday and took preliminary steps toward the formation of an intercollegiate golf association.

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HOW SHE HELD THE TRAIN.

A Woman's Strategy That Enabled Her Daughter to Go to Town.

"Before I came to this part of the country I was an engineer on a railroad down south," said a railway man. "We used to make a long run, and we were pretty slow about it. While on that line I had some very odd experiences. I remember one day, when we reached the junction station, a woman came up to me and asked me to hold the train for five minutes. She said that her daughter wanted to take the train to the city. I told her that it was impossible for me to hold the train for her."

"'I don't see why,' she expostulated. 'I think you might do a little thing like that.'

"I tried to explain to her that trains ran on schedule time, and, like time and tide, wait for no man, or woman either, for that matter. But she wouldn't have it, and finally, just as we were about to start, she shouted indignantly:

"'Well, I'll just see about that.'

"I laughed, but soon I ceased to laugh, for what did that old woman do but get right on the track about three feet in front of the engine. She sat herself there, firmly grasping hold of the rails with both hands. The conductor signaled for me to go ahead, as our stop was over. But I couldn't do it as long as she remained on the track, for I would kill her certainly. I called to the conductor, and he, impatient at the delay, came up. I explained the situation to him. He was as mad as I was and going up to the woman told her to get off the track.

"'I just won't,' she replied, 'until my daughter gets on board your train.'

"He pleaded with her some more and finally declared that he would be compelled to use force.

"'Just you dare!' she cried. 'I'll sue you for damages if you do.'

"This opened a new complication, and we reasoned with ourselves whether we had better remove her by force. Just as we had determined upon a course of policy her daughter came up and seeing the old woman on the track kissed her goodby and got on the train, while her mother called to her:

"'Go ahead, Mary Ann. You have plenty of time, though, for I will sit on the track until you get on board.'

"And then, when Mary Ann was safely on board and we were about ready to run over the old woman, if necessary, she calmly and slowly got up and waved me a goodby, calling as we pulled out of the station:

"'I hope I've teached you fellers a grain of perliteness.'"—Chicago Times-Herald.

HISTORIC SLAVE AUCTION.

The Sale of Pinky Said to Have Inspired the Emancipation Proclamation.

In The Ladies' Home Journal Mrs. Henry Ward Beecher writes of "When Mr. Beecher Sold Slaves In Plymouth Pulpit." Recalling the historic sale of Pinky, Mrs. Beecher gives these details: "An old colored woman had written to Mr. G. Faulkner Blake, the brother of one of our church members, that her little grandchild, named Pinky, was too fair and beautiful for her own good, and was about to be sold 'down south,' and Mr. Blake asked if she could be freed. 'Not unless you bring her north,' replied Mr. Beecher. 'I will be responsible for her, and she shall be lawfully purchased or sent back.' The answer was a compliment, to which Mr. Beecher laughingly referred as the only tribute ever paid to him by a slave owner. 'If Henry Ward Beecher has given his word,' wrote the dealer, 'it is better than a bond.'

"So Pinky was brought to Plymouth church and placed upon the pulpit, as Sarah, another slave, previously had been. The scene was again one of intense enthusiasm. Rain never fell faster than the tears of the congregation. The pretty child, the daughter of a white father, was bought and overbought. Rose Terry—afterward Mrs. Rose Terry Cooke, the famous authoress—threw a valuable ring into the basket, and Mr. Beecher picked it out and put it upon Pinky's finger, saying, 'Remember—with this ring I do wed thee to freedom.' * * * President Lincoln took a lively interest in the case of Pinky, the details of which were related to him by Chief Justice Chase and by Mr. Beecher. I was not in Washington with my husband at the time, and therefore cannot verify the story that the sale of Pinky inspired President Lincoln to issue the almost divine proclamation of emancipation."

Two Yorkshire Stories.

The sturdiness of the north and its rather grim self will are admirably illustrated by two Yorkshire anecdotes. A landlord of very old family proposed to make an alteration in one of his tenant's farm buildings, which the tenant declined to permit, whereupon the landlord remarked very mildly that, after all, the building was his own. Thereupon the tenant rejoined, "Nay, my forefather went to the crusades with your forefather, and you shan't touch a stone of it."

Again, a daughter of one of the leading citizens of a Yorkshire town hinted to her father's gardener that the family would like to appropriate the greenhouse to the purposes of a vinery, whereupon she was told to let her father know "he may just choose betwixt me and the grapes." Of course the proposal was abandoned.

A Wonderful Island of Chalk.

The English island of Thanet, forming a part of the county of Kent, is almost wholly composed of chalk. The island is 10 miles in length and about 5 in breadth and has more chalk exposed on its surface than has any other spot of equal area on the globe. British geologists say that there are not less than 42,000,000,000 tons of chalk "in sight" on Thanet, and that it would take 10,000 men and 5,000 horses and carts 20,000 years to move it, providing it were dug up ready to be carted away.—St. Louis Republic.

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

NORFOLK, ss. COURT OF INSOLVENCY.

To William L. Ripley, Edward E. Hoxie, Charles S. Ripley, F. E. Pinkham, and John H. Dinegan, all of Quincy, in said County of Norfolk, GREETING:

Whereas, Kimball J. Fenno and Asa P. French, the Assginees of the Quincy Cycle Company, an insolvent corporation having its place of business in said Quincy, have presented to said Court their petition, praying that this Court will declare void and cause to be surrendered and cancelled a certain mortgage of personal property running from William L. Ripley and F. E. Pinkham, doing business under the name of the Quincy Cycle Co., signed by William L. Ripley, as treasurer, to John H. Dinegan for one dollar and other considerations, date1 Nov. 13, 1895, and recorded with the Records of Mortgagees of Personal Property of the City of Quincy, book 14, page 24, and for further relief as justice may require.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Court of Insolvency to be holden at Dedham, in said County of Norfolk, on the third Wednesday of January next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

And said petitioners are ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to each of you who may be found in said Commonwealth, fourteen days at least before said Court; or if any of you shall not be so found, either by delivering a copy thereof to you wherever found, by leaving a copy thereof at your usual place of abode, or by mailing a copy thereof to you at your last known post-office address, fourteen days at least before said Court; and also, unless it shall be made to appear to the Court by affidavit that you all have had actual notice of the proceeding, by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in QUINCY DAILY LEDGER, a newspaper published in said Quincy, the last publication to be seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, George White, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-ninth day of December, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six.

JOHN D. COBB, Assistant Register.

W. W. JENNESS, Attorney, 87 Milk Street, Boston. 1-8-11

L. S

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

NORFOLK, ss. COURT OF INSOLVENCY.

To William L. Ripley, Edward E. Hoxie, and Charles S. Ripley of Quincy, in said Massachusetts, and to Moses W. Webber of Nashua, in the State of New Hampshire, GREETING:

Whereas, Kimball J. Fenno and Asa P. French, the Assignees of the Quincy Cycle Company, an insolvent corporation having its place of business in said Quincy, have presented to said Court their petition, praying that this Court will declare void and cause to be surrendered and cancelled a certain mortgage of personal property running from William L. Ripley, doing business under the name of the Quincy Cycle Co., to said Moses W. Webber, for $800, dated July 6, 1894, and recorded with the Records of Mortgages of Personal Property of the City of Quincy, book 13, page 299, and for further relief as justice may require.

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

NORFOLK, ss. PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law and all persons interested in the estate of

ANDREW GRANEY,

late of Quincy, in said County of Norfolk, deceased, testate.

Whereas, Jane Graney, administratrix of the estate of said deceased, has presented her petition for authority to mortgage certain real estate therein described, of the estate of said deceased, to raise the sum of three hundred, nine and 42-100 dollars for the purposes of payment of debts.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Quincy, in said County of Norfolk, on the thirteenth day of January, A. D. 1897, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to each person interested fourteen days at least before said court, or by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the QUINCY DAILY LEDGER, a newspaper published in Quincy, the last publication to be one day at least before said Court.

Witness, George White, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this thirty-first day of December, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six.

JONATHAN COBB, Register

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Quincy, Dec. 9. tf

GEORGE MONK,
Member of Tremont Theatre Orchestra, Boston, will receive

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At his residence, 121 Washington street.
Quincy, Oct. 12. tf

$100 REWARD.

THE Above reward will be paid to any person or persons who will give any information that will convict any person or persons of entering the Engine House of Field & Wild on the night of July 31st and night of August 12th and tampering with the engine, boiler and other machinery connected with their works.

FIELD & WILD.
Quincy, Aug. 13. tf

Quincy & Boston ELECTRIC STREET RAILWAY.

[Subject to change without notice.]

On and after Monday, Dec. 14, 1896, cars will make trips on week days as follows:

Quincy and Neponset.

Leave CITY HALL for Neponset—6.00 A. M., 6.15, 6.30, 6.45, 7.00, and every 15, 30, 45 and 60 minutes past the hour until 7.00 P. M., then every half hour until 10.50 P. M. Cars leaving Quincy on the hour via. Norfolk Downs, except 6.00 P. M.

Leave NEPONSET—6.22 A. M., 6.37, 6.52, 7.07, 7.22, and every 7, 22, 37 and 52 minutes past the hour until 7.00 o'clock, then every half hour until 11 P. M.; last car for Quincy at 11.15 P. M. Cars leaving Neponset 22 minutes past the hour via. Norfolk Downs.

Quincy and East Weymouth.

Leave CITY HALL (10 minutes later from Quincy Point and 22 minutes later from North Weymouth)—5.45, 6.20, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, 11.20, 11.50 A. M.; 12.20, 12.50, 1.20, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20 4.50 5.20 (5.30 to East Weymouth car house), 5.50, 6.20, 6.30, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.50 P. M.

Leave EAST WEYMOUTH (20 minutes later from North Weymouth and 30 minutes later from Quincy Point)—6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11, 11.30 A. M.; 12, 12.30, 1, 1.30, 2, 2.30, 3, 3.30, 4 4.30, 5, 5.30, 6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11, 11.30 P. M.

Quincy and East Milton.

Leave CITY HALL—6.00, 6.30, 7.00, 7.30 8.00, 8.30, 9.00, 9.30, 10.00, 10.30, 11.00 11.30, A. M.: 12.00, 12.30, 1.00 1.30, 2.00 2.30, 3.00, 3.30, 4.00, 4.30, 5.00., 5.30, 6.00, 6.30 7.00 7.30, 8.00, 8.30, 9.00, 9.50, 10.40.

Leave EAST MILTON—6.30, 7.00, 7.30, 8.00, 8.30, 9.00, 9.30, 10.00, 10.30, 11.00, 11.30 A. M.: 12.00, 12.30, 1.00, 1.30, 2.00, 2.30, 3.00 3.40, 4.00, 4.30, 5.00, 5.30, 6.00, 6.30, 7.00, 7.30 8.00 8.30 9.00, 9.30, 10.20, 11.20.

Quincy and Brockton.

Leave CITY HALL at 10 minutes past and 20 minutes of the hour for Braintree, Holbrook, Brockton and Campello.

Leave BROCKTON for Holbrook, Braintree and Quincy, on the hour and half hour

Leave SOUTH BRAINTREE for Quincy 5 minutes before and 25 minutes past the hour.

SUNDAYS AND HOLIDAYS.

☞ On Sundays on the Weymouth route cars will leave Quincy on the hour and half hour and East Weymouth at quarter past and quarter of the hour.

☞ Special trips can be arranged on application to the Superintendent.

☞ At Quincy Centre close connection is made with Electric Cars on all the routes.

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WEEKS, Superintendent.

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OLD COLONY SYSTEM.

On and after Nov. 2, 1896, trains will run as follows: (See note of explanation at bottom.)

TO BOSTON. Leave Quincy.	Stops at	Arrive Boston.	FROM BOSTON. Leave Boston.	Stops at	Arrive Quincy*
r 6 12 abc	*	6 30	5 53 ihgfedcba*		6 20 r
r 6 42 abc		7 00	6 30 cba		6 49 r
r 7 12 abc		7 30	7 30 cba		7 49 r
7 29 a		7 48	8 30 cba		8 49 r
r 7 42 abc		8 00	9 30 cba		9 49 r
r 8 12 abc		8 30	10 30 cba		10 49 r
8 29 a		8 45	11 30 cba		11 49 r
r 8 42 abc		9 00	12 00 (xx)		12 15
r 9 12 abc		9 30	12 30 cba		12 49 r
r 10 12 abc		10 30	1 30 cba		1 49 r
r 11 12 abc		11 30	2 30 cba		2 49 r
r 12 12 abc		12 30	3 30 cba		3 49 r
r 1 12 abc		1 30	4 30 cba		4 49 r
1 46 (xx)		2 00	5 00 cba		5 19 r
r 2 12 abc		2 30	5 15 a		5 32
r 3 12 abc		3 30	5 30 cba		5 49 r
r 4 12 abc		4 30	6 00 cba		6 19 r
r 5 12 abc		5 30	6 15 a		6 32
r 6 12 abc		6 30	6 30 cba		6 49 r
r 7 12 abc		7 30	7 00 cba		7 19 r
r 7 41 abcdefghi		8 07	7 30 cba		7 49 r
r 8 08 abcdef		8 30	8 30 fedcba		8 53 r
r 9 12 abc		9 30	9 30 cba		9 49 r
r 10 08 abcdef		10 30	10 30 fedcba		10 53 r
r 10 34 abcdefghi		11 08	11 00 ihgfedcba		11 27 r
r 11 12 abc		11 30	11 30 cba		11 49 r

SUNDAYS.

6 38 abcdef		7 00	4 05 fda		4 23
8 46 (xx)		9 00	7 30 fedcba		7 53 r
r 9 12 abc		9 30	8 30 (xx)		8 45
r 12 16 (xx)		12 30	9 30 ihgfedcba		9 57 r
1 12 abc		1 30	10 30 ihgfedcba		10 57 r
2 16 (xx)		2 30	11 30 (xx)		11 45
r 3 04 abcdefghi		3 30	12 30 cba		12 49 r
r 4 04 abcdefghi		4 30	1 30 (xx)		1 45
5 16 (xx)		5 30	4 30 cba		4 49 r
r 6 08 abcdef		6 30	5 00 (xx)		5 15
r 9 08 abcdef		9 30	7 00 fedcba		7 23 r
9 38 adf		9 55	10 30 fedcba		10 53 r

*The letters in the same line as the figures stand for different stations and indicate that trains stop, as follows:

a, Wollaston. g, Savin Hill.
b, Norfolk Downs h, Crescent Avenue.
c, Atlantic. i, South Boston.
d, Neponset.
e, Pope's Hill. r, Quincy Adams.
f, Harrison Square. (xx), Express.

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NOTICE TO PARENTS.

CITY OF QUINCY.

CITY CLERK'S OFFICE, Dec. 14, 1896.

THE Record of births in any city or town is always more or less unsatisfactory, owing to the fact that the canvasser finds difficulty in getting the necessary information. Names and dates are frequently given incorrectly. The importance of accuracy is shown in many cases where there is a question of descent, or inheritance of property, or collection of life insurance or pensions. The City Clerk's copy of the record is accepted as conclusive evidence in a court of law. While great pains are taken by this office to have the record correct, experience shows that it is necessary that parents themselves should lend their assistance. In fact the law requires that parents shall give notice to the City Clerk of the birth of their children, and provides a penalty for neglect to give such notice for the space of six months.

It often happens that only children or servants are at home when the canvasser makes his call, and the answers to his questions are open to doubt. I therefore request all parents in whose households a birth has occurred in the year 1896, to place upon a paper or card the required information, and keep it in a convenient place until the canvasser appears.

The canvass will be commenced on Jan. 1, 1897.

HARRISON A. KEITH,
City Clerk.
Dec. 14 to Feb. 1. Dec. 19—7w

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I am 50 years old, but expect soon to be able to take hold of the plow handles. I feel glad that I was lucky enough to get P. P. P., and I heartily recommend it to my friends and the public generally.

Yours respectfully,
A. M. RAMSEY.

THE STATE OF TEXAS, } ss.:
County of Comanche, }

Before the undersigned authority, on this day, personally appeared A. M. Ramsey, who, after being duly sworn, says on oath that the foregoing statement made by him relative to the virtue of P. P. P. medicine, is true.

A. M. RAMSEY.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this, August 4th, 1891.

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AUTONOMY FOR CUBA.

Spanish Ministry Has Decided Upon Concessions to Be Granted.

Reform For Both Porto Rico and Cuba.

Home Rule Will Be Promulgated as Soon as Insurrection Ceases.

Washington, Jan. 1.—A despatch from Madrid gives the form of autonomy which Spain is willing to give to Cuba, which was decided upon yesterday at a meeting of the ministry, at which the queen regent presided. The official endorsement of the cortes has not yet been attached to the decree, but it will be given without delay or objection. Minister De Lome is authorized to publish the concessions agreed upon.

These reforms are to go into effect immediately in Porto Rico, and are announced in the desire to promulgate them as a New Year's gift to the citizens of Porto Rico.

These same measures of relief, it is said, will be announced in Cuba as soon as the pacification of the island is such that the reforms can be brought about without such revolt as would now be caused by the insurgents. It is claimed that should the rebellious portions of the island indicate their willingness to accept the system of home rule suggested by Spain, and cease the insurrection, that the reforms immediately would go into effect. Though the decree announced is intended at present for Porto Rico alone, when they are effected in Cuba they will be on an enlarged scale, and Porto Rico also will be favored with the larger rights allowed. Friends of the Spanish legation here state that these reforms were not brought about by the intermediation of the United States.

Senor De Lome said last night: The reform law was voted by the cortes in February, 1895. It was accepted then by the autonomist party, and received a unanimous vote in the cortes. Among the voters were such conspicuous autonomists as Mentero, Giberga, Labra, Ferry, Fernando and Gonzales, all Cubans. The leaders of the autonomist party of Porto Rico have been in Madrid this winter, and the royal decree entirely meets with their approval. What has been printed as a new plan of reform is nothing but the law of 1835, published by the Spanish legation in May last in the pamphlet entitled "Spanish Rule in Cuba." The restrictions on the appointment of counsellors are not against the people, but a restriction of the powers of the government. Nearly all the counsellors appointed by the crown are to be taken from the people that have received votes from the electors, or have been prominent in the business community or are among the principal taxpayers. Enrique Varona, the member of the New York junta, and even people now in the field, could be appointed counsellor by the crown and of course elected.

The object of the reforms in Cuba and Porto Rico is to transfer to the council of administration of each island powers which hitherto have been attributions of government officials and exercised in Madrid. The reforms as annunced state that this council of administration is to be composed, in the case of Porto Rico, of six provincial assemblymen of the region in which the next biennial election shall take place, and six councillors appointed by the supreme government.

The council is to deliberate upon the general estimates of expenditures and revenues of the island; upon the general accounts which the finance department of the island must present annually within the six months following the end of the fiscal year; upon the removals or suspensions of mayor or aldermen, and upon the petitions for legislative reforms that emanate from the provisional assembly.

Porto Rico consists of one province, divided in two regions. In this it differs from Cuba, which is divided into six provinces.

The provincial assembly is to consist of 12 assemblymen, six from each region. Terms of office four years. The election to fill the vacant seats is to take place every two years, the region of San Juan voting at one election and the region of Ponce at another.

The provincial assembly to elect its own president, to judge of the elections, returns and qualifications of the assemblymen and to decide all questions referring to its own organization under the law.

Only the supreme court of the island shall have jurisdiction over the appeal from the decision of the provincial assembly in these questions.

The provincial assembly shall resolve in accordance with the laws and regulations, whatever it may deem proper for the management in the whole island of public works, posts and telegraphs, railways and navigation, agriculture, manufactures, trade, immigration and colonization, public instruction, charities and the health department without prejudice of the supervision and of the powers inherent to the sovereignty of the nation, which the laws reserve to the supreme government. Each year it shall prepare and approve the estimates, with sufficient appropriations for those departments and shall exercise the functions that the law of municipalities and other special laws shall attribute to it. It shall audit, and, in the proper cases, approve the accounts of the provincial revenues and expenditures, which accounts shall be rendered every year by the section of local administration, and shall determine the liabilities therein incurred by officials.

The revenues for its appropriations shall consist:

First, of the proceeds of the lands and rents that are the property of the province or of the institutions whose management pertains to the provincial assembly.

Second, of the surcharges which the law may authorize upon the taxes of the state, which are collected by the finance department of the island; and,

Third, of the contributions it may demand from the municipalities, the contributions being apportioned among the municipalities in proportion to their revenues.

It shall be the duty of the governor general, as supreme chief of the authorities of the island, to carry out the resolutions of the council.

Although the budget for the island must be finally voted by the Spanish parliament the Antilles send a numerous and powerful representation to the cortes, enjoying in this respect a great advantage over the English colonies.

THE VOTE FOR PRESIDENT.

McKinley's Plurality is 630,745 and His Majority 316,399.

Chicago, Jan. 1.—The official canvass of the vote of Maryland for president, Nov. 3, was completed yesterday, this being the last state. The total vote in the different states was 13,888,762. McKinley (Rep.) received 7,101,401; Bryan (Dem.) received 6,470,656; Palmer (Gold Dem.), 135,956; Levering (Pro.), 130,560; Bentley (Nat.), 14,392; Matchett (Soc.), 33,538.

McKinley's plurality is 630,745, and his majority over all, 316,399.

The following table shows the votes cast in the several states for the principal candidates:

States.	McKinley.	Bryan.	Palmer.	Levering.
Alabama	54,737	131,226	6,466	2,147
Arkansas	38,512	110,163	.....	839
California	146,588	144,766	.....	2,573
Colorado	26,271	161,269	.....	1,717
Conn	110,297	56,740	4,356	1,806
Delaware	20,372	16,679	969	356
Florida	10,868	31,517	1,629	726
Georgia	60,191	94,323	2,709	5,612
Idaho	6,232	23,192	.....	131
Illinois	607,130	465,614	6,390	9,796
Indiana	323,959	303,854	3,579	3,658
Iowa	289,293	223,741	4,516	3,192
Kansas	150,541	173,042	1,209	1,721
Kentucky	218,055	217,795	5,018	3,374
Louisiana	22,037	77,175	1,834	....
Maine	80,425	35,104	1,864	1,571
Maryland	136,978	104,746	2,507	5,922
Mass	278,976	105,711	11,749	2,998
Michigan	293,327	237,251	6,930	4,963
Mississippi	4,849	63,253	1,021	390
Minnesota	193,503	139,735	3,216	4,363
Missouri	304,940	363,652	2,355	2,169
Montana	10,494	43,680	.....	186
Nebraska	102,565	115,625	2,797	1,196
Nevada	1,398	8,377	.....	....
New Hamp	55,671	21,096	3,420	776
N. Jersey	221,367	133,675	6,372	5,614
New York	819,838	551,369	19,295	16,052
N. Carolina	155,222	174,488	576	435
N. Dakota	26,335	20,686	.....	358
Ohio	525,984	477,495	1,857	5,067
Oregon	48,711	46,739	979	919
Penn	728,300	427,127	11,000	19,374
R. Island	36,427	14,459	1,166	1,160
S. Carolina	9,313	58,801	824	....
S. Dakota	41,042	41,255	.....	664
Tennessee	148,773	163,651	1,951	3,898
Texas	167,398	368,289	5,030	1,785
Utah	13,484	64,535	21	....
Vermont	50,991	10,607	1,329	758
Virginia	135,361	155,988	2,216	2,347
Washton	38,574	51,646	148	968
W. Virginia	105,368	94,480	675	1,216
Wisconsin	268,135	165,523	4,584	7,599
Wyoming	10,034	10,742	.....	142

More About Maceo.

Key West, Jan. 1.—Senora Delores Mirabel, widow of Lieutenant Colonel Mirabel of the insurgent army, who was killed in a machete charge at Tapaste in September last, has arrived here on the steamship Olivette. Senora Mirabel says that just before her departure from Cuba she was informed by a gentleman of Maceo's staff, who had just arrived from the field, that Maceo was alive, but seriously wounded, with four physicians in attendance upon him. Senora Mirabel's informant added that Maceo was recovering slowly, and he further stated that, during the engagement between the insurgents and the Spanish troops under Major, now Colonel Cirujeda, Dr. Zertucha, unobserved, shot Maceo and afterward hastened to join the Spaniards. For this the doctor is said to have received $50,000.

The Tariff Hearings.

Washington, Jan. 1.—Yesterday's proceedings of the ways and means committee were interesting in the extreme. The subject which occupied greatest attention was the paper schedule. John Norris, business manager of the New York World, and William A. Russell and Warner Miller indulged in a spirited controversy over the existance of an alleged paper trust. Norris attacked the trust bitterly, and charged that ex-Congressman Russell was the head of the combination and ex-Senator Warner Miller is one of the principal movers in the scheme.

Bribed by Wanamaker's Agent.

Pottsville, Pa., Jan. 1.—In the preliminary hearing of E. A. Van Valkenburg, manager of John Wanamaker's senatorial campaign, who is charged with bribing assemblymen, J. Tillard, a private detective, testified that the accused had given him $1300 to pay Dr. Mackey of Luzerne county to vote for Wanamaker. A photographic copy of the receipt from Dr. Mackey was introduced. Van Valkenburg denies all the charges.

Evangelist Expelled From Ministry.

Lexington, Ky., Jan. 1.—H. C. Morrison, evangelist, who has been holding meetings without permission of presiding elders, was yesterday expelled from the Methodist ministry. He is a son of Rev. H. S. Morrison of Nashville, and made Lexington his residence. Morrison's moral character was not involved. He stands in the same attitude to the Methodist church, south, as Sam Jones.

Killed Three People.

Atlanta, Ga., Jan. 1.—Theodore Flannagan walked into the dining room of his boarding house, kept by G. W. Allen, aged 70, and shot Allen, his wife, aged 65, and Miss Ruth Slack, aged 18. Two other boarders were wounded by flying bullets. Flannagan claims he was drunk.

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MOON'S PHASES.

New Moon	3	1:03 a. m.	Full Moon	18	3:17 p. m.
First Quarter	10	4:46 p. m.	Third Quarter	25	3:08 p. m.

—Some of the papers are calling attention to the fact that pensions have cost this country two billion dollars since 1865. But more than that amount within the same time has vanished in the flame and smoke of conflagrations in the United States, and nobody seems to be worrying about an outgo that is largely preventable.

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INCREASE IN FAILURES.

Bradstreet's Review Shows Last Year Was Bad For Business.

Liabilities of Those Failing Were $247,000,000.

Last Week the Dullest of Dull Season---Year's Failures In Canada.

New York, Jan. 1.—Bradstreet's tomorrow will say:

General trade has been rather more quiet, and this week proves one of the dullest of the dull season which has followed the fortnight of revived demand early in November. The uneasiness last week caused by northwestern bank failures is continued by similar embarrassments at Chicago and Minneapolis. These bank failures seem to be the outcome of conditions originating in the banks, and not due to the situation of general trade.

Unseasonable weather, the making of inventories and the customary absence of demand in wholesale lines, have combined to produce more than the usual holiday dullness. More favorable reports include heavy exports of flour and general merchandise from Tacoma to China and Japan, the receipt at Chicago of a satisfactory amount of orders for dry goods for spring delivery, and an increased total volume of business in 1896 among St. Louis shoe manufacturers and jobbers, and jobbers of dry goods, as compared with 1895. Quotations for corn, exports of which continue relatively heavy; for wheat, of which the same may be said, and for coffee and for hides and leather, are higher.

Manufacturers of woolen goods are buying raw material only to cover orders receive dLrage stocks of unsold print cloths continue to depress quotations, and merchants in leading staple lines at larger distributing centers do not anticipate an early improvement in business. Prices of oats, petroleum, cotton and print cloths are lower, and buyers of western and southern brands of pig iron report a cut of 25 cents a ton. Prices are unchanged and comparatively firm for flour, pork, lard, sugar, anthracite coal and steel billets. Since the break in iron and steel prices, consumers appear inclined to await developments.

Total business failures in the United States in 1896 (in which liabilities exceed assets) number 15,112, an increase of 16 per cent over 1895, when the total increased 2 per cent compared with 1894, in which year failures fell off 18 per cent from 1893, when the total was 15,560, the largest on record. Total liabilities of those failing in 1896 amounted to $247,000,000, 55 per cent more than last year and 65 per cent more than in the year 1894, being exceeded only by the corresponding exhibit for 1893. The commercial death rate in the United States in 1896 was 1.4 per cent, by which it is meant that 1.4 per cent of every 100 individuals, firms and corporations in business last year failed. This death rate was exceeded only by that in 1893, when it was 1.5 per cent. In 1895 the commercial death rate was 1.23 and in 1894, 1.21 per cent.

Exports of wheat (flour included as wheat) from both coasts of the United States this week amount to 2,707,793 bushels, as compared with 2,111,000 bushels last week, 3,457,000 bushels in the week a year ago, 1,814,000 bushels two years ago, and with 2,036,000 bushels in the corresponding week of 1893. Exports of Indian corn this week amount to 2,656,994 bushels, against 2,468,000 bushels last week, 1,839,000 bushels in the week a year ago, 649,000 bushels two years ago, 815,000 bushels three years ago, and as compared with 244,000 bushels in the like week of 1892.

There are 2179 business failures reported from the Dominion of Canada for 1896, an increase of 303. The larger proportion of the gain is accounted for by an increase of 130 business failures in Ontario, 121 in the province of Quebec and 41 in Nova Scotia. The increase of about 14 per cent in number of business failures in the dominion is accompanied by a gain of only 7 per cent in aggregated liabilities, which in 1896 amounted to $16,208,000.

Society of New England Women.

New York, Jan. 1.—The National Society of New England Women held the business and social meeting of the season yesterday at the Waldorf. Mrs. Theodore F. Seward presided. The program was varied, the principal features being the violin solos and quartets of the Beasey children of California, the singing of Mme. Morosoni and reading by Miss West. Several amusing letters of regret were read from members who had been invited by Aunt Prue to the Husking Bee, held on Nov. 20. Mrs. Allen T. Nye had charge of the entertainment. Among the guests present were Mrs. C. Walter Crosley, Mrs. Hayes-Smith, Mrs. Henry Brewster, Mrs. Sarah Van Zile and Miss Tabor of Providence.

Train Robber Caught.

Kansas City, Jan. 1. James F. Kennedy, leader of the trio of bold robbers who held up and robbed the Chicago and Alton east bound passenger train at Blue Cut, near Independence, last week, has been run down and arrested. He was taken at his home near the scene of the robbery and brought here. Kennedy is about 28 years of age, and says he is a locomotive engineer, formerly working on the Southern Pacific.

Cut His Throat In Court.

Elmira, N. Y., Jan. 1.—A jury brought in a verdict of guilty of robbery and assault in the first degree against Robert Keyes. As the foreman pronounced the verdict Keyes pulled a jackknife from his sleeve and slashed his throat three times. A number of women in the courtroom fainted at the sight. Keyes will probably recover.

North Dakota Bank Closes.

Grand Forks, N. D., Jan. 1.—The directors of the Second National bank of this city have decided not to open for business on account of recent heavy withdrawals of deposits and the impossibilities of realizing upon assets. The capital stock paid in was $50,000, with undivided profits amounting to $4000.

An Industrious Incendiary.

Portland, Me., Jan. 1.—The 10th consecutive attempt at incendiarism occurred here tonight. The building of the Cumberland National bank, on Exchange street, was the scene of the firebug's operations this time. The fire was started in a closet on the third floor, and was not discovered until it was well under way.

WOMAN'S LONG HOURS.

She Toils After Man's Day's Work Is Done.

What She Has to Contend With—Work That Sooner or Later Breaks Down Her Delicate Organism.



The great majority of women "work to live" and "live to work," and as the hands of the clock approach the hour of six, those employed in stores, offices, mills and factories, hail closing time with joy. They have won their day's bread, but some duties are yet to be performed, and many personal matters to be attended to. They have mending to do, and dresses or bonnets to make, and long into the night they toil, for they must look neat, and they have no time during the day to attend to personal matters.

Women, therefore, notwithstanding their delicate organism, work longer and more closely than men.

They do not promptly heed such signs as headache, backache, blues, pains in the groins, bearing-down, "all gone" feeling, nervousness, loss of sleep and appetite, whites, irregular or painful monthly periods, cold and swollen feet, etc., all symptoms of womb trouble, which, if not quickly checked, will launch them in a sea of misery.

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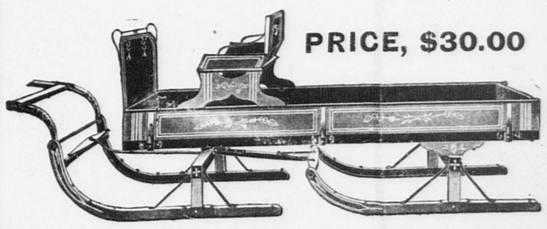
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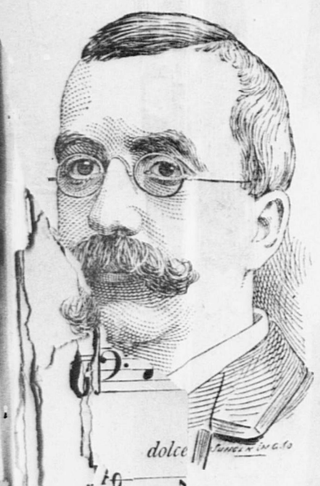
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The New City Government of Quincy.

The City Council of Quincy is composed of one board of 23 Councilmen, five elected at-large and three from each of the six wards of the city. An alphabetical list of the new Council of 1897 appears on this page with the year of service, ward, age, occupation, etc.

Of the 23 members nine will serve for the first time, and of the fourteen members of the Council of 1896 reelected the oldest in point of service is Charles M. Bryant, who will enter upon his fifth year; his previous years of service being in 1891, 1892, 1895 and 1896. Next in order is Luther S. Anderson who will enter upon his fourth year, having served in 1893, 1894 and 1896.



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ELISHA PACKARD.

of Mayor Adams. Councilman Packard was born in Quincy June 8, 1844 and has always made Quincy his home. He received his education in the public schools of his native town and in 1862 when but 18 years of age he enlisted in the 44th Mass. Infantry, Co. H, and at the expiration of his term of service he reinlisted in the 60th Reg. Co. B. After the war he entered the manufactory of Packard & Co., afterward becoming one of the partners in the company which still carries on business in Quincy. He has been a member of Christ's church for many years and has been and is today one of the important officers in that corporation. In politics Councilman Packard is an Independant Republican. Although he has previously been mentioned for a public offices that of Councilman is the first to be held by him.



GEORGE A. SIDELINGER.

Benjamin Johnson, Jr.,

One of the new Councilmen from Ward Two, is a staunch Republican and has been a hard worker for their principles.

He was born in Bangor, Me., Dec. 29, 1865, but came to Quincy with his parents when but 12 years of age. He received his education in the public schools of Maine and Quincy, graduating from the Quincy High school in the class of 1882. Since that time he has resided in Quincy for the most part and has been associated with his father in the lumber business. This is the first public office he has held. He is a member of Mt. Wollaston lodge and Manet Encampment, I. O. O. F., the Red Men and the Quincy Yacht club.

THE MAYOR'S SECOND YEAR.

Hon. C. F. Adams, 2d, One of the Youngest Executives in the State.



During the year 1896 the City of Quincy had the youngest Mayor in Massachusetts, but at the same time one of the oldest heads and one of the most progressive. His administration was prudent, honest and successful, and he has been re-elected by an increased majority. This year, however, a younger man has been elected in the city of Woburn.

Charles F. Adams, 2d, was born in Quincy, Aug. 2, 1866, and is a son of Fanny Crowninshield and the late John Quincy Adams. He is of the distinguished Adams family, which gives Quincy the right to be called the "City of Presidents." Mayor Adams is a great-great grandson of President John Adams, great grandson of President John Quincy Adams and grandson of Charles Francis Adams, the statesman.

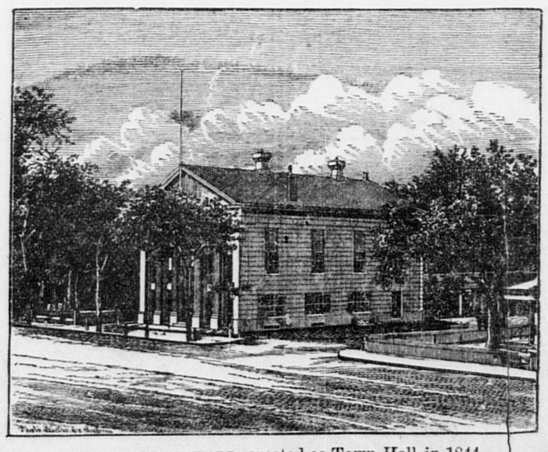
His Honor was educated in the Adams Academy at Quincy and fitted for Harvard college at Hopkinson school. In college he was president of his class, and first marshal on class day; and was also president of the Hasty Pudding club. He was graduated in 1888 and fitted for his profession, as a lawyer, at the Harvard Law school. He was admitted to the Suffolk bar in February, 1893, and was first engaged in the Boston office of Sigourney Butler, formerly of Quincy. Later he became a partner of Judge Everett C. Bumpus, and in 1894 opened an office for himself.

As a lawyer he makes a specialty of the management of trust estates. He is also interested in banking and business corporations, and a director in several.

Previous to being elected to the office of Mayor, in 1896, he was a Councilman for three successive terms, serving on important committees. He is an ex-Commodore of the Quincy Yacht club, Vice Commodore of the Eastern club, and a member of other yacht clubs, being an enthusiastic yachtsman. Mayor Adams is unmarried.

THE CITY COUNCIL OF 1897.

	Ward.	Year of Service.	Place of Birth.	Age.	Business.
Anderson, Luther S.	Ward One.	Fourth.	Braintree.	39	R. R. Superintendent
Badger, Frank E.	At Large.	Third.	Milton.	44	Surveyor
Bryant, Charles M.	Ward Five.	Fifth.	Lowell.	40	Treasurer
Cain, Thomas F.	Ward Four.	First.	Cambridge.	22	Manager
Edwards, Stephen H.	Ward Six.	First.	Roxbury.	44	Plumber.
Field, John Q. A.	At Large.	Second.	Quincy.	71	Granite Manufacturer
Geary, Michael B.	Ward Four.	Third.	Charlestown.	44	Granite Cutter
Hultman, Eugene N.	Ward Two.	First.	Sweden.	53	Retired
Johnson, Benjamin, Jr.	Ward Two	First.	Bangor, Me.	32	Lumber
Little, Stephen B.	Ward Four.	Second.	Quincy.	42	Merchant
McGrath, Henry.	Ward Three.	First	Ireland.	54	Granite Manufacturer
Murray, John C.	Ward Three.	Second.	Scotland.	41	Granite Manufacturer
Nash, John W.	Ward One.	First.	Quincy.	55	Grocer
Nickerson, Nathan G.	Ward Five.	Third.	South Dennis	45	Real Estate
Packard, Elisha.	At Large.	First.	Quincy.	53	Manufacturer
Parker, Theodore.	Ward Six.	Third.	Quincy.	39	Civil Engineer
Phillips, Hiram W.	At Large.	Third.	Quincy.	47	Sub-Marine Diver
Pinkham, Walter S.	Ward Five.	Third.	Cambridgeport	32	Lawyer
Poland, John E.	Ward Six.	First.	Bristol, Me.	31	Builder
Rideout, Warren H.	Ward Three.	Second.	Quincy.	33	Bookkeeper
Sidelinger, George A.	Ward Two.	Third.	Quincy.	39	Salesmen
Sprague, Eugene H.	At Large.	Third.	Isleboro, Me.	33	Provisions
Swithin, John.	Ward One.	First.	Quincy.	43	Real Estate



QUINCY CITY HALL, erected as Town Hall in 1844.

Captain Eugene N. Hultman

Who was elected to the City Council for the first time from Ward Two, is a Swede by birth, having been born in Sweden Oct. 30, 1844. Graduating from the gymnasium there in 1858 he took up a sea-faring life, shipping before the mast. In 1861 he returned to Sweden and graduated from the naval school, and at the early age of 21 years he found himself in command of a ship engaged in the African trade, which he followed for ten years, and is now believed to be the only one of that class of sea-saving men living. During the early part of his sea-faring life he visited Melbourne, Australia, when it was but a city of tents and witnessed the bombardment of Shanghai by the English during the Tai-Ping rebellion. In 1880 Capt. Hultman retired from the sea and from that time up to about ten years ago when he came to Quincy he was largely interested in railroad construction, having charge of the tunnel under West Point on the West Shore railroad, under Mr. Munson, one of the largest contractors of his time. On the opening of the Massachusetts Central railroad he returned home to act as a freight agent for that road, which position he held until the road changed hands. On the tranfser of the road to Boston & Maine Capt. Hultman retired to private life and has devoted himself to the real estate business in and about Boston since that time.



HIRAM W. PHILLIPS.

John E. Poland.

Is one of the new members from Atlantic, Ward Six, and he will come to the City Council a stranger to a larger part of its members, as he is but little known outside of his own ward. He was born in Bristol, Me., June 25, 1866, and was educated in the schools of his native place and at Syracuse, N. Y. Leaving school he entered the employ of the New York Central and Hudson River railroad, and in 1892 came to Quincy and located at Norfolk Downs, where he now resides, being the first to take up a residence on the new property. Mr. Poland now follows the business of a carpenter and builder and as such has erected many of the houses at Norfolk Downs and Wollaston Park, and was the builder, and is the owner, of the large block located near the Norfolk Downs depot. The office of councilman is the first public office that he has ever filled.



THEODORE PARKER.

Stephen H. Edwards

Who has been elected to represent Ward Six in the City Council is one of Atlantic's enterprising business men. Born in Roxbury, August 11, 1853, he received his education in the public schools graduating from the old Washington school, Roxbury. He learned the heating, ventilating and plumbing business, which he has followed ever since, being foreman for a number of years for one of the largest firms in Boston. In 1884 he moved his family to Quincy and in 1891 established himself in the heating, ventilating and plumbing business at Atlantic near the old hotel, afterward moving to a new store on Hancock street near the depot which he now occupies. In 1894 and 1895 he was appointed assistant engineer for Ward Six and was reappointed in 1896 but declined to serve on account of pressure of business. He has been a member of the Democratic Ward and City Committee since Quincy became a city and has for several years been an election officer in his ward.

John W. Nash.

Elected to the City Council from Ward One, is a Quincy boy, having been born in the old Briesler house on Hancock street, Oct. 15, 1842, and has always resided in this city. The office of Councilman is his first as a public officer. Receiving his education in the public schools of Quincy, he was employed in the fancy and felt



JOHN W. NASH.

goods business in Boston and also as clerk in the Quincy post office for two years, under the late George L. Gill. In 1864 he entered the grocery store of John Briesler as a clerk, with whom he remained about two years. He then entered business for himself at the old stand with his uncle, William F. Whitney, under the firm name of Whitney & Nash, which partnership continued until the death of Mr. Whitney in 1888, since which time Mr. Nash has carried on the business. Councilman Nash is well known among the business men of Quincy, with whom he stands high as a successful business man. He is a large taxpayer and should make a good legislator.

Henry McGrath

Councilman from Ward Three, is one of Quincy's well known and successful business men. Born in Ireland Dec. 23, 1843, he came to this country with his parents when an infant, located first in Boston and in 1854 came to Quincy. The subject of this sketch obtained his education in the public schools of Quincy and upon graduating he learned the trade of his father, that of a marble cutter. In 1875 he with his brother James took up his father's business and combined the granite and marble business under the firm name of McGrath Bros., which firm continues today. Mr. McGrath was for a number of years president of the Quincy Granite Manufacturers Association and a member of the executive committee of the New England Association. In 1895 he was appointed by Mayor Hodges, a trustee of the Thomas Crane public library, and was reappointed by Mayor Adams in 1896. In politics Councilman McGrath is an independent, seeking out the best men regardless of party affiliation. Quincy cannot have too many men like Mr. McGrath in the Council.

EUGENE H. SPRAGUE.

Thomas F. Cain.

Of West Quincy will enjoy the distinction as being the youngest member of the City Council of 1897, having been born in Cambridge April 28, 1875. He came to West Quincy with his parents at an early age and has since resided here, receiving his education in the public schools of Quincy. He was graduated from the Quincy High school. His business is that of manager for a well known Roxbury liquor house.

A HOLIDAY SONG.

A little way from Workaday,
Down the small slope of mild desire,
There swings a gate to bar the way
With roses and sweetbrier,
While you and I, when time is ripe,
Upon its fragrant threshold stand
And look across the harvest fields
In fruitful Leisureland.

In Leisureland the breath, like balm,
Sighs from the moist lips easily.
The eyes shine clear; the brow is calm;
The heart beats full and free;
There is no sound of fret nor strife,
Of urging call nor harsh command.
One drinks a fresh, sweet draft of life
In blessed Leisureland.

The birds sing soft; the cushats coo;
The breeze just whispers to the flowers,
Deep lined with autumn as they fade,
To mark the peaceful hours;
The dancing brooklets wider sweep,
All voiceless where the blue flags stand,
Rocking the drowsy bees to sleep
In restful Leisureland.

Then come while harvest moon is full,
Sweetheart, adown the sloping way
And whisper secrets to my soul
Too dear for common day.
A little space for thee and me,
Which, heart to heart and hand in hand,
Apart from weary Workaday,
We'll spend in Leisureland.

—Grace E. Denison.

CAPTURED BY A GIRL.

Day was breaking when Captain Suarez of the schooner Chimba emerged from his cabin and began to pace back and forth upon his quarter deck. He was scarce 25, but his bearing plainly indicated that he had seen long service at sea. He had not made more than a dozen turns fore and aft when a girl came tripping lightly to his side.

"Ah, sister, you are early! I am afraid your dreams could not have been pleasant to drive you to the deck so soon."

"Say not so, brother Carlos. The visions which last night visited my pillow were of the sweetest, for they showed to me that our cause was bound to meet with success, and that the would be dictator, Balmaceda, would be driven in disgrace from Chile by his indignant countrymen."

"Ah, Isadel, as enthusiastic a patriot as ever!" returned the sailor. "I would that the sons of Chile possessed the spirit of some of her daughters."

"Nay, Carlos, do not malign your companions. But, brother, when and where do you expect to make a harbor? By this time our army must be sadly in need of the arms and ammunition which you have."

"If fortune favors us, we shall have our anchor down in the port of Iquique before another sunrise."

At that instant a voice from the main topmast crosstrees caused brother and sister, as well as the crew of the vessel, to start with apprehension:

"Smoke, oh! Two points on the port bow."

"But supposing it should be one of Balmaceda's vessels?" asked the young girl anxiously as she grasped her brother's arm.

"Then our voyage will have a speedy ending unless I can succeed in hoodwinking her officers, for escape would be out of the question."

An hour later the sun had burned away the mists of night, and perhaps a mile distant was a brig rigged steamer.

Presently a puff of white smoke jetted out over the bow of the pursuing craft, and the boom of a gun was borne to the ears of those on board the smaller vessel.

"That means for us to heave to, Isadel, and show our colors."

"But who are they, Carlos—friends or enemies?"

"They belong to the other party, and we may expect the worst. Had you not better go below to your stateroom until we learn the result of the coming meeting?"

"Yes, Carlos, I will leave the deck if you will promise me one thing."

"And that is?"

"To follow these instructions to the letter. Read them carefully, and then destroy the paper. Farewell, brother," and, with a fervent hand clasp, Isadel Suarez hurried below.

As his sister disappeared through the companionway the captain glanced at the note. When his eyes fell upon the writing, he started in surprise, but as he continued to read a smile broke over his features.

The captain now ordered the Chilean flag to be hoisted to the main peak, saying, as he saw the bunting fluttering aloft, "We are still sons of Chile and will meet either friend or foe beneath her ensign."

"Schooner, ahoy! Who are you, and where from?"

"The Chimba, from Callao for Valparaiso."

"Aye, aye! Stay where you are, and I'll send a boat aboard."

Soon a cutter from the man-of-war was alongside, and an officer stepped to the deck and demanded to see the papers of the schooner, with a list of her cargo, stores and crew.

Without the slightest hesitation the young commander placed a bundle of official looking documents on the table in the cabin before his visitor, and then stepped back a pace. One after another the papers were closely scrutinized until the stranger reached the vessel's clearance.

"It strikes me there is something wrong about this. The seal of the Peruvian government does not look just right."

"It is as I received it but an hour before leaving port, senor."

"How long ago were you in Callao?"

"We sailed a week today."

"Again something strange, captain, for we ourselves were in that port shortly before that time, and I am positive there was no such vessel as the schooner Chimba in the harbor then."

"If you have any doubts as to the honesty of our purpose," quickly remarked the captain, "could you not send six or eight men with us to Valparaiso. The crew is small, and I will gladly relinquish command to any one whom you may detail for the service."

"It might be better for us to take you in tow ourselves, but I will lay the matter before our commander. Remain hove to until I return."

Scarcely had the unwelcome visitor left than Isadel emerged from her stateroom and joined her brother.

"You have done well, Carlos!" she exclaimed. "Now, listen! You must not let them know we are related. I am simply a passenger. Let two of your best men be armed and placed in my room under my instructions. Leave the rest to me. Our captors will not offer such an indignity to a Chilean lady as to attempt to enter her private apartment."

Ten minutes later the boat was again alongside.

"Captain," said the officer, "I am ordered to take charge of this vessel and conduct her to Valparaiso, and I regret to say you must consider yourself a prisoner and keep to your room."

"Very well, senor, but rather hard usage for an honest seaman, I should say," returned the captain. "I have a lady passenger on board, whom I trust you will treat with the respect that is due her station."

"Believe me, captain, she shall find in me a gentleman."

The armed sailors of the man-of-war went about the work of trimming sail, while those belonging to the schooner were sent to the forecastle under guard. The government vessel steamed away to the northward, while the Chimba headed almost due south.

A little later Captain Suarez introduced his sister as Senorita Legaro to Lieutenant Godoy of the Chilean navy, and the day wore away most pleasantly, at least to the officer.

At midnight Isadel heard the lieutenant descend the cabin stairs, and, still wearing his side arms, throw himself upon a sofa to enjoy a little sleep.

Nearly an hour was allowed to slip by; then, cautiously lifting the heavy draperies which concealed the entrance to her room, Isadel peered into the dimly lighted cabin, and two stalwart forms glided quickly by her.

Without the slightest sound the sailors threw themselves upon the sleeper, and Lieutenant Godoy awoke to find himself a prisoner.

"Take him to my brother's room," whispered the brave girl.

The order was obeyed, and Isadel tremblingly awaited the result—not long, however, for in a little while her beloved brother stood before her attired in the uniform of the lieutenant.

The man at the wheel and the guard saluted the one whom they took to be their officer, but they were quickly undeceived by finding themselves covered with the revolvers in the hands of the two sailors.

"Surrender! Give up your arms, and you shall live," whispered the captain.

The Chileans did not hesitate, but quickly relinquished their weapons.

"Now, remain where you are. Do not attempt to come forward, and remember if you move you shall be instantly shot!" And Carlos Suarez pointed toward one of the cabin windows, through which the bright barrel of a revolver glistened in the moonlight, but he did not tell his prisoners that it was a woman's hand that held it.

There were only two of the Chileans on deck, three having gone below to sleep.

They were easily overcome, and then the captain of the schooner released his own crew, and shortly all his former captors were his prisoners. When they had been disarmed and manacled, the course of the little vessel was changed and before a strong breeze it was flying away toward Iquique.

As morning broke land was in sight, and shortly after 8 o'clock the brother and sister, again standing together on deck, saw another steamer approaching. This time the stranger came from the mouth of the harbor.

Captain Suarez set his signals, and the newcomer, not stopping to ask questions, when near enough threw a line to the little craft and with her astern proudly sailed into port.

"Oh, how can I ever again face my countrymen?" groaned Lieutenant Godoy.

"You are with your countrymen now, senor," replied Isadel. "You have been misguided and mistaken. Join forces with us and help to place Chile where she belongs—among the first nations of the world."

"No, no!" he replied. "I may, as you say, have been misguided, but I cannot prove a traitor."

"I honor you for those words, senor," interposed Captain Suarez. "The fortunes of war have placed you in our hands, where you must remain until the close of hostilities."

So he did remain, but after a few weeks his captivity did not seem irksome, for the lieutenant had learned to love his fair jailer.—Boston Globe.

Another Vassar Association.

The formation of a Vassar Alumnæ Historical association is announced, and an invitation to join has been sent to every alumna and former student who has taken one or more elective courses in history at Vassar college. The association has a threefold object—to strengthen the educational bond of union between the alumnæ and their alma mater, to stimulate by reunion and communication an interest in historical work in whatever direction each member may have opportunity and to increase the number of works on history in the Vassar college library. The annual meetings are to be held at the college on the Saturday nearest Washington's birthday.

The Dominion.

The Dominion of Canada came into existence on July 1, 1667. The province of Canada was divided into upper and lower Canada, which divisions are known now as Ontario and Quebec respectively. It was subsequently augmented by the province of Manitoba and the Northwest Territories in 1870, by British Columbia in 1871, and Prince Edward island in 1873, and now includes the whole of British North America.

PEOPLE OF THE DAY.

The president's private secretary is not the man, as is popularly supposed, who looks over the mail of the chief executive and writes his letters. He is the individual who stands between the president and the army of men who are seeking a small number of consulates, postmasterships and other offices. He persuades the men whom the president does not want to see to call again in about four years, and he lets in those who must not be barred out. The man who



PERRY S. HEATH.

will probably be named to undertake these delicate duties for Mr. McKinley is Perry S. Heath, a newspaper man of long experience, who has been a Washington correspondent for so long that he knows every public man in the country and is familiar with all the ins and outs of the national capital. Mr. Heath distinguished himself by his work in managing the literary bureau of the Republican national committee in the recent presidential campaign and earned the lasting gratitude of the G. O. P. leaders.

A Great Lawyer.

Joseph Hodges Choate, whose friends are booming him for the United States senate, stands today at the head of the legal profession in New York city and is Chauncey M. Depew's most formidable rival as an after dinner speaker. But his claim to oratorical fame does not rest solely on postprandial eloquence. As a leader at the bar he has won renown in a dozen of the greatest causes known



JOSEPH H. CHOATE.

to modern American legal history. He was the leading counsel in the Tweed ring prosecution, in the investigation of the validity of the dismissal of General Fitz John Porter from the army, in the contest over the Vanderbilt millions, in the Chinese exclusion case, in the Pacific railway suit and more recently in the income tax case.

Whenever it is known that he is to appear in court, he has a big audience of brother lawyers, who gather to enjoy his sharp satire, quick repartee and display of profound legal lore, combined with remarkable resource. Mr. Choate is a New Englander by birth, but has been in New York since 1856. He is 64 years old, but looks at least ten years younger.

Maceo's Successor.

General Rios Rivera, who succeeds the late General Maceo in command of the Cuban forces in Pinar del Rio, is a veteran of the former war and a most capable soldier. He is a pure blooded white man and was born in Puerto Rico about 1847. He was sent to Spain to complete his education and was studying law in Barcelona when the former



GENERAL RIVERA.

Cuban revolt broke out. He lost no time in sailing to Cuba, where he enrolled under the standard of the insurgents and fought bravely all through the ten years' revolt. As the private secretary of that gallant old campaigner, General Calixto Garcia, he received an excellent military training. At the end of the struggle he accompanied General Maceo abroad, and it was to the latter that he went last fall when he again took up arms in the cause of liberty.

Incentive.

She—How do you account for the fact that a woman learns typewriting so much easier than a man?

He—Oh, she has so much more in prospect.—Indianapolis Journal.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR.

Topic For the Week Beginning Jan. 3. Comment by Rev. S. H. Doyle.

TOPIC.—What prayer should do for the Christian.—I Kings viii, 22-40. (A meeting of preparation for the week of prayer.)

The illustration of prayer placed before us in our topical reference is an inspiring one. It is a part of Solomon's prayer at the dedication of his temple. The occasion is inspiring. The royal character of him who offered the prayer is inspiring. So also is God's attitude toward it. God answered it. This is proof that it was a true prayer and may be used therefore to guide us in our meditation upon the subject what prayer should do for the Christian, or, better perhaps, what prayer actually does do for the Christian. The benefits of prayer to the Christian are innumerable. If they were better understood and appreciated, there would be more praying on the part of Christian people. The importance of prayer cannot be overestimated. Prayer moves the arm of God. The arm of God moves the world. What possibilities, therefore, in effectual, fervent prayer! What the church needs today is more praying. Not simply a week of prayer, but a constant union with God in prayer, every week of the year a week of prayer.

1. Prayer should bring the Christian closer to God. Prayer is communion with God. It is conversation with Him, as friend talks to friend, child with parent.

2. Prayer should inspire us with a burning desire to be more like God. Communions with God cannot but awaken admiration for God. This admiration should lead to imitation. The more we have to do with one who is kind and true and noble and loving the more we admire him and desire to be like him. Prayer brings us close to God. The eyes of faith are opened. We see Him as we never see Him at any other time. To see God should give us but one desire—the desire to be like God.

3. Prayer should increase and strengthen all Christian graces. It should increase our faith. When doubting, we should pray, "Lord I believe; help Thou my unbelief." It should increase our love for God. When sick, we pray, and He heals and comforts us. When in temptation, we pray, and He delivers us. Our gratitude for these blessings should increase our love and not only it, but also our zeal in the cause of God. We should prove our faith and love by our works.

God does answer prayer. God does bless us in prayer. He comes close to us as we draw close to Him and gives us sweet assurances of His love and His goodness. Let us spend much time alone with God in prayer.

Bible Readings.—II Chron. vii, 1-16; Ps. iv, 1; v, 1-3; xvii, 1-8; xxxix, 12, 13; lxv, 1, 2; lxxii, 12-15; cix, 1-4; Math. xxi, 22; Mark ix, 14-29; Luke vi, 12; Acts vi, 1-4; Phil. iv, 6; Jas. v, 13-16; I Pet. iv, 7; I John v, 14-16.

Divine Religion.

Muller, the famous German historian, made the following remarkable confession to a friend: "How shall I describe to you what I found in the New Testament? I had not read it for many years, and was prejudiced against it before I took it in hand. The light which struck Paul with blindness on his way to Damascus was not more strange, more surprising to him than it was to me when I suddenly discovered the fulfillment of all hopes, the highest perfection of philosophy, the explanation of all revelations, the key to all the seeming contradictions of the physical and moral world. I saw religion appear at the moment most favorable to its appearance, and in a manner most adapted to its acceptance.

"The whole world seemed to be ordered for the sole purpose of furthering the religion of the Redeemer, and if this religion is not divine I understand nothing at all. I have read no books on the subject, but in all my studies of the ancient times I have always felt the want of something, and it was not till I knew our Lord that all was clear to me. With Him there is nothing I am not able to solve."

These thoughtful words are commended to those who make light of the Bible and who despise Christianity. The wisest men of today honor the blessed book and its religion. They have found that God and the gospel are keys to unlock the mysteries of the universe. No man is wise who scoffs at religion. —Golden Rule.

A Religious Life at Home.

Dews and showers and sunlight accomplish in the natural world what the grace of God does in the religious life of the family and home. It is a great blessing in favor of a child when the Lord plants it in the bosom of a pious household. A religious family is a blessing to itself and all its members, and its reflex influence reaches far abroad. The world and the church are benefited when the power of the Christian religion rules in the home life of the family.—Reformed Church Messenger.

Finds It Easier.

Times are so hard that some men out of employment find it easier to bear the expense of a $3 drunk than to pay a $1 grocer's bill.—Religious Telescope.

Christian Endeavor Notes.

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YOUTHS' DEPARTMENT.

Little Jennie and Her Beautiful Doll—In the City of Wasps—Why the Man Lives In the Moon.

Little Jennie lived in a home situated on a big plantation in the south that was covered with debts and mortgages, which is a form of poverty that is very bitter. She was 2½ years old before she owned a doll. There were exquisite images of bisque and stone on the mantles, but they were too costly to be trusted to her uncertain fingers. So she could only wistfully look at them as mamma rocked her to sleep before the bright wood fire, or told her fascinating stories of Little Jack Horner and Miss Muffet and about the pea that fell on foolish Henny Penny's head, and the stubborn pig that would not get over the stile until the dog began to bite it. Knowing this much about little Jennie, you will be interested to read the following account of her first doll, as told in The Times-Democrat:

One day mamma concluded that she would try to evolve a doll out of rags for her sweet baby. So she made the good little nurse, who was called Big Jennie, take her way down in the long drive, where the fallen hickory nuts lay thickest under the rustling brown leaves. While they gathered them mamma cut and stitched until she wrought a thing of shape and beauty. Its nose was embroidered with white, its lips with scarlet thread. Two flashing blue beads formed its eyes, and the lashes and brows were beautifully outlined with black floss. Sure enough hair, cut from somebody's dear head, was so strongly and skillfully sewed on dolly's head that it could be really combed and brushed. Shoes and stockings, neat and pretty undergarments, a blue calico dress and white apron were the finishing touches to this love gift for baby when she came in, rosy cheeked, bright eyed and with moist ringlets clinging to her fair temples. Mamma held up for her surprise and delight the doll on which she had expended her loving art. Ah, money could not buy the pure happiness of either of them then. Baby clasped the precious treasure to her breast in ecstasy. It was some time before she could divert her attention from the perfect whole to examine each detail. Oh, bliss unspeakable! Every article of clothing could be unbuttoned and taken off and washed and ironed.

A Russian Fable.

A fire lay smoldering in a wood. As it felt that its end was approaching it thus addressed the wood:

"Give me a little room and some of your useless branches, then in winter time, when everything is covered with snow, I shall be able to warm you. Everybody knows that I am the sun's brother. In the hothouses I do great wonders, and I am willing to serve you, too, if you will let me."

This offer seemed honest and straightforward enough; so the fire was given room and a copious supply of dead branches on which to feed its dying energies.

Presently sparks fly out, the wood begins to burn gently and then to roar with violence. A great flame is kindled, which soars upward and catches the trees around. These in turn set fire to others, and soon the fine wood is in a blaze. The next day, when the weary traveler passes that way, instead of finding shelter from the heat, nothing meets his gaze but a few blackened stumps.

Moral.—Fire and water are good servants, but bad masters, and as such they require keeping under.

In the City of Wasps.

The wasp in black and yellow jacket is much too busy to pay any attention to you unless you interfere with her or her nest. Then she will fight with all her might against foes hundreds of times bigger than herself. Her nest is like a busy little city, each tiny citizen doing her share of the work. There is only one queen, or mother wasp, who lays all the eggs. All the others are her children. Some distribute the food and take care of the young grubs when they are hatched from the eggs. Others are sent out to collect food or bundles of wood fibers to build with. Some are builders, and, after making the nest, enlarge it from time to time with a kind of paper they make with the wood. Sometimes a wasp is placed as a sentry to give the alarm in case an enemy comes near. If the alarm is given, the others rush to the defense, and usually the enemy has abundant reason to be sorry for his rashness, for the wasp is a fierce fighter.

Why the Man Lives In the Moon.

The man who now lives in the moon
Once thought it would be a great boon
If he found a new way
(Though he'd no wish to stay)
To that wonderful planet the moon.

For the purpose he built a balloon,
With a toolroom and handsome saloon,
Then fled from this world
And his knowledge unfurled
Of that beautiful planet the moon.

When he got there, it was not quite noon,
And he hoped to go home again soon,
But the sin of presumption
Shows great lack of gumption,
And, alas, for the sage in the moon!

He was told he must now change his tune,
For volcanoes had burnt the balloon.
So he had to stay there
To wander and stare
And has ever since lived in the moon.

☞Physicians universally recommend Ayer's Hygienic Coffee. Grocers sell it.

Put Dynamite In Stove.

Reading, Pa., Dec. 31.—Two women were killed by an explosion of dynamite in the house of Elias Becker, ex-sheriff of this county, at Tuckerton, last night. They were his wife, aged 54 years, and her stepdaughter, Mrs. William Seidel, aged 30. Both were terribly mangled. The house caught fire and was destroyed. Decker is a quarry owner, and had several sticks of dynamite which were to be used for blasting. He placed them in the kitchen stove to thaw them out and then left the house. A few minutes later the explosion occurred.

Dynamiter Ivory's Predicament.

New York, Dec. 31.—William Lyman, president of Irish National Alliance, has received a lengthy letter, purporting to come from Charles Russell, of the firm of Russell & Dey, solicitors for Ivory, the alleged dynamiter now in prison in England, and setting forth that in the opinion of counsel, Messrs. Carson & Taylor, and in their opinion, it would be better for the accused to plead guilty, as he would undoubtedly be convicted when his sentence would be heavier.

Newark's Plight.

New York, Dec. 31.—Newark's plight, caused by the burning of the dynamo house of the Newark Electric Light, Heat and Power company's plant, was somewhat relieved last night, when, by connecting with small plants in the city, some of the principal streets were lighted. No attempt has been made to light the incandescent lamps, and none will be for a few days. The loss by the fire is now estimated at $135,000. It is fully covered by insurance.

Quarreled Over Child.

Holdredge, Neb., Dec. 31.—Mrs. D. M. Conrad, a teacher in the public school here, was shot by her husband yesterday morning. After shooting his wife twice Conrad turned the revolver on his own head. The rouble arose over their little boy, whom Mrs. Conrad wished to take to Fremont on a visit, and Conrad wanted to keep him here. Conrad's wounds are not considered fatal, but Mrs. Conrad is not expected to live.

Six Counterfeiters Caught.

New York, Dec. 31.—Six counterfeiters were arrested here yesterday while at work making spurious coin. Among them were William Warren, aged 57, a noted maker of bad money, and Martin Leonard, aged 75, who was released from prison in Buffalo about a month ago. Leonard has spent more than 20 years of his life in prison.

Another Cut at Lynn.

Lynn, Mass., Dec. 31.—A cutdown of 10 per cent was made yesterday in the Baker & Clayton shoe factory. Mr. Baker of the firm was the Republican candidate for mayor at the last election, and was defeated.

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SATURDAY, JAN. 2, 1897.

	This Week.	Last Week
Sunday	19	29
Monday	27	32
Tuesday	40	26
Wednesday	43	32
Thursday	45	17
Friday	35	17
Saturday	—	35

THE LOVE FEAST.

Council of 1896 Meet Around Festive Board at Greenleaf.

The City Council of 1896 proceeded directly to The Greenleaf last night upon adjournment and were soon seated in the dining room of this first class hostelry Mayor Adams and Clerk Spear were the only guests. As one of the Councilmen expressed it, a mighty good supper was served, the menu being:

Blue Points on the half shell
Consomme Anglaise
Fried Smelts. Tartar sauce.
Olives. Mixed pickles.
Escolloped oysters.
Roast beef, dish gravy
Roast Vermont turkey, cranberry sauce.
Mashed potatoes
Sweet corn
Green peas.
Lobster Salad.
Spaghetti, Italian.
Orange Meringue.
Apple pie. Peach pie.
Vanilla ice cream.
Cake.
Tea. Coffee.
Cheese, Fruit. Bent's crackers.

The time was short for post prandial exercises, and they were brief. Councilman Anderson was toastmaster and remarks were made by President Bryant, Mayor Adams and Councilman Moxon, while Councilman Geary read a poem.

NEW COUNTY SEAL.

The One Abandoned Had Been in Use Over 100 Years.

The Norfolk County Commissioners at a meeting held yesterday adopted a new official seal, which is 2½ inches in diameter, and exceedingly artistic. In a ring of the seal are five ovals, the centre one giving a view of the dome of the new Dedham court house. The upper one, which represents "antiquity," gives a view of the old Fairbanks house at Dedham, the oldest building in Norfolk county, and which was erected in 1636. The oval at the left of the dome of the court house represents "History." It gives a view of the Blue Hills in the background, with Houghton's pond in Milton in the foreground, with a Ponkapoag Indian in a canoe. The oval at the right of the dome represents "Perseverance," and gives a cut of a factory. The lower oval represents "Industry," and shows a farm, a farmhouse and a farmer ploughing. In the outer circle of the seal appear the words "Siggillum, County of Norfolk," at the top and at the bottom the words, "In corporated from Suffolkin 1793" This is the first change made in the seal for over 100 years.

Moody Meetings.

Beginning Monday Evangelist D. L. Moody will preach in Tremont Temple daily at 10.30 and 3.30. Admittance will be by ticket, which can be secured by applying at Room No. 6, Tremont Temple, or Secretary Colton of the Y. M. C. A. will secure them gratis if application is made two days in advance.

Civil Trial List.

The following civil cases are marked for trial at the District Court next Tuesday.

4777—Salisbury vs. Maynard.
4804—Maloney vs. Downs.

TODAY'S COURT.

The case of William Walker for drunkenness at Quincy was placed on file.

Fred Doe was arraigned for breaking and entering the residence of Philander A. Gay at Wollaston and was held in $500 for the grand jury.

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THE CLOSING NIGHT.

The City Council of 1896 Adjourns Sine Die.

Street Railway Granted Double Track Location but Must Pave Street.

The Amendments to the Fire Department Ordinance Defeated.

The last meeting of the City Council of 1896 was held Friday evening, and transacted what little business there was in the presence of a large number of spectators, among whom were Councilmen-elect McGrath, Swithin, Johnson and Nash.

The absent members were Councilmen Cleaves, Rice, Russell and Sprague.

Communications

Commissioner Knowlton forwarded a communication requesting the transfer of $275 from the appropriation for street lights to repairs of public buildings. Laid on the table until later in the evening, when Councilman Claflin offered an order for the transfer, which was adopted.

A communication was received from John M. Berry of Worcester requesting the endorsement of the Council to a bill which he had introduced into the next legislature, providing for a one cent fare on all street railways, and a five cent fare on steam railroads. Referred to the next Council.

Fire Department Ordinance

The committee on Finance reported ought to pass, on order amending the Fire department ordinance.

Councilman Little wanted some legal advice as to whether it required a majority or two-thirds vote to pass the order.

President Bryant replied that the opinion of the City Solicitor was that a majority vote would pass the order.



H. S. BARKER.

Councilman Pinkham said he did not agree with report. He thought it would be better to get a new fire station and a new steamer, and that the $3000 would not be judicious if used in this manner.

Councilman Claflin said the committee was generally of the opinion that this was a temporary measure but it afforded protection until a station was built. At best a station would not be built until late next year and it was better to spend this money as it would be no loss.

Councilman Badger said he had done fire duty and when anyone told him that six men was enough to handle the Chemical he did not believe it.

Councilman Anderson thought this temporary expenditure was not exactly what was wanted. The next Council should take it in hand and build a fire station.

Councilman Lamb said the argument for a station was all right but the other sections would be left as bad as now. He thought it wise to have permanent and call men. He hoped order would pass.



THOMAS J. LAMB.

Councilman Moxon was opposed to a temporary make shift. In Ward Six that morning but six out of the ten call men turned out to a fire. He then reviewed the history of the matter from the time the Chief Engineer asked for a new fire station The way to do this matter is to begin at the beginning and give the chief a station. This order meant an increase of 25 per cent in cost of maintenance and reduces the number of men. It was not business.

Councilman Little thought four men a small number, but believed the Chief knew his business.

Councilman Nickerson hoped order would pass. It was none the less valuable because it was temporary. He had rather have one permanent man than four call men. If any ward does not want it, leave them out, but give it to the wards that do want it. He moved that the question be divided and each ward be taken up separately. Voted.

Councilman Sidelinger doubted the vote but it was passed by a vote of 10 to 8.

Councilman Moxon was sorry to see that vote. When you begin tinkering with this matter you begin to destroy your department.

Councilman Nickerson thought this a weak argument.

Councilman Phillips thought this a matter to increase the department without making it more efficient.

Councilman Claflin said the trouble with large bodies was in getting measures through that were worthy. If the chief is competent it is the best thing to do.



R. F. CLAFLIN.

President Bryant called Anderson to the chair and taking the floor said he hoped the order would go through. This was not a temporary makeshift but a permanent improvement. When the Council build a new station these men will be transferred to it. It was nonsense for twenty-three men to set themselves up for Chief Engineer and tell us how it should be done. Half of them never saw a good fire. The opposition comes from the fact that it takes away certain call men who get a certain compensation per year and some of the members of the council had rather see their friends get this compensation than have permanent men. There was no question but what the city will have to buy horses some time. We are way behind the times. We spend less money in proportion to our valuation than any city or town of our size.

Councilman Badger said none of the firemen had been to him in relation to the order. He was not opposed to permanent men, but was opposed to cutting down the number of call men.

Councilman Moxon. This is not the advice of the Chief. He would be glad to vote for permanent men but not to reducing call men. He did not like the insinuation that influence had been used.

Councilman Bryant denied making any insinuation and said he was always misquoted especially by the member from Ward Six (Moxon.)

Councilman Pinkham did not think it fair for the President to charge those who differed with him as he did.



ISAAC M. HOLT.

The first amendment was then taken up. This was in relation to Chemical 2.

Councilman Badger moved that eight men be substituted for six men.

Councilman Moxon did not understand how we could treat this order in this way. He did not believe it was capable of such division.

President Anderson ruled that the question was in order.

The amendment of Councilman Badger was lost and the question in relation to Chemical 2 was defeated by the following vote:

YEAS,—Bryant, Claflin, Field, Geary, Lamb, Little, Murray, Nickerson, Rideout —9.

NAYS,—Badger, Barker, Hayden, Holt, Moxon, Parker, Phillips, Pinkham, Sidelinger-9.

Upon motion of Councilman Bryant the balance of the order was referred to the next Council by a vote of 9 to 8.

Double Track Order.

The order granting the Quincy & Boston street railway a location for a second track from School street to the Boston line came up in its final stage, one of the restrictions requiring the paving of the whole street between School and Granite streets.

Councilman Anderson asked if the vote inserting the restriction could be reconsidered, but it was not in order.

Councilman Phillips understood the order was illegal in its present form, and that the city could not compel the company to pave the whole street.

Councilman Claflin moved to resind vote for paving.

Councilman Phillips asked the Solicitor as to the legality of the restriction.

Solicitor Blackmur wanted time before giving an opinion.

Councilman Moxon moved an amendment to strike out the restriction which was accepted by Councilman Claflin.

Councilman Pinkham moved to refer to the next City Council, and spoke in favor thereof. He believed city should have some recompensation for expenditures occasioned by street railway.

Councilman Little opposed. Mayor could veto order if not legal.

President Bryant thought company would not accept if illegal.

Councilman Lamb opposed recommitting. Three months were required to get ready to rebuild.

Councilman Field thought it possible the company might get its location and that then the city could not compel paving. He was opposed to a double track between School and Granite streets, but the other part should be rebuilt.

It was voted not to refer to the next Council, and the question came on striking out the paving restriction.

Councilman Geary opposed.

The vote was 6 to 9, and the amendment was lost.

Upon roll call the order granting the location with restrictions was then passed by a vote of 13 to 5, viz:

YEAS, — Anderson, Badger, Barker, Claflin, Geary, Hayden, Holt, Lamb, Little, Murray, Nickerson, Phillips and Rideout—13.

NAYS,—Field, Moxon, Parker, Pinkham, and Sidelinger—5

Claim Paid.

Councilman Claflin offered an order for the payment of $217.55, the verdict and cost in the case of Dolan vs. the City of Quincy, from any unexpended balance. Voted.

A transfer of $13.50 was made to the appropriation for State and Military aid.



EDGAR F. HAYDEN.

Officials Remembered

Votes of thanks were then extended to the officers of the Council, first to Christopher A. Spear, the clerk of Council and clerk of Committees, upon motion of Councilman Lamb; then on motion of Councilman Claflin to President Bryant and City Messenger Tirrell.

President Bryant spoke briefly in reply.

Upon motion of Councilman Anderson it was voted that the Council as a whole escort President Bryant to The Greenleaf.

It was then 9 20 and the Council of 1896 adjourned sin die.

—The three "days of grace," which has been allowed on notes in Massachusetts was abolished by the last legislature. The act went into effect on the first day of January, 1897.

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CITY —OF— QUINCY.

IN COUNCIL, Dec. 21, 1896.

ORDERED: That Ordinance No. 25, An Ordinance Establishing a Police Department for the City of Quincy, be amended as follows: by striking out the word "eight" in the second line of Section 1 of the printed ordinances of the City of Quincy, revised to Jan. 1st, 189-, and inserting in place thereof the word "nine" so that said Section 1 shall read, "A Police Department is hereby established which shall consist of a Chief of Police and nine patrolmen, and no person shall be appointed a member of the police department who does not sustain a good moral character, and, except the Chief, who is not a citizen of Quincy."

Passed to be ordained Dec. 28, 1896.

Attest: CHRISTOPHER A. SPEAR, Clerk of Council.

Approved Dec. 30th, 1896.

C. F. ADAMS, 2d, Mayor.

A true copy, Attest:

HARRISON A. KEITH, City Clerk.

Jan. 1.—2t Jan. 2.—2w

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CITY CLERK'S OFFICE, Dec. 14, 18

THE Record of births in any city or t is always more or less unsatisfact owing to the fact that the canvasser fin difficulty in getting the necessary ,informa tion. Names and dates are frequently given incorrectly. The importance of accuracy is shown in many cases where there is a question of descent, or inheritance of property, or collection of life insurance or pensions. The City Clerk's copy of the record is accepted as conclusive evidence in a court of law. While great pains are taken by this office to have the record correct, experience shows that it is necessary that parents themselves should lend their assistance. In the law requires that parents shall notice to the City Clerk of the birth of children, and provides a penalty for ne to give such notice for the space o months.

It often happens that only childre servants are at home when the canva makes his call, and the answers to his q tions are open to doubt. I therefore req all parents in whose households a birth occurred in the year 1896, to place upo paper or card the required information, a keep it in a convenient place until the ca vasser appears.

The canvass will be commenced on Jan. 1, 1897.

HARRISON A. KEITH, City Clerk.

Dec. 14 to Feb. 1. Dec. 19—7w

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QUINCY BREVITIES.

Notes from Quincy Point, Wollaston, Atlantic, South and West Quincy.

The snow don't seem to come.

The Woodward institute will reopen next Thursday.

Mrs. Geo. A. Bailey of Warren avenue, Wollaston, is ill with slow fever.

Mr. S. D. Ramsdell has so far recovered from his fall as to be able to sit up in his chair.

Communion will be observed at the Memorial church at Atlantic Sunday morning.

Rev. Mr. Preble being sick will be unable to commence his labors with the Universalist society tomorrow.

Next Tuesday the National Mount Wollaston Bank holds its annual meeting to elect officers and the transaction of other business.

A reception, entertainment and dance will be the features at the annual High school reunion Jan. 15. The tickets also include refreshments.

The W. C. T. Union of Quincy will hold their annual meeting Thursday, January 7th at 3 P. M., at 92 Washington street with Mrs. Charles A. Spear.

Under the usual head today will be found the marriage of a grand-daughter of Mr. Joseph G. Brackett of this city. Miss Brackett married a son of Rev. Mr. Abbott who formerly preached in Quincy.

Rev. Ira E. Price was presented with an oak writing desk Christmas night from his people. He says it is just like the people of Atlantic, and that he has never been treated so kindly in any place as he has been in his present pastorate.

A smart old soldier in this city went to Boston on New Year's day to buy his wife a present. He is eighty-two years old, and what do you think he bought? His wife being very smart in needle work, he purchased some pretty embroidery patterns at one of the large dry goods stores.

Bowling League Games.

The Quincys were defeated by the Shermans in the bottle pin league games last night by 227 pins, the totals being, Sherman, 2380; Quincy, 2153.

The full score was as follows:

SHERMAN.				
Jackson,	154	143	171	468
O. Norton,	149	138	167	454
Andrews,	177	164	143	484
McFarland,	180	139	151	470
Bowers,	167	147	191	505
	827	730	823	2380
QUINCY.				
Peverley,	148	190	138	476
Lennon,	181	163	127	471
Wheeler,	127	129	149	405
Ross,	109	128	143	380
Fratus,	111	154	156	421
	676	764	713	2153

Other winners were Carruths, Murray & Irwin, Shawmut and Meyers. This places the Carruths in the first place.

The Handsomest Yet.

The most beautiful calendar for 1897 comes from Boston. It is eleven by fifteen inches and contains reproductions from cabinet size photographs of Mary Hampton, May Irwin and Maud Adams, the popular actresses. Its popular colors are enamel blue and brown enriched by gold, elaborately embossed, producing an elegant and artistic creation. One of these calendars will be sent to any address if you mention this paper, and send ten cents in coin or stamps covering cost of packing and postage to the publishers. The NAZALIA COMPANY, 3 Beacon street, Boston, Mass.

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New Year's Party.

Some friends of Miss Geneive White assembled at her spacious home on Copeland street on Thursday evening to watch the old year out.

A fine musical programme was carried out. The vocal selections of Miss Mary Francis White were, as usual, excellent.

Whist was kept up until twelve. Miss Burke captured lady's prize and Mr. Paul Foley the gentleman's.

Among those present were: Messrs. Daniel Reardon, David Ballow, William Welch, Paul E. Foley; Misses Clara Dalton, Winfred Dalton, Mamie Connor, Delia Burke, Mae McGilvrey, Mildred Welch.

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OUR NEW YORK LETTER.

Some Amusing Newspapers—The Skyscraper Craze Makes Fire Fighting Impossible—Other Dangers.

[Special Correspondence.]

The New York newspapers, especially those which consider themselves the leaders—and that classification, it might be added, includes nearly all of them—are wonderfully amusing. They are constantly doing things which would cause them to sneer were they done by the papers of some small city. A short time ago a very valuable franchise was granted to a fuel gas company under circumstances which most of our editors considered somewhat suspicious. Immediately there arose a howl and the whole affair was denounced as a colossal steal. Pictures were printed showing how close the city hall here is to the state prison at Sing Sing. Parallels were drawn between the present board of aldermen and the "boodle board" of 1884. Finally the resolution granting the franchise was recalled from the mayor, and then the startling fact was revealed that each newspaper of the city had been solely responsible for this action. Blatant editorial and local notices heralded these statements to the world, and in the press of business these tribunes of the times found the opportunity to advertise the journalistic achievement.

Needed Something to Kick About.

At about the same time that all this was going on the aquarium, which is the old Castle Garden, was opened. The place was not really ready, but those in charge forced matters a little and admitted the public. The place was closed Sunday, however, and again the jealous newspaper guardians of the rights of the poor workingman and his family set up their old stereotyped howl. It was such an outrage to close this educational exhibit on the only day when the poor could visit it, and a lot more in the same demagogic strain. Of course the papers knew, or might have known had they cared to take the pains to investigate the matter, that it was the intention of the department to open the aquarium every Sunday after the commencement of the new year. But they did not investigate. It would not have suited their purpose to have done so, and the screech went on merrily. The facts had to come out in the end, and again the modest crew proceeded to take the credit, each to himself, for having worked a mighty reform. In other words, they had brought about something which the only persons who have any authority in the matter had decided upon months before.

To Stop the Skyscraper Craze.

The board of trade and transportation has been investigating the dangers of the high building craze and will ask the legislature to limit the height of future skyscrapers. The testimony of several architects already taken favors the limitation of height to from 12 to 15 stories.

James R. Sheffield, president of the fire department, was a witness called by the committee recently. His testimony was against "skyscrapers." He said: "As Chief Bonner has already told you, it is almost impossible for us to fight fires successfully in buildings more than 125 feet high. Our best engines only throw a stream to that height. I believe that buildings higher than this are a menace to life and health as well as to other property.

"It is all well enough to talk about fireproof buildings, but there are no absolutely fireproof buildings, and experience has taught us that it is much harder than ordinary to fight fires in these so called fireproof buildings."

The Fifteen Story Limit.

Mr. Sheffield favored a limitation to 15 stories. He also suggested the passage of a law making it compulsory to make stairways wide and build them away from the elevator shafts. He also thought that the law should restrict the storing of any combustible or inflammable material in the upper stories of buildings more than six stories high.

Charles T. Wilson, president of the board of health, then gave his views on the subject, taking a health standpoint. "I find," said he, "that above a height of 70 feet the air in big cities is full of smoke and gas and necessarily unhealthy. Then it is difficult to get good water up to the higher floors of the big buildings, to say nothing of the dangers by fire and collapse."

Mr. Wilson then read a list of statistics taken from buildings in European cities. In many of the large cities on the other side buildings are not to exceed in height the width of the street on which they front, in most cases not more than 72 feet. In all cities the limit is under 100 feet.

Mr. Wilson, during his testimony, said that the sewerage condition in lower Broadway was far from perfect, and if many more skyscrapers are put up it will necessitate the construction of an entire new sewerage system in Broadway.

Calve's Dangerous Realism.

Calve in "Carmen" is at once the terror and admiration of the chorus girls at the Metropolitan. They rave over her voice in a manner characteristic of chorus girls, and they think her all that is beautiful and charming and magnetic, but they declare that the intense realism that makes her work so effective from the "front" is rather dangerous and uncomfortable at close range. Calve bites, scratches, even kicks and deals stinging blows to the right and left until her tormentors make way for her. It is even whispered that with Calve in the company a bottle of liniment is necessarily added to the collection of rouge and powder, cold cream and bits of grease paint that fill the average make up box. After the first act of the opera it is the regulation thing for the chorus girls to gather in their dressing rooms and compare bruises, while the mingled odors of arnica and witch hazel rise like incense on the air.

JOSEPH RUSSELL.

WOLLASTON BURGLAR.

He is Under Arrest and Tells a Queer Story.

Fred Doe, who it is alleged broke into the house of Phelander A. Gay, at Wollaston Thursday morning, was arrested at Montello Friday by Officers McKay and Connolly.

When arrested Doe said he went to Boston Wednesday afternoon and came out on the 9.30 train, but was put off at Wollaston where he met officer Connolly, to whom he told his name and address. The officer tried to get the conductor of the late train to take him home, but he refused, as he had no money. The officer, however, started him on his way home.

He had gone but a little way when a man came out of the yard and said the house was vacant. He was cold and wanted to go in as he thought he might find a stove. He did not remember how he got into the house and did not remember of being thumped by Mr. Gay, as he did not feel sore at all over it.

He did not remember being kicked out was a little mixed as to how he got back to Brockton.

Friday Club.

The New Year's session of this club was an unusually enjoyable one, as less time was occupied by a recital of bare details of the harassing subjects under study, and more time thus given to a general discussion of the causes and effects of this red page in the history of Russia.

The revolutionary movement, the Nihilists, Liberalists, Propagandists and Terrorists were the numbers on Friday's programme.

The meeting was held with Mrs. Saville, Greenleaf street, and Miss Randall was committee for the afternoon. A poem by T. B. Aldrich, never excelled in simple strength, yet involving a solemn question Russia's fate, that time alone can solve, was read by Miss Gurney.

The usual social tea followed, after which each guest received a book-mark made of colored, fragrant, sweet grasses, marked "January 1, 1896."

On the New Alleys.

The first match at candle pins with an out of town club was bowled at McDonald & Cray's new alleys at West Quincy on Thursday evening, when the home team, known as the Willards, defeated the Albanys of Boston. The Willards won every string, and the match by 120 pins.

The full score:

ALBANYS.				
O'Donnell,	72	81	83	71—367
Moylan,	59	62	69	61—251
Lyons,	73	63	70	78—284
Murray,	62	72	72	78—284
	266	278	294	288 1126
WILLARDS.				
Gallagher,	69	76	70	72—287
Crey,	82	85	77	78—322
Haverhan,	80	105	76	65—326
Bootan,	67	76	85	83—311
	298	342	308	298 1246

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BORN.

GORMAN—In Quincy, Jan. 2, John M., son of Mr. John and Mrs. Jane Gorman, aged 20 years.
WIGHT—In Quincy, December 18, a son to Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert M. Wight, of Quincy Neck.

MARRIED.

KIDDER—PRARIO—In Quincy, Dec. 31, by Rev. C. A. Parker, Mr. Clinton H. Kidder to Miss Delphine Prario, both of Quincy.
ABBOTT—BRACKETT—In San Francisco, Cal., Dec. 34, by Rev. Mr. Abbott, Mr. Granville D. Abbott to Miss Florence Gertrude Brackett, daughter of Mr. George Brackett, and grand-daughter of Mr. Joseph Brackett of Quincy.

DIED.

BRYAN—In West Quincy, January 1. Mrs. Ann Bryan, aged 53 years, 5 months and 9 days.
GOTT—In West Quincy, Jan. 2, Mr. Eben Gott, aged 91 years and 1 month.
ELLIS—In Quincy, Jan. 2, Mrs. Martha, widow of Francis C. Ellis, aged 82 years, 6 months and 15 days.

Mortgagee's Sale of Real Estate.

BY Virtue of a power of sale contained in certain mortgage deed given by Robert B. Courtney to Caroline S. Furnald, dated September 19, 1887, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, libro 596, folio 49, duly assigned by said Furnald to George Monk and duly assigned by said Monk to the undersigned, for breach of the condition of said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing same, will be sold at public auction on the premises, on MONDAY, the twenty-fifth day of January 1897, at three o'clock P. M., all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage and therein described as follows, to wit:

"A certain lot of land containing one-fourth acre of land, more or less, together with all the buildings thereon, situated on the easterly side of Marsh street in said Quincy, and being bounded and described as follows, viz.: Commencing on Marsh street and being bounded about northerly on land of John Brooks; thence turning and bounding easterly on the line of the Old Colony Railroad, to land of Jonathan Tanner; thence bounded about southerly on the land of said Jonathan Tanner; and thence bounding about westerly on Marsh street to the point of beginning, as the fences now stand." Being the same premises conveyed to said Robert B. Courtney by Lewis Bass, Executor of the will of Mary Gallagher, by deed dated September 12, 1887.

Said premises will be sold subject to any unpaid taxes and assessments. One hundred dollars of the purchase money to be paid in cash at the sale, the balance within ten days thereafter. Further terms at sale.

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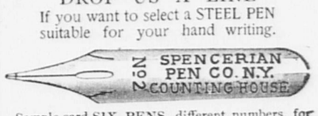
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ADMIRAL J. S. SKERRETT

Long and Honorable Career In Country's Service Ended by Death.

Brilliant New Year's Reception at White House.

Foreign Diplomates Pay Respects to Secretary of State Olney.

Washington, Jan. 2.—Rear Admiral Joseph S. Skerrett died here yesterday. His death, while sudden, was not wholly unexpected, as he had been in bad health since his retirement from active service in July, 1894. The admiral was in his 64th year, and is survived by a widow, three daughters and two sons. The funeral will take place Sunday afternoon, and the interment will be in Arlington.



REAR ADMIRAL SKERRETT.

Admiral Skerrett had a long and honorable career in the service of his country. A native of Ohio, he entered the navy as midshipman in October, 1842, passed through the various grades, became a lieutenant in 1855, a lieutenant commander in 1862, and was stationed at the Washington navy yard the following year, after which he served creditably during the civil war on the Shenandoah and the gunboat Katahdin. He commanded the gunboat Aroostook from 1864 to 1865, and was actively engaged with the Confederate fortifications at the mouth of the Brazos river, Texas, in June, 1864.

Subsequently he spent three years surveying on the Pacific ocean, had command of an expedition to Panama and another to Apia, Samoa, to settle local troubles with the United States consul; was governor for two years of the naval asylum at Philadelphia, later was in command of the naval forces on the Pacific station, and was at Honolulu during the exciting times following the revolution.

It is said that because of his suspected sympathy with the annexation party he was summarily detached from the command of the station and transferred to the Asiatic station, where he rendered valuable services in connection with the troubles in Corea, leading up to the Chinese-Japanese war. While on the Asiatic station he reached the retiring age in July, 1894, and was ordered home.

"DE GREATEST SENCE DE WAH."

Magnificent New Year's Reception at the White House.

Washington, Jan. 2.—Seven thousand persons shivered outside the White House yesterday for periods varying from one to six hours.

But patience had its reward in every case, for the president and Mrs. Cleveland shook hands with every one of them.

The closing New Year reception of the present administration was the most brilliant of Mr. Cleveland's whole eight years in office, and old Arthur Simmons, the president's famous messenger, whose service in the White House dates back 30 years, shook his head sagely as he viewed the far reaching crowd from an upper window and declared it "De greatest inception sence de wah."

The cold gray sky that threatened rain which did not fall served merely as a foil to the brilliant pageant that moved for hours through the forest of tropic plants that filled the softly lighted parlors inside the executive mansion.

The diplomatic corps, as usual, furnished the high lights in the picture. Foreign uniforms and decorations of every sort, from the white and silver of the German military attaches to the green and crimson silks of the Chinese minister, almost served to pale the Paris gowns of the receiving party and of the official guests behind the line. Only a shade more subdued were the uniforms of the army and navy, a study in blue and gold, accentuated by the yellow plumes of the cavalry and the scarlet facings of the artillery. As a background for this display was set the dead black of the evening dress of the South American diplomats, worn in accordance with their own social law in such matters, and the sober morning costumes of the civil officials.

The center of the picture was Mrs. Cleveland, the most simply gowned of the receiving party. Her dress of pale mauve had a high ruching of smoke gray lace at the throat and at the wrists. It was caught with butterfly bows of the same on the shoulders and on the plain, smooth hanging skirt. Her hair was coiled high at the back, and brought in full waves from her forehead over her temples. She was slightly flushed by the rapid exercise of handshaking, but smiled as cheerfully and shook hands as vigorously with the last of her 7000 callers as she had with the first.

Received Diplomatic Corps.

Washington, Jan. 2.—The secretary of state and Mrs. Olney entertained the diplomatic corps at breakfast at 12 o'clock at their residence, 1640 Rhode Island avenue. The drawing rooms and the breakfast room were artistically decorated with masses of American beauty roses and maidenhair fern. There were about 150 guests present, including the British ambassador and Lady Pauncefote, the Italian ambassador and Baroness de Fava, the German ambassador, and Baroness Von Thielmann, and the ministers, the ladies and subordinate members of the legations of the other 25 governments represented at the capital, and also the officials of the department of state and their ladies. At 2:30 o'clock Mrs. Olney began her public reception, assisted by a number of her invited guests. The families of the other cabinet ministers also held receptios.

WORK OF SALVATIONISTS.

Army Plans to Convert Fifty Thousand Sinners the Present Year.

New York, Jan. 2.—The World says: The Salvation Army has planned for 1897 the most active and aggressive campaign in its American history, reaching a climax in a remarkable series of demonstrations under the personal direction of General William Booth, founder of the movement. The aged leader will make what will probably be his last visit to this country in the fall.

Concerning the work for the new year, Commander Booth-Tucker said: "We are determined to make 50,000 conversions. This may seem a large number, but during the last eight months of 1896 we actually recorded more than 32,000, which was at the rate of 50,000 a year. With our new plans in operation, we think our number for 1897 will easily be reached. Our officers regularly employed in the work have increased during the past nine months from 2049 to 2153. We intend to add at least 500 to this number, and are already receiving applications at the rate of about 120 a month. The bicycle brigade will number 1000 men and women.

"I hope to start the following new institutions: Shelters for 2000 men and 1000 women, food depots for 5000 daily cheap meals, rescue homes for 300 fallen women, prison gate farms for 300 released convicts, wood yards and salvage brigades for employing 500 men, five Salvation Army hospital nursing brigades and farm colonies for the poor wherever possible."

Ballington Booth is encouraged by the success of his volunteer movement. Four regiments have been formed in New York, Philadelphia, Chicago and San Francisco. Posts have been established in several hundred places.

Commander Booth declines to discuss the probabilities of the father's forthcoming visit, and Commander Booth-Tucker will speak only of Salvation Army work.

CRIMSONS CHAMPIONS.

Southard and Ryder Win the Chess Tournament For Harvard.

New York, Jan. 2.—Harvard won for the third time, receiving the intercollegiate championship yesterday, as her total of eight wins cannot be reached by any of her competitors.

With the exception of A. W. Parker, all the contestants in the intercollegiate tournament which has been in progress in this city since Monday appeared yesterday in order to contest the fifth round. Parker is reported to be sick, and his brother, G. Parker, took his place.

The pairing was as follows: Murdoch (Y.) vs. Parker (C.), Ryder (H.) vs. Young (P.), Lehlbach (Y.) vs. Price (C.), Southard (H.) vs. Seymour (P.).

Details of play follow:

Parker did not defend his adversary's Ponziani in the best style, as he lost a pawn. Later on, however, the substitute played rather vigorously, and managed to win the exchange, with good prospects to win. In this he succeeded in the evening sitting after 39 moves.

A very interesting game, a French defense adopted by Young against Ryder, was played on the second board, Young winning after 40 moves.

Lehlbach was altogether outplayed by Price in a Ruy Lopez, and he resigned after 41 moves.

Southard caught Seymour in a neatly laid trap, whereby the Princetonian had to lose a rook. It was a Ruy Lopez, to which Seymour adopted the 3—P—Qr 3 defense. Of course, after this mishap Southard simply walked in, winning after 34 moves.

Following is the record of the tournament: Columbia—won 4, lost 6; Harvard—won 8, lost 2; Yale—won 4, lost 6; Princeton—won 4, lost 6.

The pairing for the sixth and last round, to be played today, follows: Young vs. Parker, Ryder vs. Murdoch, Southard vs. Lehlbach, Seymour vs. Price.

Dr. March Dies Suddenly.

Woburn, Mass., Jan. 2.—Dr. Daniel March of Winchester died at the residence of Dr. Frank W. Graves, in this city, yesterday. The deceased was medical examiner for the Fourth Middlesex district, and was summoned to Woburn Thursday to view the body of a man killed on the railroad. On arriving here he was seized with pains in the region of the heart, and went to the home of his brother physician. Dr. March was a son of the Rev. Daniel March, D. D., pastor emeritus of the First Congregational church of Woburn. He was born in New Haven 52 years ago, was graduated from Amherst, and took his degree in the University of Pennsylvania medical school. He was afterward house physician at the Episcopal hospital, and practiced for a time in Pittsburg. He had membership in the Middlesex Medical society and Calumet club of Winchester.

Assignee to Pay Brother's Debts.

Danville, Va., Jan. 2.—John W. Holland, for many years a prominent tobacconist of this city, but for the past eight years retired, yesterday afternoon made an assignment to Berryman Green, trustee. Mr. Holland was security for his brother, the late C. G. Holland, on notes aggregating $148,000. Suits on some of these notes were recently entered, and in order that all creditors should be placed on an equal footing, this assignment was made. The notes are held by banks in Danville, Richmond, Petersburg, Lynchburg, Baltimore and other places. The assessed value of the property conveyed is about $200,000.

Swindling Druggist Arrested.

Boston, Jan. 2.—Chief Inspector Boynton of the postoffice corps has arrested Frederick Brown, who is charged with swindling druggists all over the country of various sums of money. Brown, who is 35 years old, has been ordering goods sent to the "Union Drug company," and after receiving them, it is charged, he sent them to outside places, receiving cash and failing to make payments.

Paul Ritter Found Dead.

New York, Jan. 2.—Henry Roese, 75 years old, an artist, was found dead in his apartments in the Park Central hotel yesterday. The old man, about 20 years ago, earned considerable fame under the name of Paul Ritter, as a master landscape painter, many of his canvases having sold for high prices and won many prizes at art exhibitions.

Church Anniversary.

Haverhill, Mass., Jan. 2.—The 75th anniversary of the recognition of the Second Baptist church at Rock Valley was observed yesterday with appropriate services. A historical sermon was preached by Rev. E. C. Bixby, and addresses made by Rev. M. W. Colby of Manchester and Rev. D. W. Hoyt of Worcester.

RHODES IS DENOUNCED.

President Kruger's Constituents Thank Him For Stopping Jameson.

Weyler Makes Light of Cuban Insurrection.

Cecil Rhodes the Lion of the Hour In Cape Colony.

Pretoria, Jan. 2.—Upon the occasion of the new year's well wishers calling at the presidency to offer President Kruger their congratulations, Judge Jorisen made a speech, in the course of which he said that the gratitude which his countrymen felt at the deliverance from the attack upon the independence of the country was mingled with fears for the future. He proceeded bitterly to complain that the republic had been insulted by the ovations accorded in Cape Colony to Cecil Rhodes, "who," said the speaker, "was undoubtedly the chief criminal in the despicable assault upon our country." After quoting the verdict of the parliamentary commission on Cecil Rhodes with reference to the Jameson raid, Judge Jorisen continued:



CECIL RHODES.

"This man is now feasted by every town in the colony and glorified as the hero of the day, and even as the hero of the morrow, from whose return to South Africa the people expect everything. This is an insult to you, to us and to the whole republic. We ask ourselves how we have deserved such treatment at the hands of the colony that a man who has shed our blood, and like a highwayman, has sprung upon us in the night, and who is about to be tried before a tribunal of his countrymen, should be glorified by a colony pretending to value our friendship. We trust that we view the situation too gloomily, but we place our trust in you."

President Kruger showed himself deeply moved at this address, but he did not reply.

Cecil Rhodes has been welcomed with unbounded enthusiasm at Cape Town, where a procession of torch bearers was formed and escorted him to the house. Five thousand persons, who were present, joined in singing "God Save the Queen." A gigantic banquet in honor of Rhodes has been fixed for Tuesday.

A plot to wreck Cecil Rhodes' train on its way from the north was discovered, and the extraordinary precautions taken in consequence thwarted the plotters. Seven detectives who were put on the case have been shadowing three Germans from the Transvaal.

WEYLER INTERVIEWED.

Captain General Says Bullets and Starvation Will Soon End Rebellion.

Havana, Jan. 2.—The war correspondent of La Lucia of this city, Senor Canarte, has telegraphed to his paper the substance of an interview which he had Thursday with Captain General Weyler, whose column he joined at San Christobal. The captain general assured the correspondent that there were only about 500 insurgents in the province of Pinar del Rio, adding:

"I am unable to say that the province is pacified. Sickness, bullets and hunger will terminate the revolution. I will treat the leaders with consideration if they surrender with all or nearly all of their followers.

"Nobody can consider himself the owner of the cattle in the mountains and woods which were born last year, and I allow the soldiers and the poor to gather them altogether and get what benefit they can from them. I have also provided for the establishment of cultivation zones in order to avoid famine, and I congratulate myself upon the suppression of the revolution in Pinar del Rio. The rebels are lacking in valor and other elements to make the uprising a success.

"With the assistance of the commercial chambers, I hope to establish cultivation zones in the province of Havana, between the two railroad lines, but I cannot allow people to build houses outside of the towns, as they only serve as a refuge for banditti.

"Rius Rivero (the name hitherto has been spelled, generally, Ruis Rivera) is disregarded by the Cuban partisans, and is lacking in the qualities necessary to make an insurgent commander, and neither Quintin Bandera nor Calixto Garcia have as much prestige as Antonio Maceo."

Boy Drowned.

Gardner, Me., Jan. 2.—John Gooding, aged 14, was drowned yesterday afternoon in Cobosse stream while skating. His younger brother, Archie, also broke through the ice, but was rescued by companions. The unfortunate lad's body was recovered.

THE WEATHER INDICATIONS.

ALMANAC, SATURDAY, JAN. 2.
Sun rises—7:14; sets, 4:24.
Length of day—9h. 10m.
Moon rises—6:58 a. m.
Full sea—10:15 a. m., 10:45 p. m.

Forecast for New England: Partly cloudy and warmer; possibly local snow in extreme northern portions; southerly winds.

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Hood's Pills aid digestion, prevent that feeling of fullness or distress and gently, yet effectively, assist in the assimilation and digestion of food. They do not gripe or pain, they do not weaken the body. On the contrary, they have a strengthening and stimulating effect. They rouse the liver, prevent sickness and cure sick headache. Hood's Pills are purely vegetable, perfectly harmless and may be used safely by delicate women and children.

—People who are in the habit of sending money by registered letters will doubtless be interested to know that Congress has placed, without extra charge to the sender, an insurance of not more than $10 upon every registered letter. That will oblige the government to pay an indemnity for every registered letter lost or stolen. But the increased business thus attracted will doubtless make the new system a source of increased revenue to the postal department.

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—Most people have no idea of the immense extent of the street railway systems of this State, which is perhaps the greatest state in the Union in this way. There are within its borders no less than sixty-one separate and distinct systems, representing a value of $59,220,717, besides numerous leased lines.



Disease is like a devil fish. It has one body with many diverging arms. The man who is grasped by one of these arms may possibly not see that it is directly connected with the others. Nine diseases out of ten start from the same cause. The arms are all attached to the same body. Impure blood reaches out in all directions over the human body. It stretches out a tentacle and grasps one organ or another. It attacks the liver and the sufferer is said to have "liver complaint." It attacks the lungs, and he is said to have consumption. It reaches his kidneys, and the doctors say he has kidney disease and treat his kidneys. These so-called diseases are only symptoms. They all reach back to the same cause, and that cause is impure blood. And impure blood is usually caused by imperfect digestion. The way to kill a devil fish is to attack its head and body. It might be killed by cutting off its arms, but it would take a long time. While one was being cut off, others would fasten themselves on the victim.

The way to cure disease is to cure the cause of the disease—to go right at the head of the matter. There is no use treating symptoms. Disease cannot exist in a body that is perfectly pure and full of healthfull, strength-giving properties. It can be made pure by the use of Dr. Pierce's great medicine, the "Golden Medical Discovery." It is because of its wonderful, blood purifying and invigorating qualities that this remedy is so marvelous in its effect on diseases of the throat, bronchial tubes and lungs. It cures ninety-eight per cent. of all cases of consumption. It stops lingering, chronic coughs, and builds up those who are "run-down," emaciated or debilitated from any cause. It makes sound, firm, healthy flesh. It makes people strong. It invigorates the blood, and stimulates the action of every organ in the body. The three things that it does are the three things that must be done in every case before health can come. It steadies and strengthens the nerves; makes digestion perfect; makes the blood pure and rich. There is nothing in the world just like it. There is nothing in the world that is "just as good," though dishonest druggists will sometimes tell you so, for the sake of the profit they will make on inferior articles.

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Quincy, Dec. 9. tf

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
NORFOLK, ss. PROBATE COURT.

TO the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin, creditors and all other persons interested in the estate of

ELIZA A. TOWNSEND,

late of Brookline in said County, deceased, intestate.

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to Frank A. Townsend of said Brookline, without giving a surety on his bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Quincy, in said County of Norfolk, on the thirteenth day of January A. D., 1897, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Quincy DAILY LEDGER, a newspaper published in said Quincy, the last publication to be one day at least before said Court.

Witness, George White, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this fifteenth day of December, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.

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Quincy, Aug. 13. tf



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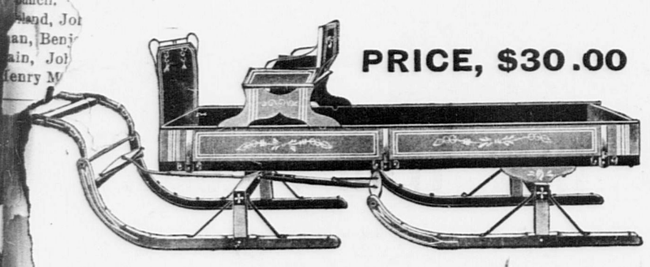
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JURY OUT ALL NIGHT.

Bram's Fate Now In the Hands of Twelve Men.

Judge Webb's Charge Very Impartial.

Juryman Asked the Court About Accused Mate's Alibi.

Boston, Jan. 2.—The fate of Thomas Bram, late first mate of the barkentine Herbert Fuller, charged with the murder of Captain Nash of the same vessel, his second mate, Bamberg, and Mrs. Nash, is in the hands of 12 tried and true men. The jury which went out soon after noon, had not agreed late last night.

For two hours the jury had been attentive listeners to a most exhaustive summing up of the law and evidence in the case by Justice Webb, who concluded his remarks at 1 o'clock.

The government waived the reading of all its points for instruction, being satisfied they would add nothing to its case. The charge was remarkable for its lucid statement of the law and the remarkable fairness with which all the essential issues were presented. It followed the argument for the district attorney, which was not concluded till 11 o'clock, and was listened to by an audience that filled every available space in the courtroom, a large number of extra chairs having been brought in to accommodate the persons who on official and other grounds claimed a right to be present.

Justice Webb did not attempt to direct the jury what credence they should give to any particular testimony, leaving it to them to attach to it such weight as in their judgment it was entitled to. He declined to say that the government witness, Charles Brown, was not to be believed, but suggested the doubt which had been cast upon the truth of his statement, that he saw the captain murdered, by the physical impediments which the measurements of the cabin, the window through which he looked, the light and his position at the wheel, showed to have existed. As to the possibility of his having been able to lash the wheel and leave it without the vessel departing from her course, the judge impliedly rebuked the district attorney for the aspersions he cast on the ship masters who had testified to their experiences under similar conditions, and said their character, their great knowledge of ships and the sea, although they may have been retired for some years, entitled their opinions as experts to the greatest weight. The contradictory statements of Brown regarding his Rotterdam experience were referred to, but the jury were left to draw their own conclusions as to whether he was deliberately lying or not. If the jury found that he was not telling the truth, while it would destroy his testimony so far as direct proof of the crime went, it would not make him incompetent to corroborate the evidence of the other witnesses, and add to its weight. The medical expert testimony, the judge said, if believed, would lead the jury to say that Brown was insane and not insane at the same time; but, as their answers on this point were to hypothetical questions, the jury could determine how correct was the hypothesis on which the opinions were founded.

Throwing out the testimony of Brown regarding his having seen the murder committed, the court said, would still leave a large amount of circumstantial evidence on the part of the government. How far this tended to prove the guilt of the defendant it was for the jury to decide. It was not sufficient that the preponderance of evidence was against the defendant, nor was it necessary for him to show that someone else had committed the crime. The jury must be satisfied, not that someone else might have murdered Captain Nash, but that, beyond a reasonable doubt, Thomas Bram was the guilty man. If they were not satisfied on that point, if there were any reasonable doubts in their minds of the truth of the contention of the government, they must find him not guilty. It was not a question as to which of two men might have done the act, but did this one man do it?

The judge explained in conclusion that the circumstances proved in the case must be consistent with the crime charged and consistent with each other and inconsistent with any other hypothesis than the guilt of the defendant. If they fail as to these essential points, there must be a verdict of not guilty.

With a final look at the prisoner, who, during the whole of the arguments and the judge's charge, kept his usual but remarkable composure, the 12 men followed the bailiffs out of the courtroom on the fourth floor of the building. With them went the various "exhibits" introduced by both sides at the trial, including the skull of Captain Nash, showing the terrible wounds in his head.

The prisoner was taken to an adjoining room, and the judges retired to their lobby. A great crowd, however, remained in the courtroom with a faint hope that some verdict might be rendered in an hour or two. But nearly five hours passed before there was the slightest sign from the jury. At 5:30, however, the court and the counsel were summoned and the jury filed in. After they were seated one of the jurymen rose and asked the court if Bram had proved an alibi by showing that he was off the deck during the time when the murders were committed. The court reviewed this part of the testimony, which was of a nature to show that he was for a greater portion, or for all the time, off the deck. The jury again retired and remained out until 10:30, when Judge Colt ordered them in again. The court told them that unless they could agree upon a verdict within a few minutes that the court would adjourn until 9 o'clock this morning. The jury were unable to agree, and once more filed back to their room, where they were locked up for the night.

Express Changes.

New Haven, Jan. 2.—A new deal in the express business of Connecticut leaked out yesterday, and by the new arrangements the Adams Express company will not do the entire business of Connecticut, as was thought probable on the announcement of the withdrawal of the United States Express company. Certain rights and franchises of the United States Express company may go to the Boston and New York Dispatch company, and yesterday J. S. Dunning, the New Haven agent for the latter company, moved into the old quarters of the United States company. The Dispatch company has just signed an agreement with the New Haven steamboat line for the carrying of its freight, and its business will be carried on exactly the same as that of the United States company. It is also announced that the Dispatch company has taken the Hartford office of the United States, and is planning to do the same thing in other cities in Connecticut. This new deal is independent of railroad franchises, and the Adams company will operate the former United States company's offices on the New England railroad.

Exposure of Concannon.

Boston, Jan. 2.—Judge Forsaith, in the municipal court, continued the hearing yesterday of the case of Marcellus S. Ayer, trustee of the First Spiritual temple, against George B. Bates, Dudley Kimball, Robert Rigby, Clifford Estes, Edward C. Woods and Robert Harley, the six young men who raided Medium Concannon at the temple on Nov. 29 and made an alleged exposure. The young men are accused with malicious intent of disturbing a religious meeting and maliciously destroying the panel of the church organ and the curtains of the cabinet. A number of witnesses testified regarding the disturbances, but Judge Forsaith remarked that he did not believe that the evidence sustained the charge of malicious intent. "I gave the matter much thought," said the judge, "and examined about all the books I could on the matter last night. That is the conclusion I have come to. I believe there must be a malicious and willful intent to injure the property named before the complaint can be sustained."

Killed Wife.

Cambridge, Mass., Jan. 2. — Samuel Whittaker, living at the corner of Rindge avenue and Sherman street, about 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon shot and instantly killed his wife, Catherine, with a charge from a double barreled shotgun, and then attempted to cut his own throat with a shoe knife. He was prevented from doing away with himself, and he is now at the Cambridge hospital, and will recover. Whittaker acknowledges his crime, and he says he wants to die. Nine children are left to mourn the deed of a rum-crazed father, who, it is alleged, destroyed his wife as a result of a few harsh words while laboring under the influences of a befogged mind, made so by drink.

Russian Shot Negro.

Pawtucket, R. I., Jan. 2.—Nathaniel Jackson, a burly colored man, was shot in the hand yesterday by a Russian named Nansen, whom he had assaulted. Jackson went into Nansen's shoe store and asked him to play a game of cards. Nansen refused, but Jackson insisted, and put up a half dollar as a bet against a harmonica. Nansen won, but when he took the money Jackson seized him. The Russian was badly punished, and had both his eyes blackened. Jackson then seized an iron bar, and with a threat to kill Nansen, rushed toward him. The Russian reached for a revolver and fired at his opponent. The negro's hand was badly wounded, and he fled.

Boston City Government.

Boston, Jan. 2.—The advisory board appointed by Mayor Quincy at the beginning of his term, and with which he has consulted on many important questions, has proposed an act consolidating the present board of aldermen and the common council and reorganizing the city government of the city of Boston. The new act provides that the city council of the city of Boston shall consist of the president of the city council, 12 aldermen-at-large and 25 ward aldermen, who shall sit and act as one legislative body. These shall be elected at the annual municipal election in 1897. The act will be presented to the incoming legislature.

Girl Burned to Death.

Hartford, Jan. 2.—Agnes Casale, the 9-year-old daughter of Carmine and Anna Casale of 78 Charles street, died as the result of frightful burns received during a quarrel with a 4-year-old sister. The children were left alone in the house and quarreled over some peanuts. The 4-year-old child became so angered that she went to the stove and seizing a burning wood brand hurled it at her sister. The latter's clothing caught fire, and the flames were fanned by her frantic running about the house. Her screams attracted attention, but before help arrived she had been fatally burned, and died some hours later.

Silver Democrats Meet.

Boston, Jan. 2.—The silver Democrats of the state, as represented by several district delegates, met in this city last night for the purpose of taking action tending to unite the factions of the party. The discussion was a long one, and opinion seems to prevail that the silver men, being in the majority to all appearances, should control the organization. It was stated that at the prospective conference of the district committee it is proposed to admit representatives of the Faneuil hall faction and exclude those of the Music hall faction. The silver men will meet today to decide on a plan of action.

The Wales Case.

Montpelier, Vt., Jan. 2.—The defense in the Wales dynamite case occupied the whole of yesterday in presenting evidence to show that Wales could not have set fire to Goddard seminary, owing to his absence from the place. No witness has yet been presented to show that some other person than Wales bought the dynamite. The court adjourned to enable the procuring of a deposition from a witness at present in a hospital at Burlington.

Shot His Partner.

Lowelltown, Me., Jan. 2.—Two men, John Moses and Gilbert Blondell, came in from the woods intoxicated, had two rifles with them, and were in Moose River Lumber company's store. They were performing with the rifles, when Blondell pulled the rifle up and fired at Moses. The ball entered the breast near the heart. Moses is still alive. There is no possible chance for him to recover.

Fire at Boston.

Boston, Jan. 2.—The wharf and factory of the Boston and Lockport Block company on the water front in East Boston, adjoining the work of the Maverick Oil company, is on fire, and is proving a stubborn blaze for the firemen to handle, three alarms having been sent in. The present indications make possible a loss of $50,000.

Wedding Bells at Lewiston.

Lewiston, Me., Jan. 2.—Among the social events which occurred here yesterday was the wedding of James Franklin Pope of Melrose, Mass., and Miss Maud Lillian Fuller of Lewiston.

NICARACUAN SLAVES.

Coffee Planters Reduce Men and Women to Terrible Servitude.

Managua, Nicaraugua, Dec. 17.—A few persons were killed and several were wounded during the municipal election at Granada on Dec. 13.

A terrible state of affairs prevails in the labor market here, and the system of selling labor has resulted in reducing very large numbers of men, women and children into a state of slavery.

Owners of coffee estates recently held a meeting with the object of influencing the government of Nicaragua in establishing in Cuba a labor agency to induce Cuban laborers to migrate to Nicaragua. Men and women here are now endeavoring by every possible means, except armed revolution, to escape from the said servitude incident to the sale of their labor, authorized by the constitution of Nicaragua and enforced on them, as rigorously as possible, by military power, until the money or goods advanced to them, interest thereon and heavy fines for delinquency, have been paid in full by labor at low rates. Hundreds of men, women and children will have sold their labor for small sums of merchandise or money advanced to them, arriving in the cities in the coffee districts, from the mountains in the interior, and gathering the coffee crop of 1896. Many others who have sold their labor are delaying in commencing their work, or are refusing to accept the hard conditions of their contracts, and are being hunted from one retreat to another by squads of soldiers who have been assigned to the work of capturing these delinquents and forcing them to comply with their contracts.

This year's crop of coffee in Nicaragua is estimated at about 80 per cent of a full crop. The deficiency has been caused by insufficient rains during the year. The twigs on which the coffee crop of 1897 is to be borne are, from drought, so small and short as not to be able to yield a full crop on many estates in Nicaragua in 1897.

Owing to the scarcity of agricultural laborers, the difficulties experienced with the workmen and the want of sufficient rains at many places in Nicaragua during the last three years, many holders of coffee estates are offering their places for sale.

A number of persons in Nicaragua, especially in the eastern portion, are making preparations to cultivate sugar cane instead of coffee as heretofore.

Injured While Celebrating.

Wilkesbarre, Pa., Jan. 2. — William Gilbert and Charles Stedler were celebrating New Year's day at Bubebach's Landing yesterday morning by discharging firearms. Gilbert got in the way of Stedler as the latter pulled the trigger of his weapon, and the charge entered Gilbert's breast, instantly killing him. He was 28 years of age, and married. Stedler surrendered himself, and the coroner's jury rendered a verdict of involuntarily manslaughter. At Shamokin, Lewis Williams was shot and fatally wounded by George W. Lewis during a similar celebration. The bullet penetrated the victim's lung. Lewis and Charles Falconbridge, who furnished the weapon, were held without bail. Thomas Doyle, aged 22 years, of Locust Gap, near Shamokin, blew off the left side of his face by the accidental discharge of his gun while on a New Year's hunting trip. He may not recover.

Dishonest Employes.

St. Louis, Jan. 2.—A wholesale conspiracy, having for its object the systematic robbery of one of the large department stores in this city, entered into and successfully carried on for a number of years by employes of the firm, has been exposed in the arrest and confessions of six of the employes. The firm is the William Barr company, and the loss will amount to thousands of dollars. The conspiracy, it is said, will include a number of other employes of the firm besides those at present under arrest, together with a number of individuals outside. The names of the men arrested are Casius English, F. J. Lee, William Haupt, William Jacks, William McFarland and Luther Shoeb. All of the men are young—between 21 and 30 years.

Idle Prisoners.

Auburn, N. Y., Jan. 2.—The convicts in Auburn prison yesterday began a period of enforced idleness, owing to the provision of the new constitution, which prohibits the manufacture in the state prisons of goods that would come in competition in the open market with the product of citizens. Warden Strut has been in constant receipt of letters from convicts asking if they are to be compelled to remain locked in their cramped quarters. The warden has given assurances that some means will soon be provided whereby the men may be given manual employment, and has told them that in the meantime they will not be deprived of exercise.

Three Children Smothered.

Hanover, Pa., Jan. 2.—Three young children of Mr. and Mrs. George Duttra, who live in the country about four miles from here, died from suffocation during a fire at their home. During her husband's absence, Mrs. Duttra called on a neighbor, locking the children in the house while they were at play. On her return after a long stay she found the bodies of the children lying in a corner. All were dead. It is thought that a spark from the stove fell on the carpet, causing a smothered fire that soon burned the floor and filled the room with smoke.

Broker Disappears.

Hartford, Jan. 2.—Henry A. Cowles, the well-known Hartford broker, is missing, and no trace of him can be found. He left a week ago, ostensibly for New York. Fogg & Co. of New York and J. B. Willard & Co. of New York, both of which brokerage firms Mr. Cowles represented, have seen nothing of him, nor has the missing man's wife.

Diplomat Honored.

London, Jan. 2.—Senor L. De Soveal, the Portuguese minister or oreign affairs, has been made a G. C. M. G. (Knight Grand Cross of the Order of St. Michael and St. George), for the services he rendered to Great Britain and Brazil as to the ownership of the smaller of the wo islands of Trinidad which Portugal, as arbitrator, warded to Brazil.

Shot Himself.

Worcester, Mass., Jan. 2.—George F. Parry, a gunsmith of this city, committed suicide yesterday by shooting himself through the head. He had been out of work for some time and was despondent. He was 46 years old, and leaves a widow and eight children.

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Quincy and Neponset.

Leave CITY HALL for Neponset—6.00 A. M., 6.15, 6.30, 6.45, 7.00, and every 15, 30, 45 and 60 minutes past the hour until 7.00 P. M., then every half hour until 10.50 P. M. Cars leaving Quincy on the hour via. Norfolk Downs, except 6.00 P. M.

Leave NEPONSET—6.22 A. M., 6.37, 6.52, 7.07, 7.22, and every 7, 22, 37 and 52 minutes past the hour until 7.00 o'clock, then every half hour until 11 P. M.; last car for Quincy at 11.15 P. M. Cars leaving Neponset 22 minutes past the hour via. Norfolk Downs.

Quincy and East Weymouth.

Leave CITY HALL (10 minutes later from Quincy Point and 22 minutes later from North Weymouth)—5.45, 6.20, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, 11.20, 11.50 A. M.; 12.20, 12.50, 1.20, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20 4.50 5.20 (5.30 to East Weymouth car house), 5.50, 6.20, 6.30, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.50 P. M.

Leave EAST WEYMOUTH (20 minutes later from North Weymouth and 30 minutes later from Quincy Point)—6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11, 11.30 A. M.; 12, 12.30, 1, 1.30, 2, 2.30, 3, 3.30, 4, 4.30, 5, 5.30, 6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11, 11.30 P. M.

Quincy and East Milton.

Leave CITY HALL, 5.55, 6.25, then every 5 minutes and 25 minutes past the hour until 7.55 P. M., then at 9.50 and 10.50 P. M.

Leave EAST MILTON, 6.30, 7.00 A. M., then on the hour and half hour until 9.30 P. M., then at 10.20 and 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and Holbrook.

Leave QUINCY for SOUTH BRAINTREE and HOLBROOK at 6.10 and 6.40 A. M., and every 10 minutes past and 20 minutes of the hour until 10.10 P. M. Last car leaves at 10.50 P. M. On Saturdays the last car leaves Quincy at 11.50 P. M.

Returning cars leave HOLBROOK for SOUTH BRAINTREE and QUINCY at 5.55 and 6.25 A. M., and every 25 minutes past and 5 minutes of the hour until 9.55 P. M. Last car leaves Holbrook at 11.30 P. M.

SUNDAYS.

Cars leave QUINCY on the hour and half hour from 7.30 A. M. to 10 P. M. Last car leaves at 10.50 P. M.

Returning cars leave HOLBROOK every 15 minutes of and 15 minutes past the hour from 7.45 A. M. to 10.15 P. M.

☞ Cars leaving Quincy at 20 minutes of the hour connect at South Braintree with car for Randolph.

☞ Cars from Randolph connect with cars at South Braintree for Quincy.

☞ On Sundays on the Weymouth route cars will leave Quincy on the hour and half hour and East Weymouth at quarter past and quarter of the hour.

☞ Special trips can be arranged on application to the Superintendent.

☞ At Quincy Centre close connection is made with Electric Cars on all the routes.

☞ At Neponset close connection is made with West End Street Cars to and from Boston.

☞ Cars are due at Beale street, Wollaston, ten minutes after leaving Neponset and seven minutes after leaving Quincy.

BENJ. J. WEEKS, Superintendent.

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OLD COLONY SYSTEM.

On and after Nov. 2 1896, trains will run as follows: (See note of explanation at bottom.)

TO BOSTON. Leave Quincy.	Stops at	Arrive Boston.	FROM BOSTON. Leave Boston.	Stops at	Arrive Quincy.
r 6 12	abc	* 6 30	5 53	ihgfedcba	* 6 20 r
r 6 42	abc	7 00	6 30	cba	6 49 r
r 7 12	abc	7 30	7 30	cba	7 49 r
7 29	a	7 48	8 30	cba	8 49 r
r 7 42	abc	8 00	9 30	cba	9 49 r
r 8 12	abc	8 30	10 30	cba	10 49 r
8 29	a	8 45	11 30	cba	11 49 r
r 8 42	abc	9 00	12 00	(xx)	12 15
r 9 12	abc	9 30	12 30	cba	12 49 r
r 10 12	abc	10 30	1 30	cba	1 49 r
r 11 12	abc	11 30	2 30	cba	2 49 r
r 12 12	abc	12 30	3 30	cba	3 49 r
r 1 12	abc	1 30	4 30	cba	4 49 r
1 46	(xx)	2 10	5 00	cba	5 19 r
r 2 12	abc	2 30	5 15	a	5 32
r 3 12	abc	3 30	5 30	cba	5 49 r
r 4 12	abc	4 30	6 00	cba	6 19 r
r 5 12	abc	5 30	6 15	a	6 32
r 6 12	abc	6 30	6 30	cba	6 49 r
r 7 12	abc	7 30	7 00	cba	7 19 r
r 7 41	abcdefghi	8 07	7 30	cba	7 49 r
r 8 08	abcdef	8 30	8 30	fedcba	8 53 r
r 9 12	abc	9 30	9 30	cba	9 49 r
r 10 08	abcdef	10 30	10 30	fedcba	10 53 r
r 11 31	abcdefghi	11 08	11 00	ihgfedcba	11 27 r
r 11 12	abc	11 30	11 30	cba	11 49 r

SUNDAYS.

6 38	abcdef	7 00	4 05	fda	4 23
8 46	(xx)	9 00	7 30	fedcba	7 53 r
r 9 12	abc	9 30	8 30	(xx)	8 45
r 12 16	(xx)	12 30	9 30	ihgfedcba	9 57 r
1 12	abc	1 30	10 30	ihgfedcba	10 57 r
2 16	(xx)	2 30	11 30	(xx)	11 45
r 3 04	abcdefghi	3 30	12 30	cba	12 49 r
r 4 04	abcdefghi	4 30	1 30	(xx)	1 45
5 16	(xx)	5 30	4 30	cba	4 49 r
r 6 08	abcdef	6 30	5 10	(xx)	5 15
r 9 08	abcdef	9 30	7 00	fedcba	7 23 r
9 38	adf	9 55	10 30	fedcba	10 53 r

*The letters in the same line as the figures stand for different stations and indicate that trains stop, as follows:

a, Wollaston. b, Norfolk Downs c, Atlantic. d, Neponset. e, Pope's Hill. f, Harrison Square g, Savin Hill. h, Crescent Avenue. i, South Boston. r, Quincy Adams. (xx), Express.

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C. F. Carlson, near Quincy depot.

WEST QUINCY—Ceram's Periodical store Copeland Street, and his carriers.

BREWER'S CORNER—Emma Lark, Copeland Street.

WOLLASTON—Ross' news stand and carriers.

NORFOLK DOWNS—Branscheid & Martens and their carriers.

ATLANTIC—Brancheid & Martens News Agency and their carriers.

QUINCY POINT—Miss Freeman's store.

SOUTH QUINCY—Peter Haverly.
F. J. Pierson, 96 Granite street.
O. D. Chick, 59 Liberty street.

EAST MILTON—William Clark's periodical store and his carriers.

EAST WEYMOUTH—George H. Hunt.

WEYMOUTH LANDING—W. E. Cunningham.

NO. WEYMOUTH—B. F. Thomas.

Castle Square Theatre.

The Castle Square operatic enterprise enters upon the new year with the brightest prospects, and the outlook for its future is well calculated to give satisfaction to all who realize the enjoyment this musical undertaking affords the public. The production of Genee's "Royal Middy" will be recalled as among the brilliant successes of the early season, and the demands made for its revival have been so frequent that it is announced for reproduction the coming week with all the spectacular features attending its original performances here. The cast will be as follows: Dom. Lamberto, Edgar Temple; Don Januario, J. K. Murray; Don Norberto, W. H. Clark; Don Domingo, Lindsey Morison; Mungo, Will H. Kohnle; Marie, Queen of Portugal, Laura Millard; Fanchette a Parisian Actress, Clara Lane; Donna Antonia, Hattie Belle Ladd. Following the "Royal Middy" there will be made a production of "Maritana" on Jan. 11th.

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A Happy New Year.

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The Wheaton Seminary club hold their monthly meeting next Saturday afternoon. Miss Kate Tyron will give her illustrated talk on "Birds," and there will be music by Miss Georgia P. Leighton, Miss Miriam Cochrane and Mr. H. G. Tucker.

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Adams Chapter D. R. meets with Mrs. Henry M. Faxon on Monday afternoon.

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Mr. and Mrs. Joseph W. Johnson (Miss Cannon) are "at home" Thursdays during the month of January.

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Hon. and Mrs. William B. Rice of Adams street have gone to Boston for the winter, having taken apartments at "The Brunswick.

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Miss Lizzie Hollis Mann of Braintree and Mr. Harry S. Blanchard of this city, are receiving the congratulations of their friends, having announced their engagement on Monday.

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Mrs. A. E. Schroeder has returned to North Abington after a pleasant visit in this city to her sister, Mrs. J. L. Birnie.

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Dr. and Mrs. John H. Ash attended the eighth reunion of the class of '88, North High school, of Weymouth, at the home of Miss Ida M. Callahan, on Tuesday evening. Dr. Ash read an interesting paper.

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Mrs. Theophilus King and Mrs. Henry E. Hardwick were matrons at the Leap Year party held at Faxon hall on Thursday evening.

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Miss Mary V. Thayer of Holbrook and Miss Flossie Davis of Dorchester have gone on a trip of five or six weeks to New York, Pennsylvania and Washington, D. C.

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Miss Martha Brooks has been visiting Dr. and Mrs. Frank C. Granger at Randolph.

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It is rumored one of the prominent and popular business men in the Centre is to be married this month.

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Miss Harriet B. Pierce, Miss Cornelia Elliott, Miss Eva Thompson and Miss Leila Miller gave a very successful Leap Year dance on Thursday evening. About forty couples attended and danced the old year out.

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Foral boas of carnations or roses to wear with evening gowns are quite the latest fad.

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Tuesday evening of last week a genuine surprise was given to Miss Genie Dyer, who lives with her parents near Braintree and Randolph line. It was Miss Dyer's 18 birthday, and a number of her Braintree friends assembled at her home and the result was a grand good time for all. During the evening the friends presented Miss Dyer with a beautiful gold bracelet.

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The Daughters of the Revolution have furnished a very pretty buff and blue room, 823 Tremont building, Boston, where they are "at home" on Friday afternoons. Tea is served and the members enjoy social intercourse and become better acquainted with members of the different chapters. Miss Hunt, acting regent, always receives on Friday.

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The social event in Weymouth next week is the dance given by Miss Eleanor Clapp, Miss Elsie Drinkwater, Miss Robertina Trask and Mrs. Charles Clapp on Friday evening at Masonic building. The matrons are to be Mrs. Edwin Clapp, Mrs. G. W. Tinkham, Mrs. J. W. Clapp and Mrs. A. C. Drinkwater. Over three hundred invitations have been issued and special cars after the dance are to be run to Quincy and Braintree.

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Mr. and Mrs. John W. Barbour of Braintree will start early next week for a two weeks' trip in the South.

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There is a revived taste for old patterns in silk many being exact copies of those worn in the twenties and thirties. Some are very quaint and pretty.

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Miss Alice Gurney has been visiting Miss Edna S. Gurney at West Elm street, Brockton.

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The class of '83 of Thayer Academy held their annual reunion on Thusrday evening at The Thorndike, Boston. This is the only class of all those graduated from the Academy to meet every year. Mrs. John W. Sanborn and Miss Ada Thayer of this city enjoyed meeting their schoolmates on Wednesday and it was one of the pleasantest reunions ever held by the class.

White satin and cloth are still much used for vests, revers, collars and belts, and are often seen braided with black or gold.

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Mr. Winthrop Davy of Quincy gave a reception on Wednesday evening to the class of '93 Weymouth High school.

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Miss Ellen E. Thompson who has given readings in Quincy for several seasons, is giving a course at Braintree in the parlor of the First Congregational church. Her first was on Wednesday afternoon on "Recent Biography," and was attended by about fifty ladies.

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The engagement is announced of Mr. Fred A. Raymond and Miss Nellie G. Norling of Hyde Park.

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Miss Ethel M. Brigham, of Braintree, entertained the members of the "F. H." whist club at her parents home Thursday evening. The time was pleasantly spent in playing whist, game of cobweb, and pillow dex. At midnight a dainty lunch was served. Among those present were Miss Ethel M. Brigham, Miss Edith Cain, Miss Lilla Anderson, Miss Ethel Gage, Miss Florence Fish, Miss Cora Lang, Nelson Hayden, Lawrence Spaulding, Geo. Arnold, John Arnold, Everett Cain.

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To be without a neck ruche of white or black mousseline or of white dotted net edged with black lace is to be outside of the pale of fashion. The newest are much thicker at the back than in front where they end.

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They say in Paris that the reign of the flat hat is approaching to keep company with the slender skirts and coat sleeves.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Fay of Greenleaf street entertained Christmas: Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Spear, Mr. and Mrs. William B. Spear and Mr. and Mrs. Fred A. Spear of Randolph.

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For evening wear silk open-work stockings are most in favor. They are in every possible shade and must match the dress or else be black or white.

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One poor beardless youth dared not venture to the Leap Year party Thursday night without a chaperon. He was the only timid one in the party and it is to be hoped he got through the evening safely under the wing of his chaperon and escort. He certainly was a most proper *bud*.

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Miss Pauline Jones of Foster street has been visiting friends at Weymouth.

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A very welcome revival which is catching the popular favor is India cashmere, which is a marvel of softness and lightness for dressy gowns.

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The Elliot Club of Wollaston was entertained by Mrs. D. L. Jewell at her residence on Grand View avenue, Wollaston, on Wednesday evening. Alaska was the subject which was interestingly discussed.

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Mr. Carl Vrooman, a younger brother of Walter Vrooman, a former pastor of the East Milton Congregational church, and who occupied that pulpit on several occasions, was united in marriage at St. Louis, Monday, to Miss Julia Scott of Bloomington, Ill. Vice President Stevenson, whose wife is an aunt of the bride, gave her away. Mr. Vrooman is a Harvard graduate and while there was president of Harvard Union, president of the Harvard Debating society, and president of the Intercollegiate Debating club. He is also an honorary member of the Oxford Union of Oxford College, England. Mr. and Mrs. Vrooman will reside at Parsons, Kansas.

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At the home of the aunt of the groom, Mrs. Mary J. Richards, 644 E. Fifth street, South Boston, Wednesday evening, Mr. Edward G. Stoddard of South Braintree, Mass., and Miss M. Etta Dutton of Epsom, N. H., were united in marriage by the Rev. E. S. Wheeler of Dorchester.

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Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Packard (Miss Roberts) of Dorchester Lower Mills have moved to Wollaston.

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Mr. Oscar Bates of East Milton and Miss Flora Krebe of Roxbury were married at the home of the bride on Thursday evening.

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Mrs. W. A. Wood and a party of lady friends visited Hyde Park, Christmas, Mrs. Wood visiting her Hyde Park club property.

—People in Massachusetts need no longer to look for a chance to slip on the ice in the street in order to start a suit against the town or city for damages, as a law passed at the last session of the legislature bars such suits when the street otherwise is in the ordinary condition.

—For fourteen years a benevolent soul has fed the hungry in Faneuil Hall, on Christmas day, and on Friday 700 mouths were filled. Last year a socialist agitator endeavored to create a disturbance. He was present on Friday, but made no trouble.—*Lynn Item.*

SUNDAY SERVICES.

Church services are inserted in this paper without charge, but none will be accepted to run until further order. A notice should be sent each week even though it is but a renewal. Give subject and special services when possible. Let all churches be represented—EDS]

2D SUNDAY AFTER CHRISTMAS.

CHRIST'S CHURCH,—Rev. Walter Russell Breed, rector. Holy Communion and sermon at 10.30 A. M. Subject: "Thoughts for the New Year." Sunday School at 12 M. Evening prayer and address at 7. The rector will begin a series of six brief Sunday evening Historical Lectures. Subject for tomorrow "Early Christianity in England." The service is entirely musical. All seats free. Everybody welcome. Wednesday Jan. 6th, The Epiphany, service in the chapel at 10.30 A. M. St. Andrews Brotherhood meets at 8 P. M. Regular quarterly meeting of the vestry Monday, 8 P. M.

UNITARIAN CHURCH—Rev. Ellery C. Butler, pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Preaching by the pastor. Sunday School at 12 M. Vesper service at 4 P. M. Sociable Wednesday January 6th, supper at 6.30 P. M.

ST. PAULS CHURCH—Rev. Swante Svensson pastor. Preaching at 10.30 A. M. Sunday School at 12 M. Young People's meeting at 6.30 P. M. Evening service at 7.30. During January, meeting will be held every evening with addresses by pastors from out of town.

UNIVERSALIST CHURCH—Rev. W. H. Preble pastor. Morning service at 10.30 A. M. Preaching by the pastor. Sunday School at 12 o'clock.

CHRISTADELPHIAN CHURCH — At 7 P. M. the subject will be "The Bible its own Witness."

BETHANY CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, junction Hancock and Chestnut streets—Rev. E. N. Hardy, pastor. Morning service at 10.30 A. M. Theme: "The Choicest Blessing for 1897." Reception of members and Lord's Supper at 11.30 A. M. Bible School at 12 M. Junior C. E. at 3.30 P. M. Young People's meeting at 6.15 P. M. At 7.30 P. M. a New Year's service in church auditorium. The week of prayer will be observed by evening meetings Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 7.30 and by cottage prayer meetings Tuesday and Thursday.

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH, Franklin street,—Rev. C. A. Parker, pastor; residence, 18 Gay street. Preaching at 10.30 A. M. followed by communion service. Bible school at 12 M. The special service at 3.30 P. M. will be discontinued at present. Evening service at 7 o'clock. All are welcome to these services.

FIRST UNITED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH—Orangeman's Hall, 110 Hancock street Rev. W. W. Dornan of Somerville will preach Sunday morning at 10.30. Subject: "A Cake not turned." Sunday School and Bible class after the morning service. Young People's Christian Endeavor at 6.30 P. M. Preaching at 7.30 P. M. Subject: "What is faith in Jesus." Also our special week of prayer will commence Monday evening. Further notices will be given Sunday. Everybody is welcome to each of these services.

WOLLASTON UNITARIAN CHURCH—Rev. J. E. Bagley, pastor. Service at 10.45 A. M. The pastor will preach. Text: "Behold here is thy pound Lord which I kept laid up in a napkin." Sunday School at 12 M. Guild of the Good Shepherd at 6.30 P. M.

ST. CHRYSOSTOM'S CHURCH—Rev. Carlton P. Mills, pastor. Morning service, the celebration of Holy Communion at 10.45. Sunday School at 12.15. Evening service at 7 o'clock. Service Wednesday evening at 7.45.

MEMORIAL CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, ATLANTIC—Rev. Edward Norton, minister. Preaching at 10.45 A. M. A sermon for the New Year. Communion service at 11.45 A. M. Sabbath School at 12 M. Meeting of Y. P. S. C. E. at 6.45 P. M. Evening service at 7.30. A New Year's praise service with address by the pastor. Prayer meeting Monday, Wednesday and Friday evenings.

BRAINTREE.

Conductor John Burnham has been threatened with pneumonia.

Dr. Wm. Gallagher is able to be out after his illness.

The M. E. society held a watch meeting at 9 o'clock Thursday night.

The new electric car house is nearly done. The floors are now being laid.

The auditors met at the almshouse yesterday to make the annual examination and appraisal.

C. W. Hollis began harvesting his ice Tuesday morning. The ice is about the right thickness but not of the best quality.

Match Game of Pool.

The match game of pool at Kingsley's rooms last night between Ingraham and the St. Louis Kid, resulted in a victory for Ingraham, 100 to 77.

The standing of the Pool Tournament is as follows.

	Won.	Lost.
Shay,	1	0
Ray,	1	0
Baker,	1	0
Kingsley,	1	0
Burrell,	1	0
Mitten,	1	0
Haskins,	1	0
Whall,	1	0
Closs,	1	0

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease, and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven catarrh to be a constitutional disease, and, therefore, requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses from 10 drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials. Address,

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200 rolls of Straw Matting, $3.50 per roll.

500 yards of remants of Linoleum Border, 9 inches wide, 5c per yard.

Hundreds of yards of Wilton Velvet Border, 9 inches wide, regular price, 75 cents; now 15 cents.

Hundreds of yards of Fine Sash Curtains at one-half price.

Fine Drapery Tassels, former price 15 cents; now 1 cent.

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TELEGRAPHIC.

3 O'CLOCK.

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THE GALLOWS' SHADOW

Is Now Hanging Over First Mate Thomas M. Bram.

Convicted Man Wept and Declared His Innocence.

Jury Remained Out Twenty-Seven Hours Before Reaching Verdict.

Boston, Jan. 4.—After 27 hours' deliberation, the jury in the case of Thomas M. Bram, charged with the murder of Captain Charles I. Nash of the barkentine Herbert Fuller, on the high seas, July 13, 1896, came into court at 3:40 Saturday afternoon and returned a verdict of "guilty" as indicted.

As soon as it was announced to the court that the jury had reached a decision, the prisoner was brought in and the jury, headed by its foreman, filed to its place. Bram eagerly scanned each face as the men were seated, but if he learned his fate, he gave no sign.

The verdict was a complete surprise to nearly everyone. Bram heard the fatal words of the foreman with nothing more than a slight blush, keeping his stoic attitude throughout the trying ordeal. Four times the jury asked for instructions from the court on knotty questions.

When the jury retired on Friday afternoon a test ballot was taken at once. It stood 8 to 4 for conviction. They talked for three hours before it was proposed to take a second ballot. This ballot came nearest conviction of all ballots taken until the last. The vote stood 11 to 1 for conviction, and it was stated that the juror who stood out was Charles W. Howes of Chatham, a sailmaker.

After the 11 to 1 ballot the jury returned to the discussion of the evidence. The jurors who voted for acquittal hung their hopes on the belief that it was not possible for Charles Brown, the only witness who gave direct evidence in the case, to see into the cabin, as he said he could.

At 6 o'clock Saturday morning a ballot taken then resulted in a vote of 9 to 3 for conviction. About breakfast time a ballot showed that the jury had fallen back to 8 to 4 for conviction, and the jury stood in that attitude during the day until noon. While the jurors waited for dinner they took a ballot, and all the votes were cast for conviction. They reported at once to the officers that they had agreed, and the jury was called into court and the verdict recorded before they ate their dinner.

Upon returning to the jury room Juror Warren M. Blake was informed of the death of his sister, Isabella. Mr. Blake lives in Woburn.

The case was one of the most closely fought of any tried in this state since the famous Parkman murder case in 1850, and even now the lawyers for the convicted man have not given up the fight for his life. None of the exceptions taken at the trial were vital points, for the court in nearly every instance ruled in favor of the prisoner and gave his counsel far more latitude than was allowed District Attorney Hoar.

The scene outside the courtroom when the verdict was announced was sensational, as from the great crowd there arose an almost gasp of surprise. It took only a few seconds for the news to spread throughout the city, and almost before Bram himself realized that he stood in the shadow of the gallows, the fact of his guilt was on every tongue.

As soon as the jury had been polled Lawyer Cotter immediately moved for a new trial, and as usual the court appointed a day when the argument on both sides will be heard on the motion, Jan. 9 being the day set.

For some minutes after the announcement of the verdict Bram kept his nerve, but the strain was too much and he gave way to tears for the first time during the ordeal.

At the time he could say very little, only to repeat over and over again, "I am innocent, I am innocent, I am not guilty of this.

"I did not believe it possible that any such thing could happen to me. I could not believe it, but I know I am innocent."

Bram is bearing up remarkably well, and seems confident of securing a new trial. He slept soundly Saturday night, and yesterday morning arose and ate a hearty breakfast. He does not show the least trace of nervousness.

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Harry T. Booth, one of the jurymen who convicted Bram, says:

"I am prepared, and I think I can get four others of the Bram jury to do the same, to make an affidavit that in agreeing to the return of a verdict of 'Guilty' against the prisoner, we voted against our convictions.

"That is to say, that while we may all have believed that the mate was the man who committed the crime, at the same time we did not consider the evidence established that beyond all doubt.

"The verdict was in reality the result of the belief of the jury that they were permitted only two courses—to find the prisoner 'Guilty' or 'Not Guilty'—and could not come into court finally without having agreed.

"Another and very potent factor in bringing about the result was the meaning given by the jurors to Judge Colt's instructions as to how a minority should be guided in endeavoring to come to the views of the majority. The court was understood to have practically instructed the jury that the minority must give in to the majority, or in other words, that one or two men in the minority must consent to hang a man, because the majority considers him to have been proven guilty."

SUNDAY BLAZE AT LYNN.

Three-Story Wooden Building Destroyed With Contents.

Lynn, Mass., Jan. 4.—A three-story wooden building, 827 to 831 Washington street, owned by Stephen Breed and occupied by a number of manufacturing firms, was completely destroyed by fire yesterday morning, with a loss to the owner and occupants of $30,000. The fire started in the vicinity of the boiler room, and when discovered was burning briskly.

By the time the first engines arrived the flames had a firm hold on the building, and as the contents were of a tinder like nature, there being two box factories in the structure, it was only a matter of a few minutes before the entire building was enveloped. Additional fire apparatus was summoned, and by hard work the firemen managed to keep the fire from spreading to adjoining property. The losses by the fire are as follows:

Building, owned by Stephen Breed, loss $15,000, insurance $4000; Thomas Collier, Jr., box manufacturer, loss $3000, insurance $1500; Charles C. Blaisdell, lumber, loss $3500, insurance $2000; Challenge Tube company, loss $5000, insurance $3000; J. L. Whittredge, sand and cement dealer, loss $1700, insurance $5000, and Consolidated Insulated Tube company, loss $1000, insurance $2250.

Cocking Main at Hartford.

Hartford, Jan. 4.—Sheriff Smith and deputies, with the assistance of a large force of policemen in charge of Sergeant Lyman Smith, broke up a cocking main at Charter Oak park yesterday morning and arrested 53 men. The birds were from East Hartford and Burnside against Hartford, and the main was to consist of 10 battles. The main was being held in an old barn connected with the hotel. The men were so intent in watching the battle then in progress that the police were among them before they had a chance to run. One man leaped out of a window right on to Police Officer Dunn, and in the scuffle he and a few others escaped. The officers also found a bar rigged up which was largely stocked with beer and liquors. Four dead birds and two large boxes of live birds, which, from the pasters, appeared to have been shipped from Boston, were secured as evidence. The men were taken before Justice Tuttle of West Hartford, and each was fined $15.56.

Desperate Negro.

Bridgeport, Conn., Jan. 4.—Frank Christian, a colored man, who is serving a year in jail for burglary, made a murderous attack yesterday on Polo Atlier, a fellow-prisoner, and would have killed him except for the fact that he was quickly secured by some of the other prisoners and disarmed. In some manner Christian secured a knife, which he had concealed about his person, and yesterday morning, when the prisoners were washing, Christian accused Atlier of stealing his soap. When Atlier denied the theft Christian made a lunge at him with the knife and made a gash about four inches long just below Atler's left groin. He was attempting to make a second thrust when he was seized and disarmed. He will now be held for the superior court for murderous assault.

Second Term at Harvard.

Cambridge, Mass., Jan. 4.—The second term of the present academic year at Harvard begins today, and every student of the college is obliged to register before noon. With the present week athletics, which have lain dormant since the close of the football and supplementary rowing season will awake again, with the call for candidates for the Mott Haven team. The candidates for the nine will also begin preliminary practice, and if the present open weather continues, there is a chance for outside work. Considerable interest is being manifested in the teams, and it is likely that a large number of students will try for places. The semi-annual examinations begin in three weeks, so that no hard practice for either of the teams will be indulged in until February.

Fire In Postoffice.

Manchester, N. H., Jan. 4.—The store of Albert N. Nettel, at Goff's Falls, was damaged by fire yesterday to the extent of $3000. There is an insurance of $1900 on the building and stock. The postoffice was located in the store, and several pouches and a small amount of mail was destroyed.

Boy Drowned While Skating.

Waltham, Mass., Jan. 4.—The first drowning accident of the season in this city occurred yesterday, when William Murphy, 10 years of age, son of Patrick Murphy, was drowned while skating on the Charles river. The body was recovered a few hours after the accident.

House Burned by Lamp Explosion.

Lynn, Mass., Jan. 4.—A lamp exploded in a house on West Green street, yesterday, owned and occupied by Edward Hurd, causing a loss of $1200. James McClure, a boarder, was so severely burned about the body that his recovery is considered doubtful.



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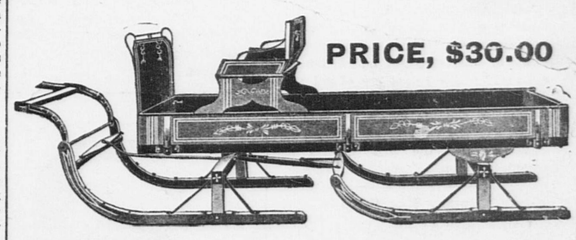
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THE "CITY OF PRESIDENTS" today enters upon its ninth year as a city, which is the 105th of Quincy, the town being incorporated in 1792. We have had but four gentlemen in the executive chair, and but four other candidates for the office. The Mayors and years of service have been;

HON. CHARLES H. PORTER,	1889-90
HON. HENRY O. FAIRBANKS,	1891-92-93
HON. WILLIAM A. HODGES,	1894-95
HON, C. F. ADAMS, 2d,	1896-97

It will be seen that every Mayor has been reelected, although Mayor Fairbanks was the only one to serve three years. All have been from Ward One except Mayor Fairbanks. The first two were elected as Republicans, and the last two as Democrats, so that we have had five Republican administrations, and are entering upon the fourth Democratic year.

During the same time there has been but five Presidents of the City Council as follows:

HERBERT M. FEDERHEN,	1889
HENRY O. FAIRBANKS,	1890
JAMES THOMPSON,	1891-92
E. W. HENRY BASS,	1893 94-95
CHARLES M. BRYANT,	1896-97

All the above were elected as Republicans. Wards One, Two, Three and Five have been represented in the chair, the latter with two, while Wards Four and Six have had neither President or Mayor, although they have had candidates for both positions.

Christopher A. Spear has been clerk of the City Council since the organization of the city government, serving also the first five years as City Clerk, and the last few years as clerk of committees.

SATURDAY'S EIGHT-PAGE LEDGER was in demand and the edition was exhausted. The general comment seemed to be that it was an enterprising issue, and that the pictures were most excellent, especially that of Councilman Nash. Some were under the impression that we had inserted a cut of a recent Presidential candidate for Councilman Packard, but nevertheless there was the likeness of the popular Councilman-at-large. New cuts of Councilman Phillips and Swithin were used.

MAYOR ADAMS was late this year in getting his inaugural address written and it was a case of hustle in the LEDGER office this morning. At nine o'clock nothing had been heard from it and it was not known when a copy would be ready for the printers. At ten it had not arrived and it was after eleven before we received a copy. Yet the LEDGER generally gets there, and is out on time with the address in full. Comments will appear in tomorrow's issue.

Wollaston Mortified.

"Oh, that Wollaston had an art commission with arbitrary powers to pass upon the architecture and painting of some of the structures in its business section!" This is the cry of all good Wollastonians. The latest addition with its rainbow coloring makes the judicious grieve and the esthetic weep. It is not surprising that the citizens, with one accord, feel mortified at this structure.

Quincy Post Office.

Letters uncalled for Monday, Jan. 4:

George Barker, Joseph B. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Ottis Bates, William Creighhorn, Domenico Floro, Josef Lillmas, Richard Long, Lawrence Trears.

Miss. Maggie Crowley, Mrs. Viola F. Copp, Miss Katie Flavin, Mrs. George L. Thorn, Miss Reda Wareger.

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—The pneumatic system which Boston is to have next year will include four miles of pipe, eight inches in diameter. Merchandise as well as messages can be sent. A messenger service to take letters and parcels to the nearest office on call is to be included, and from there the letter or parcel will be whisked to destination in a jiffy.

—The funds of the Boston Safe Deposit and Trust Company have not been impaired by the defalcation of Treasurer Miles, so it is stated, but somebody has lost heavily by the dishonesty of the fugitive.—*Lynn Item.*

—Good society has long ago tabooed the use of "sir" and "ma'am." "Yes" and "no," respectfully uttered, is all that is necessary. Only domestics use these terms in addressing their superiors.

INAUGURATION DAY.

Mayor Adams Takes the Oath of Office For Second Time.

City Council Re-elects President Bryant and Clerk Spear.

The Inaugural Address in Full and Proceedings of Council.

Although 12 o'clock noon is an inconvenient hour for many, there was a large attendance at the Council chamber at City Hall at that hour today to witness the inauguration ceremonies of the new city government.

The ceremonies were simple as usual and the hour of day, the large attendance and a bouquet on the President's desk were the only things to distinguish it from a meeting of the Council, yet there was an absence of many who have been prominent as Councilmen, and also of debate.

Promptly on the hour as the old town clock was striking, Hon. Charles Francis Adams, 2d, the Mayor elect, escorted by City Clerk Keith, entered the hall, and proceeded to the platform.

The City Clerk administered the oath of office to Mayor Adams and the members of the City Council present. Eugene H. Sprague Councilman at-large was the only absentee.

Mayor Adams delivered his address calmly and clearly with no attempt at oratory and there was no applause except at the close, the delivery taking just thirteen minutes.

The address in full will be found on the third page of this issue.

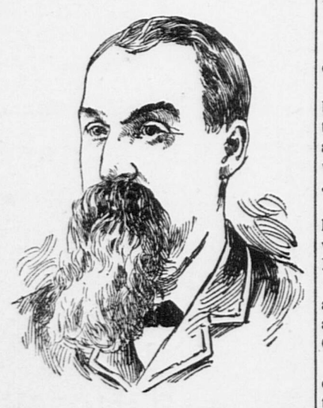
At the conclusion of the Mayor's address Charles M. Bryant was reelected president, receiving 20 votes. Councilman Bryant voted for N. G. Nickerson, Councilman Johnson for John Q. A. Field and Councilmen Sprague was absent.



Councilman Nickerson moved to make the vote unanimous but the City Clerk said he could not entertain the motion.

President Bryant briefly thanked the Council for the honor. He then briefly referred to the duties of the Councilmen and said one of the most important questions that was to come before them was the method of sewer assessments which the Council must carefully consider.

Christopher A. Spear was unanimously reelected clerk of council and clerk of committees.



John O. Hall was reelected City Auditor by a unanimous vote, and Harry W. Tirrell City Messenger.

Councilmen Geary, Anderson and Johnson were placed in nomination for trustees of the City Hospital the ballot resulting as follows:

Luther S. Anderson had	17
Michael B. Geary had	12
Benjamin Johnson, Jr. had	11

The clerk was instructed to cast one ballot for Clarence Burgin as Manager of Woodward Fund, and he was reelected.

Drawing of Seats.

Upon motion of Councilman Anderson the old members were allowed to keep their old seats. All but Councilmen Sidelinger, Field, Little and Pinkham retained their old seats.

The result was as follows:

Anderson, Luther S.,	8
Badger, Frank E.,	20
Cain, Thomas F.,	14
Edwards, Stephen H.,	17
Field, John Q. A.,	16
Geary, Michael B.,	21
Hultman, Eugene N.,	15
Johnson, Benjamin, Jr.,	13
Little, Stephen B.,	11
McGrath, Henry,	1
Murray, John C.,	10
Nash, John W.,	19
Nickerson, Nathan G.,	22
Packard, Elisha,	4
Parker, Theodore,	5
Phillips, Hiram W.,	3
Pinkham, Walter S.,	18
Poland, John E.,	2
Rideout, Warren H.,	9
Sidelinger, George A.,	7
Sprague, Eugene H.,	12
Swithin, John,	6

The seats will be located better by many who are regular attendants, when it is known that in 1896 they were occupied as follows: Moxon, 1; Claflin, 2; Phillips, 3; Sprague, 4: Parker, 5; Cleaves, 6; Field, 7; Anderson, 8; Rideout, 9; Murray, 10; Russell, 11; Holt, 12; Sidelinger, 13; Lamb, 14; Hayden, 15; Little, 16; Barker, 17; Rice, 18;. Pinkham, 19; Badger, 20; Geary, 21; Nickerson, 22.

The arrangement of the seats is shown roughly in the diagram below, the desks and chairs of the Cuncilmen should however be in a semi-circle. There is a chair on the right of the President for the Mayor, and another on the right of the clerk for the City Messenger.

President.

Press Table. Clerk.

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13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22

Department Officials. Department Officials.

Councilman Pinkham moved that a committee of five, to include the president, be appointed to consider the rules and report at next meeting.

The chair appointed Councilmen Pinkham, Hultman, Anderson and Geary.

Councilman Anderson offered an order authorizing the Treasurer to borrow $300,000 in anticipation of taxes.

This was referred to a special committee consisting of Councilmen Field, Geary, Anderson, Rideout and Pinkham.

Upon motion of Councilman Anderson it was voted that when the Council adjourn it be until next Monday evening at 7.35.

Adjourned at 12.45.

President Bryant.

Charles M. Bryant, who has been reelected to the office of President, is senior member of the Council in years of service.

With the exception of the years 1893 and 1894 he has served continuously since January 1, 1891, as a Councilman; this being his fifth year, and second as President. During all these years he has been an active member both on committees and upon the floor, frequently resigning the chair the past year to enter the debate.

President Bryant has served on many of the committees of the Council, and enters upon the duties of his position, after a year's experience as presiding officer, better equipped than ever to transact the business of the administrative board.

Mr. Bryant entered his fortieth year Nov. 29. He was born in Lowell in 1857, moving to Bridgewater with his parents when fifteen years of age. He attended the Bridgewater academy and fitted for business at the Chauncey Hall school, Boston. Entering the paper business he soon became treasurer of the A. Storrs & Bement Co., of Boston, which supplies most of the paper upon which the DAILY LEDGER is printed.

Councilman Bryant is married and resides on Fenno street, Ward Five. He is prominent in the social life of Wollaston, and is an all round sporting man, being fond of driving, bowling, shooting, golf and polo.

TODAY'S COURT.

Timothy McCarthy was fined $3 for drunkenness at Weymouth.

Daniel Bressnihan was arraigned for breaking and entering the shoe manufactory of M. C. Dizer & Co. at Weymouth and the larceny of shoes valued at $42, and was held in $600 for a hearing Tuesday, Jan. 12.

Thomas Doyle was arraigned for the larceny of 23 hens and 10 chickens, all valued at $33, from James G. Neal at Braintree. Case continued until Friday.

Nellie Baker and Nettie Teakles were arraigned for the larceny of goods valued at $59 from Oliver Teakles at Braintree. Case continued until Saturday.

The continued case of Patrick H. Slattery of Weymouth for the illegal keeping of intoxicating liquors was heard, and he was held in $300 for the grand jury.

—Erastus Worthington, late clerk of courts for Norfolk county, will assume his duties as trial justice at Dedham on Wednesday.

HOOD'S PILLS cure Liver Ills, Biliousness, Indigestion, Headache. A pleasant laxative. All Druggists.

DIED.

FREDERICK—In Quincy, Jan. 4, Mary Frederick, widow of the late Eleazer Frederick, aged 87 years, 10 months and 10 days.
Funeral Thursday, Jan. 7, at 2.15 P. M., from No. 8 Adams street.

WALL—In Quincy, Jan. 1, Mr. Patrick Wall, aged 48 years.

QUINCY BREVITIES.

Notes from Quincy Point, Wollaston, Atlantic, South and West Quincy.

Inauguration day.

Ninth year of the city.

Not a very auspicious day for the inauguration.

Last year there was a grand banquet on inauguration night.

Frank C. Packard, engineer of Ward One, is confined to the house.

The new City Council will hold a regular meeting next Monday evening.

It is something in the nature of a spring thaw that we are having today.

Rumor says that James W. Murray has the call for the new police appointment.

Sunday was such a mild day that large numbers of people visited Wollaston beach.

What is the matter with the flag on City Hall? It should be flying today of all days.

Many of the granite manufacturers started up this morning after a week's shut down.

Mrs. J. G. Witham of Wollaston, who has been quite ill the past week is convalescing.

Chief Williams has been confined to his bed the past week with a severe cold and sore throat.

This is the week of prayer, all of the evangelical churches observe it with services. At Wollaston union services will be held.

The Granite City wheelmen of Atlantic gave a minstrel show in the Odd Fellows' hall, Wollaston, on Friday evening of last week.

The Women's Alliance of Wollaston, gave a dramatic entertainment in the Wollaston, Unitarian vestry on Friday evening of last week.

D. Vinton Pierce has commenced his annual canvass for births, and parents should read the notice of City Clerk Keith and be governed by it.

It is said many of the Councilmen did not want to vote for the reelection of President Bryant, but Councilman Johnson alone had the courage of his convictions.

The employes of the Walker-Stetson-Sawyer Company of Boston held their annual dinner on Saturday evening at Hotel Thorndike. James H. Stetson of this city, a prominent member of the corporation, was present, and was one of the speakers.

Miss Maud Cummings, has accepted a school to teach in Beverly Farms. She is a graduate from our High school, and took one of the prizes for reading or recitation, not long ago. Miss Cummings has made her home with her sister Mrs. Sproul on Hancock street. She has had the training experience in the Wollaston school.

The Calvary Baptist church will hold cottage prayer meetings every night this week. Monday night with Mr. A. Scarborough, No. 11 Trafford street. Tuesday evening with Mr. Edwin Jones, Liberty street. Wednesday evening with Mrs. Brown, School street. Thursday evening with Mrs. William Penniman, 3 Elm place. Friday evening at the church, Franklin street. Every one interested in the salvation of others and for personal helpfulness are invited to attend these meetings.

☞ Parents wishing their children to join Miss Rose I. Byrne's private class in dancing, must make application to Mrs. E. L. Rhines, Bigelow street, before Thursday, Jan. 7th, as after that date no one will be admitted to the class. Only advanced pupils received. 3t

MANY ANXIOUS.

Several Who Would Like to be Appointed Policemen.

Now that the amendment to the Police Ordinance, increasing the number of permanent men to nine has been signed by the Mayor, there is considerable speculation as to who will receive the appointment. It is also a wonder why when the Council was changing the ordinance it did not make the number ten men, as there has been that number on constant duty for the past year.

In order that the citizens may know who is eligible to the appointment, the LEDGER gives below the names upon the civil service list with their per cent., 65 being necessary to be eligible:

VETERANS.

Henry O. Dawson.
Charles N. Hunt.
Samuel B. Turner.
James Beahn.
Samuel D. DeForrest.
Alexander H. Maxwell.
Calvin T. Dyer.
William C. Seelye.

Those who have passed examinations:

Timothy J. Golden,	91.94
Bernard O'Neil,	89.73
Frank J. Davoren,	85.46
George A. McKay,	81.78
James W. Murray,	80.09
John A. O'Brien,	79.05
George A. Cameron,	77.20
John H. Newcomb,	77.19
Edward J. Sandberg,	72 34
David L. Gordon,	68 98
John W. Baillie,	68 62

—Take one of these stormy days to go over the season's accounts, and see what you can learn from the expenses and receipts. Every business man can get useful hints from his account book.

FORECAST OF CONGRESS

Matters Which Will Be Considered by Senate and House This Week.

Fight Expected on Pacific Railroads Funding Bill.

Action on Cuban Resolution Likely to Be Delayed a Few Days.

Washington, Jan. 4.—Both houses of congress will reconvene tomorrow, the date fixed when adjournment was taken for the holidays. The senate has no program for the week except the Indian homestead bill, which is on the calendar or unfinished business.

There is liable to be a sharp clash of interests in the effort to secure consideration and a possibility that this clash may develop an interesting situation. The friends of the Pacific railroad refunding bill will make an effort to get that measure up for consideration unless they conclude that in doing so they may impair its chances of passage. Until the past day or two it appeared certain that the Cuban resolutions would be sprung immediately after the beginning of business.

It is now possible, even probable, that both questions will go over, at least for a few days. If the movement to have the committee on foreign relations again consider the question as to when is shall be taken up prevails, the question cannot be raised until after the committee meeting on Wednesday, and the advocates of delay are becoming quite sanguine that if they succeed in preventing consideration until Wednesday they will secure a still further postponement.

Senator Gear, chairman of the Pacific railroad committee, is doubtful of the advisability of pressing for the consideration of his funding bill until after the action of the house on the same measure, and may wait upon that body. If he does not delay on this account he will make an effort to get the bill up on Tuesday, or immediately after the homestead bill be disposed of.

If either the Pacific bill or the Cuban resolution secure consideration there will be a sharp contest and much animated debate.

The homestead bill will be opposed by Senator Platt and others, while Senator Pettigrew will take the lead in its advocacy.

The house will get down to serious business as soon as it reassembles after the holiday recess on Tuesday. Probably the two most important matters to be acted upon at the short session have been made special orders, and will consume the entire week. They are the Loud bill to amend the laws relating to second-class mail matter so as to prevent the shipment of books and serial publications in connection with newspapers at the 1 cent per pound rate, and to cut off the newspaper sample copy privilege, and the bill prepared by the Pacific railroad committee to fund the debts of the Pacific railroads and extend their payment for 50 years at 2 per cent. The fund bill has already been debated one day, and under the order adopted the debate will continue Tuesday and Wednesday, and the bill will be brought to a vote on the latter day at 4 o'clock.

The Pacific railroad bill will be taken up on Thursday. The general debate will continue until Friday evening. On Saturday the bill will be open to amendment under the five-minute rule, and on Monday the vote will be taken on the bill and pending amendments. The fate of the measure will determine whether the government will foreclose its mortgages on the Union and Central Pacific. Both these roads have defaulted and President Cleveland served notice in so many words in his message to congress that unless some congressional action was taken immediately steps would be taken under the authority of the present law to protect the government's interest by foreclosure proceedings.

The friends of the roads realize fully that this is the last chance they will have to accomplish the funding of the debt for which they have striven for 10 years, and they will use all their influence in its behalf. But the bill has also many bitter enemies in the west and the Pacific coast. Mr. Powers of Vermont, chairman of the committee, will be its principal champion on the floor, while Mr. Sulzer of New York and Mr. Maguire of California will lead the opposition. Both sides are now figuring on a majority, and the fate of the bill is in grave doubt. The debate is expected to be of a very lively nature and there may be some sensational incidents.

Broker Chapman In Washington.

Washington, Jan. 4.—Broker Elverton R. Chapman, one of the alleged "contumacious" witnesses before the senate Sugar trust investigating committee of the last congress, and his attorney, Senator George F. Edmunds, are in the city. Their presence here is due to the expectation that the mandate of the supreme court o fthe United States denying the writ of error in Chapman's case will be handed down to the district court today. In that event, Mr. Chapman will surrender himself to the marshal of the district, and his attorney will apply to the supreme court or one of its justices for a writ of habeas corpus by which the constitutionality of the law under which Mr. Chapman was sentenced to imprisonment for refusing to answer questions may be tested. Their hope is that the writ may be granted and pending a decision of the question Mr. Chapman will seek release on bail.

Ten Million In Prizes.

Stockholm, Jan. 4.—The conditions of the will of M. Nobel, who recently bequeathed a fortune estimated at $10,000,000 to the Stockholm university, have been made public. It is announced that the interest on $2,000,000 will be divided into five annual prizes. Prizes one, two and three will be awarded to the persons making the most important discoveries in physics, chemistry, physiology or medicine. Prize four will be given to the person making the best literary contribution upon the subject of physiology or medicine. Prize five will be awarded to any person who has achieved the most or done the best things looking to promotion to the cause of peace throughout the world. All these prizes will be open to any person anywhere in the world.

CHILD FOUND FATHER HANGING.

Suicide of the State's Principal Witness In Batchelder Murder Case.

Portland, Me., Jan. 4.—Walter S. Martin, 35 years old, of North Sebago, the principal witness for the state in the Bachelder case, committed suicide by hanging in his brother-in-law's barn in that town yesterday.

Martin's body was discovered by his 8-year-old daughter suspended by the neck from a beam in the hay mow at about 7:30 o'clock. Martin has been in Portland two days as a witness before the coroner's jury, which was investigating the cause of Mark Bachelder's death. Bachelder was found in a dying condition by the side of the road a short distance from Martin's house a week ago with ugly wounds on his head, inflicted by some blunt instrument. Martin and his brother-in-law, Henry Flint, testified before the coroner's jury that Bachelder had got into a row with a young man named Leslie A. Kenison at Martin's house, and that Kenison had struck Bachelder with a sled stake, inflicting wounds on the head. Bachelder, who was considerably intoxicated, was helped into his sleigh by Martin and Flint and started toward home. The next morning Bachelder was found beside the road and died shortly after he was discovered without regaining consciousness.

The coroner's jury returned a verdict on Saturday to the effect that Bachelder's death was due to exposure and loss of blood, and accused Leslie A. Kenison of assault on Bachelder with intent to kill. Kenison was arrested on this charge and is now in jail here. After the coroner's inquest Martin drove home to North Sebago with his brother-in-law, Flint, and Saturday night stayed at Flint's house, where Mrs. Martin had been during her husband's absence in Portland.

Yesterday morning Martin kissed his wife and children good bye and started for his home, two miles distant. Half an hour later his dead body was found in the barn. It was clearly a case of suicide. It is believed that Martin did not tell all he knew concerning Bachelder's death and the trouble at Martin's house. Kenison's case will be materially affected by the suicide of Martin, as his death deprives the state of its most important witness.

MAINE LEGISLATURE.

Very Hot Fight For the Attorney Generalcy Expected.

Augusta, Me., Jan. 4. — The Sixty-eighth legislature convenes Wednesday and already the lawmakers are arriving.

Tuesday night the important caucuses wil be held, which will continue the a upon the important elective officers.

Hon. A. R. Day of Corinna will be elected president of the senate, and Hon. Seth L. Larrabee of Portland will be selected as speaker.

Judge Savage of Auburn will preside over the judiciary committee and O. B. Cleaves of Gardiner is slated as the second member.

Judge Stearns of Caribou and Josiah H. Drummond of Portland have both received assurances a sthe third member, and the content between them is a close one.

Hon. F. L. Noble of Lewiston is sure of the house shairmanship of the judiciary committee and Senator Engel of Bangor will land the chairmanship of the committee of railroads.

Senator Walls will be appointed chairman of the committee of education.

The fight for the attorney generalship is the fight of the session. The fight lies between Hon. George M. Seiders of Portland and Hon. W. T. Haines of Waterville, with the chances in favor of the latter.

A canvass by a Maine paper gives Haines 66; Seiders, 55; F. H. Appleton of Bangor, 13; S. J. Walton, 10.

Byron Boyd will be named for secretary of state, Mr. Cotton secretary of the house and Mr. Dunbar secretary of the senate.

Banker Hammond Drowns Himself.

Chicago, Jan. 4.—William A. Hammond, late vice president of the collapsed National Bank of Illinois, committed suicide by throwing himself into Lake Michigan. He left his home on Greenwood boulevard, Evanston, having previously kissed his 2-year-old boy good bye, and he was not seen again alive. His body was discovered in the lake at the foot of Church street, Evanston, by two boys who were playing on the beach. Mr. Hammond spent the last evening of his life at the home of an old associate, Percy Palmer. From 8 to 11 o'clock he talked with his friend about the black prospects before him, and he gave frequent indications that his mind was becoming shattered under the strain of trouble. When he left he refused the offers of company, but went to his home, spending a few brief moments with his wife before he retired. At 2 in the morning it is believed he crept from the house with the fixed intention of taking his life. A few scattered scraps of paper clinging to the Dempster street pier told the first story of his death when the news of his disappearance became known in the morning. At the request of his wife, friends went in search of him, and they were satisfied as to his fate long before the body was washed upon the shore.

French Elections.

Paris, June 4.—Elections were held yesterday to replace one-third of the senators, whose terms are expiring. The senators will hold office for three years. The Radical and Socialist candidates and numerous Extremists had hoped to secure enough seats to change the character of the senate and to prevent a recurrence of the constitutional struggle which occurred last April between the senate and the Bourgeois cabinet. Their platform called for the election of senators by usual suffrage. Their hopes were blighted, all of the Socialists having been defeated. The complete results of the election for senators show the election of 64 Republicans, 21 Radicals and 12 Reactionaries.

Death of Congressman Beaver.

Beaver Falls, Pa., Jan. 4.—News received here that Hon. J. J. Davidson of Beaver, the well-known Republican congressman-elect for this, the Twenty-fifth district, had died last night at Phoenix, Ariz., where he had gone in the hope of improving his health. His death was due to lung trouble.

Resigns After Thirty Years.

Concord, N. H., Jan. 4.—Rev. F. D. Ayer, D. D., resigned as pastor of the North Congregational church yesterday, the resignation to take effect in September, when he will have completed the 30th year of his connection with the church.

LETTER CARRIERS DINE.

Old Board of Officers Reelected—Benefit Association to be Formed.

The Quincy Letter Carriers of Branch 129, N. A. L. C., and their invited guests, Postmaster James F. Burke and the male clerks of the post office, held their annual dinner at the Hancock House Saturday evening.

Before the supper the carriers held a meeting and elected their officers for the ensuing year. The old board of officers were the unanimous choice. President, Francis P. Loud; Vice President, John D. Williams; Secretary, Elmer W. Baker; Treasurer, Andrew W. Gardner.

They also voted to form a benefit association connected with their branch and elected a committee, John D. Williams, John J. Cunniff and Elmer W. Baker to draw up a set of bylaws.

At 8.40 the postmaster and clerks having arrived all did justice to the following menu:

Oysters.
Blue Points on half shell.
Soups.
Mock Bisque, Maccaroni.
Fish.
Baked Blue.
Roasts.
Turkey, Cranberry Sauce.
Ribs Beef, Brown Gravy.
Entrees.
Veal Pie, Escalloped Oysters.
Vegetables.
Mashed Potatoes, French Peas.
Sweet Potatoes, Onions.
Puddings.
Cottage, Apple Dumplings.
Pies.
Mince, Apple, Lemon.
Ice Cream, Sponge Cake.
Roquefort, Sage Cheese.
Nuts, Raisins, Grapes, Oranges, Bananas.
Tea, Coffee, Cocoa.
Cigars.

The table was handsomely decorated with flowers and potted plants. There was plenty and to spare of each course and it was well cooked and well served.

At the tables speeches were made by the president, postmaster and vice president.

From the tables the party adjourned to the parlors and passed an hour or two sociably at cards, singing, etc.

Seven years ago there were then connected with the post office but seven persons: Postmaster, one clerk, four carriers and one substitute. Today the force includes 21, viz:

Postmaster, five clerks, nine carriers and six substitutes.

—A writer to the Stoughton Sentinel says, that about sixty persons were convicted in Brockton in 1895 for selling intoxicating liquors; were mostly fined, a few only serving time. In 1896, under Marshal Packard, 80 were convicted and at the present time 21 are in the House of Correction working for the County. This effectual work by the Marshal, exceeds that of any former officer filling his position by more than 25 per cent. Of course the law abiding citizens are pleased, and the good work will go on in the year 1897 probably, under the same management.

Can't Eat

This is the complaint of thousands at this season. They have no appetite; food does not relish. They need the toning up of the stomach and digestive organs, which a course of Hood's Sarsaparilla will give them. It also purifies and enriches the blood, cures that distress after eating and internal misery only a dyspeptic can know, creates an appetite, overcomes that tired feeling and builds up and sustains the whole physical system. It so promptly and efficiently relieves dyspeptic symptoms and cures nervous headaches, that it seems to have almost "a magic touch."

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NOTICE TO PARENTS.

CITY OF QUINCY.

CITY CLERK'S OFFICE, Dec. 14, 1896.

THE Record of births in any city or town is always more or less unsatisfactory, owing to the fact that the canvasser finds difficulty in getting the necessary information. Names and dates are frequently given incorrectly. The importance of accuracy is shown in many cases where there is a question of descent, or inheritance of property, or collection of life insurance or pensions. The City Clerk's copy of the record is accepted as conclusive evidence in a court of law. While great pains are taken by this office to have the record correct, experience shows that it is necessary that parents themselves should lend their assistance. In fact the law requires that parents shall give notice to the City Clerk of the birth of their children, and provides a penalty for neglect to give such notice for the space of six months.

It often happens that only children or servants are at home when the canvasser makes his call, and the answers to his questions are open to doubt. I therefore request all parents in whose households a birth has occurred in the year 1896, to place upon a paper or card the required information, and keep it in a convenient place until the canvasser appears.

The canvass will be commenced on Jan. 1, 1897.

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Wednesday, Jan. 6th,

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19c. per lb.

Regular 28-cent Mixture.

☞ Big mark down on Baker's Boxed Goods for that day only.

We Have Made a Stand for



In fact we have made that quite a while ago But within a few days we have made a stand for LOWEST POSSIBLE prices on every piece of furniture in our store.

The variety of the stock is as great as ever, giving a wide scope for the pleasing of individual tastes. The quality, strength and beauty of every article of furniture is unsurpassed. Consider the saving that can be effected by purchasing now. We think this quite the most magnificent reduction yet attempted in this city,

—— AT ——

The Oldest Furniture Store in Quincy.

Established by JOSEPH AREY in 1859.

FRANK F. CRANE, Proprietor,

4 and 6 Chestnut Street.

Beginning Jan. 11th.

And for a short time only we shall give to each purchaser of 1 pound of our

50c. Oolong, English Breakfast or Japan Tea,

the choice of the following articles:

A Cake or Bread Box with hinged cover. Double Roaster with ventilator. Granite Iron Coffee or Tea Pot. Quaker Crimped Bread Pan—just the thing.

We wish to secure more customers for our **FINE TEAS,** and to introduce them into every family in Quincy and vicinity we offer the above inducements.

THESE ARTICLES RETAIL EVERYWHERE FOR 50 CENTS.

You may wonder how we can offer such an inducement and sell GOOD TEA, but we will say right here, if our Tea is not perfectly satisfactory you are at liberty to exchange same. What we wish is to make a customer of YOU for our Teas and notwithstanding we make a loss on every pound while the sale lasts, we expect to reap a benefit hereafter by giving you a Tea that will please and make you a permanent customer.

Cordon's China and 5 Cent Store,

Hotel Greenleaf Block, Hancock Street, Quincy.

Look at Every Room



You go into. What is that makes some prettier than others? Isn't it the furnishing? Your furniture need not necessarily be costly and magnificent, but it should be artistic and pretty—it should be honest all the way through.

It should give you pleasure every time you look at or sit in it, and it should last you a life time. We sell such furniture. We should be glad to have you inspect it whenever you care to. There is rest and dreamy lazing on tap for all who choose this store to trade in. A pinch of profit for us, the rest is all for you.

HENRY L. KINCAICE & CO.,

Reliable, Low Priced House Furnishers,

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The Willard Alleys

HAVE BEEN OPENED AT

172 Copeland Street, West Quincy.

Regulation size, and first-class in every respect. Match games may be arranged.

McDONALD & CRAY.

Jan. 2—1m

INAUGURAL ADDRESS.

The School Budget Causes Gravest Apprehension.

New Fire Station More Needed Than City Hall Remodeling.

The Limit This Year for Current Expenses is $210,400.

The inaugural address of Mayor Adams delivered today at City Hall is given in full herewith, although it was after eleven o'clock before the LEDGER received a copy. Every Councilman should carefully reread it and every taxpayer also. They will learn that the demands are many and the resources limited, and Mayor Adams covers the issue fully and clearly:

Gentlemen:

We meet to take up the work of a new year, to review the past and consider the needs of the future.



This year two new schoolhouses have been built at a cost of $75,000, two old ones furnished with new systems of heating and ventilation at a cost of $9,000, and $7,420 has been spent in new construction on various highways. For these purposes we have borrowed $91,420. During the year $49,080 of the city debt has been paid, and the city debt has thus increased $41,440. The figures in more detail are as follows:—

DEBT STATEMENT.

Jan 1, 1896, amount city debt,		$264,895 61
Added during the year:		
Two schoolhouses,	$75,000 00	
Regrading Cross street,	600 00	
Retaining wall, Willard street,	520 00	
Heating Adams and Quincy schoolhouses,	9,000 00	
Adams street,	4,000 00	
Buckley street,	1,300 00	
Newbury street,	800 00	
Ryden street,	200 00	$91,420 00
		$356,315 61
Paid during year,		49,980 00
City debt, Dec. 31, 1896,		$306,335 61
Falling due as follows:		
In 1897,	$64,020 00	
1898,	58,280 00	
1899,	62,980 00	
1900,	54,300 00	
1901,	27,755 61	
1902,	9,000 00	
1903,	9,000 00	
1904,	9,000 00	
1905,	8,500 00	
1906,	7,500 00	

WATER DEPARTMENT.

Jan. 1, 1896,		$725,000 00
Added during the year,		18,000 00
		$743,000 00
Paid during the year,		26,500 00
Water debt, Dec. 31, 1896,		$716,500 00

PLAYGROUNDS.

Dec. 31, 1895,		$18,000 00
Paid in 1896,		1,000 00
Dec. 31, 1896,		$17,000 00

SEWER DEBT.

$1,500 each year from 1898 to 1900,		$4,500 00
$2,500 each year from 1901 to 1905,		12,500 00
$1,500 each year from 1906 to 1937,		48,000 00
		$65,000 00

It will appear from this that $64,020 or over 20 per cent. of our general debt falls due this year as against $50,000 last. This is plainly far too great a burden for any year to bear, and we cannot fail to feel the result very seriously in an increased tax rate, a thing which we can ill afford to bear. There is nothing now to be done for this year, but we should avoid increasing the amount of debt falling due in 1898 and 1899, and by other economies do what we can to relieve the pressure this year.

For the current expenses we can raise either $12 per $1000 of the total valuation of 1896, less abatements, or a like amount of the average valuation of the three preceding years. By the first method of limit it is $210,400; by the second $206,900. Last year it was not easy to keep our expenses within the limit. Our current expenses this year must be very largely increased by the expense of maintaining the two new schools, and this year we are bound to recognize before authorizing any increase in annual expenditure that this limit compels, as our tax-payers demand, a policy of strictest economy. We must keep our expenses within our income even if the care and lighting of our streets should not be improved, the safety of our property not increased, and even though we pay meagre salaries. Our possible income is not likely to increase rapidly since valuations are already so high, as to be at times beyond the actual value of the property, and we are faced with a very serious problem in adjusting our needs to our resources.

The chief work of construction to be undertaken during the year is the sewer. An advantageous contract with the city of Boston for the disposal of our sewerage has been made; and the necessary plans and surveys are so far ready that the work of construction can begin with the opening of spring. Money has already been appropriated for the main sewer from the centre of the city to the proposed pumping station. There is no reason why the force-main to Moon Island, the pumping station and possibly some lateral sewers should not be constructed during the year in addition to what has been provided for, and I feel sure that the council will agree that there is loss, not economy, in delay, and that all the money which can be economically used ought to be appropriated when asked for by the commission.

Recognizing the great importance of providing for surface drainage, careful study has been given to the possibility of using the sewer for that purpose. All who have studied the problem agree that it would be very expensive and wasteful to do so, and the plans which have been adopted are based upon the belief that surface drainage can be more economically provided for by improving our natural water-ways.

WATER DEPARTMENT.

During the year, 31 miles of water mains have been laid, and 301 new service connections made, thus adding possibly $5000 to the earning capacity of the plant. On the other hand the maintenance account has not increased. The season has been such that our reservoir has furnished without difficulty the increased supply of water made necessary by the increased number of consumers. We are not, however, in a position to supply the city safely should a season of great drought occur before the Metropolitan Water system is complete, and the commission recognizing this are now at work, and at the proper time will report a scheme for securing a temporary supply of water sufficient for the needs of perhaps four years. It is plain that there is no system of economy short of refusing new takers that will alone provide for the needs of the next four or five years and I think it equally plain that we should buy water rather than stop putting in service connections and thus retard the growth of the city.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Our present force is adequate, and with our other needs I cannot see my way to advising any increase in the expense of this department. I think it would be wise, however, to give one of the officers now on duty the title of Sergeant, that there may be some authority in the absence of the chief, and further to give the special liquor officer a title which will indicate the fact that a large part of his usefulness is in detecting thefts and recovering lost property. In justice the men should have better quarters, and the city should have a more decent lock-up than the basement of City Hall now provides.

CITY HALL.

The plans presented for the re-modelling of the hall did not satisfactorily provide for this, as well as some other departments, and needed perfecting in detail. I believe, however, that our future needs can best be provided for by alterations substantially on the lines of the plans offered this year, yet I think we require a new fire station more than we do a new City Hall, and this should first receive attention.

WOODWARD FUND.

For some years the need and possibility of increasing the accommodations and usefulness of this school has been felt. Previous attempts had been made to secure plans for a satisfactory increase without too great expense. This year Messrs. Kendall & Stevens presented plans which gave excellent results at a cost including all fitting and furniture of about $20,000. This the fund could afford without any danger that the income might fail to be sufficient for the generous maintenance of the increased school, provided always that reasonable prudence of management is exercised. The additions have accordingly been made and the school is now substantially ready for occupancy.

HIGHWAYS.

With the limited sum available it is nearly impossible to make repairs in a permanent and satisfactory manner. Yet during the year material advance has been made in the condition of our streets, and what was given was well used. Better sidewalks are as requisite for the comfort of our citizens and the development of the city as improved streets, yet while we borrow largely each year for new street construction and spend almost all of the annual appropriation of $18,000 on the streets, we only appropriate $1000 annually for edge-stones and sidewalks. It is doubtful whether we can afford not to do more in this line in future. Any paving has been postponed till the sewer pipes are in the streets and they are in condition for permanent improvement. As nearly all recognize the wisdom and economy of paving both Hancock and Copeland streets as our means allow, there is here another argument for pushing forward the work of sewer construction.

The Highway department is hampered at present by the necessity of using in common with the poor department a stable so miserable as to endanger the condition of horses and men, so small as to make economical purchases of grain or hay impossible, and so deficient in accommodation as to compel three departments to use one room for the cleaning and storage of their harnesses and tools. A new stable could be built for about $3,000, and is among our needs, but the department will cheerfully continue in its present quarters till the city is in condition to improve them.

SCHOOLS.

This department will require an increase of $10,000 in their budget to meet the expenses of the two new schools. While I recognize that education is the first requisite to success, take pride in the belief that our schools are among the best in the Commonwealth, and have no desire to stint those things necessary for the best mental and physical development of the coming generation, yet I cannot but view with gravest apprehension a school budget of $95,000, and I trust the School Committee will realize that other departments will be compelled to forego many matters of great need, and will exercise the same rigid economy that other departments must practise in order to bring the expenses of the city within the iron limits of what we can legally raise for current expenses.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Next to education should come the protection of the property and the lives of our citizens. The success of this department in the last few years has been due to its chief and the discipline of his men rather than to the adequacy of the means supplied. The apparatus is sufficient, but the system of call men and catch horses on which he must depend for getting much of that apparatus to fires means failure to the primary requisite of speed and certainty. We are in need of permanent men and horses wherever we have apparatus, and having them we could well dispense with many of the call men. We must not forget however that this means a cost of over $4,000 annually. It would further be in the interest of efficiency and safety to concentrate the men and apparatus of Ward V and VI in a central station. The maintenance of this station with its necessary men and horses would amount to $4,000 a year, and if we add the cost of the men and horses proposed for Wards II and IV we find an expense of about $6,000 a year, exclusive of the first cost of apparatus, horses and the central station. The councilmen must prayerfully consider the financial condition of the city and the effect of the probable tax rate, and they must be satisfied that it is physically and legally possible to raise this sum annually in addition to the $10,000 which must be added to the budget for school purposes, before they are justified in so far increasing our yearly expenses. Thoroughly believing in the policy of assuring safety from fire, and thoroughly sympathizing with the chief's desire for more adequate means, yet I am not satisfied that these measures can safely be adopted today.

CONCLUSION.

Our future depends on our efforts in securing new residents and new industries. To attract the former we should do what lies in our power to hasten the promised improvements in track and motive power on the New Haven Road, and the consequent abolition of its grade crossings; and to secure the shore reservation and boulevard which is now under consideration by the Metropolitan Park Commission. To attract the latter the city goverment can offer neither subsidy, aid, nor attraction beyond that which the highest standard of honesty and honor in municipal government in itself lends.

We meet, gentlemen, to execute a trust of highest importance which has been reposed in us by our fellow-citizens. The first duty which a strict fidelity in the execution of that trust imposes is to avoid recklessness and extravagance, and any tendency to use the public funds for the benefit of an individual, or of some locality at the expense of the general welfare. If we realize this and act accordingly we shall not at least have failed in our duty to ourselves, our city, and our government I pledge to you all aid that I, or any executive officer can give, in the accomplishment of your task.

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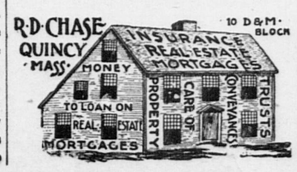
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These are very desirable rooms, warm and pleasant in winter, and cool and airy in summer. Clubs or societies looking for good quarters will do well to look at these rooms.

Mr. Durgin or Mr. Merrill will be found upon the premises to show any one through the building who may call.

Quincy, Jan. 1.

Vermont Investors' Losses.

Montpelier, Vt., Jan. 4.—The Farmers' Trust company of Sioux City, Ia., which closed its doors last week, was an institution in which many people in this vicinity had faith, and the failure will prove a great blow to its Vermont investors. It is estimated that $100,000 in stock of the company was held in this county. According to returns since the failure, 50 per cent of the liabilities of $135,000 is said to be due people of this state. Frank A. Dwinell, the president, George W. Wing, the treasurer, and Clark King, one of the directors, reside here, as the company had an eastern office in this city.

Oil Works Burned.

Boston, Jan. 4.—The lubricating oil works of F. L. Young & Kimball, at the foot of O street, South Boston, burned yesterday afternoon, with a loss of $15,000. As there was no fire or lights of any kind about the premises, the origin of the fire is a mystery. The fire department had hard work in suppressing the conflagration. The works burned in a mysterious manner a year ago last August. The estate belonged to the Bay State Iron Works company, but it is stated was sold last week to Jesse Tirrell.

Mgr. Martinelli In Boston.

Boston, Jan. 4.—Mgr. Martenelli arrived here shortly before 9 o'clock yesterday from Lawrence, where he has been spending the past three days. He was met at the station by Rev. Timothy Bresnahan, S. J., president of Boston college, and upon being taken to the college at the South End retired almost immediately. He will spend two or three days in this city, and will probably depart for Washington on Wednesday.

Married Man Drowned.

Somersworth, N. H., Jan. 4.—Frank Bogard of Berwick, Me., 23 years old, married, while skating on Salmon Falls river yesterday, broke through the ice beneath Eddy bridge and was drowned. The body was afterward recovered. James Otis, the young man's father-in-law, while the body was being grappled for, fell into the river and narrowly escaped a similar fate.

Bullet In Lungs.

Farmington, Me., Jan. 4.—John Dobbins, the 14-year-old son of James Dobbins, shot himself accidentally Saturday afternoon. While climbing over a fence his rifle went off. The bullet, a 22-caliber, entered just above the right hip and took an upward course and lodged in the lungs, internal hemorrhage is feared.

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14, Sea st, Houghs Neck engine house

QUINCY CENTRE.

21, Granite st, corner Cranch pl
23, Hancock st opposite Cottage av
24, Adams st, corner Whitwell st
25, Canal st, corner Newcomb st
26, Hancock st, on Stone church
27, Washington st, corner Elm st
28, Hancock st, corner Greenleaf st

SOUTH QUINCY.

32, Franklin st, corner Independence av
35, Hancock st, corner School st
36, Pleasant st, corner Quincy st
37, Franklin st, corner Water st
38, Liberty st, corner Plain st
39, Penn st, near corner Liberty st
138, Brooks ave corner of Centre st

WEST QUINCY.

41, Granite st, corner School st
42, Jones Corner, Granite st, junc. Water
43, Copeland st, cornerCommon st
45, Crescent st, corner Willard st
46, Copeland st, corner Furnace av
47, Bates ave, corner Grove st
48, Willard st, corner Robertson st
49, Willard st, corner Larry pl
441, Quarry st, corner Smith st
442, Quarry st, near Hitchcock's quarry
443, West st, corner Hayden st

WOLLASTON.

51, Tubular Rivet works off Hancock st
52, Farrington st, corner Elmwood av
53, Warren av, corner Winthrop av
54, Hancock st, corner Fenno st
56, Wollaston Hotel, cor Newport av and Beale st
57, Beach st, corner Willow st
58, Adams st, corner Beale st
59, Beale st, corner Central av
151, Billings road, cor Beach st
152, Billings road, cor Rawson road

ATLANTIC.

61, Hancock st, corner Squantum st
62, Hancock st, corner Atlantic st
63, Hancock st, near Atlantic depot
64, Newbury av, corner Billings st
65, Squantum st, cor Faxon road
67, Atlantic st, corner Squantum st
68, At Squantum

QUINCY POINT.

71, Washington st, corner Mill st
171, Union st, corner Main st
72, Washington st, corner South st
172, Sumner st, corner Glencoe pl
73, Howard st, corner Winter st
74, Washington st, corner of River st
75, Main st, corner Sumner st
76, Washington st, near Point bridge

OUT OF TOWN CALLS.

135, Weymouth
137, Braintree
158, Milton
162, Boston

OTHER SIGNALS.

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One Session School,—2-2 three times
Test,—One blow, 7 A M, 5 P M
Chief's Call,—3 blows
Police Call,—3 three times
Militia Call,—4 three times
Supt. Water Work's call,—6 blows, followed by box number

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LOST—A St. Bernard Puppy, 7 months old, white face and breast. No collar. A reward will be given if returned to LEON WARD, 9 Bennington street, Quincy.
Jan. 4 * 3t

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Leave CITY HALL for Neponset—6.00 A. M., 6.15, 6.30, 6.45, 7.00, and every 15, 30, 45 and 60 minutes past the hour until 7.00 P. M., then every half hour until 10.50 P. M. Cars leaving Quincy on the hour via. Norfolk Downs, except 6.00 P. M.

Leave NEPONSET—6.22 A. M., 6.37, 6.52, 7.07, 7.22, and every 7, 22, 37 and 52 minutes past the hour until 7.00 o'clock, then every half hour until 11 P. M.; last car for Quincy at 11.15 P. M. Cars leaving Neponset 22 minutes past the hour via. Norfolk Downs.

Quincy and East Weymouth.

Leave CITY HALL (10 minutes later from Quincy Point and 22 minutes later from North Weymouth)—5.45, 6.20, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, 11.20, 11.50 A. M.; 12.20, 12.50, 1.20, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20 4.50 5.20 (5.30 to East Weymouth car house), 5.50, 6.20, 6.30, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.50 P. M.

Leave EAST WEYMOUTH (20 minutes later from North Weymouth and 30 minutes later from Quincy Point)—6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11, 11.30 A. M.; 12, 12.30, 1, 1.30, 2, 2.30, 3, 3.30, 4, 4.30, 5, 5.30, 6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11, 11.30 P. M.

Quincy and East Milton.

Leave CITY HALL, 5.55, 6.25, then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 8.55 P. M., then at 9.50 and 10.50 P. M.

Leave EAST MILTON, 6.30, 7.00 A. M., then on the hour and half hour until 9.30 P. M., then at 10.20 and 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and Holbrook.

Leave QUINCY for SOUTH BRAINTREE and HOLBROOK at 6.10 and 6.40 A. M., and every 10 minutes past and 20 minutes of the hour until 10.10 P. M. Last car leaves at 10.50 P. M. On Saturdays the last car leaves Quincy at 11.50 P. M.

Returning cars leave HOLBROOK for SOUTH BRAINTREE and QUINCY at 5.55 and 6.25 A. M., and every 25 minutes past and 5 minutes of the hour until 9.55 P. M. Last car leaves Holbrook at 11.30 P. M.

SUNDAYS.

Cars leave QUINCY on the hour and half hour from 7.30 A. M. to 10 P. M. Last car leaves at 10.50 P. M.

Returning cars leave HOLBROOK every 15 minutes of and 15 minutes past the hour from 7.45 A. M. to 10.15 P. M.

☞ Cars leaving Quincy at 20 minutes of the hour connect at South Braintree with car for Randolph.

☞ Cars from Randolph connect with cars at South Braintree for Quincy.

☞ On Sundays on the Weymouth route cars will leave Quincy on the hour and half hour and East Weymouth at quarter past and quarter of the hour.

☞ Special trips can be arranged on application to the Superintendent.

☞ At Quincy Centre close connection is made with Electric Cars on all the routes.

☞ At Neponset close connection is made with West End Street Cars to and from Boston.

☞ Cars are due at Beale street, Wollaston, ten minutes after leaving Neponset and seven minutes after leaving Quincy.

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On and after Nov. 2, 1896, trains will run as follows: (See note of explanation at bottom.)

TO BOSTON. Leave Quincy.	Stops at	Arrive Boston.	FROM BOSTON. Leave Boston.	Stops at	Arrive Quincy
r 6 12	abc	* 6 30	5 53	ihgfedcba	* 6 20 r
r 6 42	abc	7 00	6 30	cba	6 49 r
r 7 12	abc	7 30	7 30	cba	7 49 r
7 29	a	7 48	8 30	cba	8 49 r
r 7 42	abc	8 00	9 30	cba	9 49 r
r 8 12	abc	8 30	10 30	cba	10 49 r
8 29	a	8 45	11 30	cba	11 49 r
r 8 42	abc	9 00	12 00	(xx)	12 15
r 9 12	abc	9 30	12 30	cba	12 49 r
r 10 12	abc	10 30	1 30	cba	1 49 r
r 11 12	abc	11 30	2 30	cba	2 49 r
r 12 12	abc	12 30	3 30	cba	3 49 r
r 1 12	abc	1 30	4 30	cba	4 49 r
1 46	(xx)	2 00	5 00	cba	5 19 r
r 2 12	abc	2 30	5 15	a	5 32
r 3 12	abc	3 30	5 30	cba	5 49 r
r 4 12	abc	4 30	6 00	cba	6 19 r
r 5 12	abc	5 30	6 15	a	6 32
r 6 12	abc	6 30	6 30	cba	6 49 r
r 7 12	abc	7 30	7 00	cba	7 19 r
r 7 41	abcdefghi	8 07	7 30	cba	7 49 r
r 8 08	abcdef	8 30	8 30	fedcba	8 53 r
r 9 12	abc	9 30	9 30	cba	9 49 r
r 10 08	abcdef	10 30	10 30	fedcba	10 53 r
r 10 34	abcdefghi	11 08	11 00	ihgfedcba	11 27 r
r 11 12	abc	11 30	11 30	cba	11 49 r

SUNDAYS.

6 38	abcdef	7 00	4 05	fda	4 23
8 46	(xx)	9 00	7 30	fedcba	7 53 r
r 9 12	abc	9 30	8 30	(xx)	8 45
r 12 16	(xx)	12 30	9 30	ihgfedcba	9 57 r
1 12	abc	1 30	10 30	ihgfedcba	10 57 r
2 16	(xx)	2 30	11 30	(xx)	11 45
r 3 04	abcdefghi	3 30	12 30	cba	12 49
r 4 04	abcdefghi	4 30	1 30	(xx)	1 45
5 16	(xx)	5 30	4 30	cba	4 49 r
r 6 08	abcdef	6 30	5 00	(xx)	5 15
r 9 08	abcdef	9 30	7 00	fedcba	7 23 r
9 38	adf	9 55	10 30	fedcba	10 53 r

*The letters in the same line as the figures stand for different stations and indicate that trains stop, as follows:

a, Wollaston. b, Norfolk Downs c, Atlantic. d, Neponset. e, Pope's Hill. f, Harrison Square. g, Savin Hill. h, Crescent Avenue. i, South Boston. r, Quincy Adams. (xx), Express.

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WALTHAM & ELGIN WATCHES.	GOLD FILLED CASES, Full Jeweled, $14.00.
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SEVEN MEN MISSING

From the Cuban Filibuster Commodore, Which Went Down.

Wreck of Vessel Said to Be Work of Traitor.

Captain Montgomery and Stephan Crane Get Ashore on a Raft.

Jacksonville, Fla., Jan. 4.—That a traitor to the Cuban cause was on board the filibustering steamer Commodore and caused the loss of the vessel and cargo Saturday morning off New Smyrna, is believed by many Cubans in this city. They will not make known the name of the suspected man, but say openly that if their suspicions are confirmed, the man had better leave Florida at once.

Seven members of the expedition are missing, and it is thought they have perished.

When it was seen that nothing could save the vessel from sinking, Captain Murphy gave orders to take to the boats. A panic almost ensued among the excited Cubans. Twelve of them hurriedly entered one of the large surf boats and pulled away for Mosquito Inlet light without any thought of those left behind.

A second boat was lowered, into which 12 more of the crew hastily crowded, and had scarcely left the steamer when the boat was swamped in the heavy sea that was running.

Captain Murphy, Stephen Crane, the novelist, C. B. Montgomery and William Higgins, who were still aboard after the launching and swamping of the second boat, gathered together a quantity of timber and spars and railings, and lashing them together threw overboard the hastily improvised raft.

A small 10-foot dingy was the only boat remaining on the steamer, and this was launched and entered by the remaining members of the expedition only a moment before the vessel finally settled below the waves.

As those on the raft had no means of propelling the craft, the four men in the little dingy endeavored to tow it toward the shore. The waves were running high and sweeping the raft constantly, and the men were being washed off, until only eight were left. At this time the line parted and the raft was carried away in the darkness. After rowing about for some time in search of the others, they were finally given up as lost, and the four men in the dingy resumed their laborious pull for the shore.

The oars were carried away after going a short distance, and a sail was improvised by each of the four taking turns at holding up the captain's overcoat. The boat successfully rode the mountainous waves until it struck the surf in shore, when it capsized.

Captain Murphy, Crane and Montgomery, after a hard fight, succeeded in getting safely to shore, completely exhausted. Higgins was drowned, and his body was cast upon the sands. These three men made their way to Daytona, arriving there late in the morning. They there learned of the safe landing of the first boat. A late dispatch from Port Orange, near Daytona, says the boat containing four men had succeeded in landing there. No particulars were given. They are supposed to have been those who were washed overboard from the raft, and who succeeded in righting the overturned surf boat.

Late last night the Three Friends left for the scene of the disaster in search for those who may still be on board the raft. The steamer, however, will not be able to reach the locality until about daylight, and there is little hope of saving the wrecked men.

The Cubans charge treachery in the wreck of the steamer, saying that so soon as it was discovered that the vessel was leaking the pumps were tried, but they were found to have been tampered with and were useless. The men were then set at work bailing out the vessel with buckets, a futile task that was soon abandoned.

Wages to Be Cut 10 to 50 Per Cent.

Chicago, Jan. 4.—The Illinois Steel company has made a general cut in wages. The men were told that the amount of reduction had not yet been agreed upon, but the cut, which might be anywhere from 10 to 50 per cent, would go into effect on Feb. 1. The workmen were told that there were no favorites, every one would suffer from president down. The employes at the Bayview mills in Milwaukee received similar notice. As a sample of the cut, it was stated that some of the executive men of the concern who have been drawing $10,000 a year will have to get along with $5000. The cause is said to be a general falling in prices, said to have been occasioned by a breach of contract on the part of a certain company in underselling the other manufacturers of the country, all of whom had agreed to certain regulated prices of different products.

Youth Lacked Nerve.

Chicago, Jan. 4.—Because their parents thought them too young to marry, Nellie Uren, 19 years of age, and Obbie Health, one year younger, decided to commit suicide. The girl killed herself by drinking carbolic acid, but the nerve of the youth failed him at the last minute, and he stood by and watched his sweetheart die. The young couple entered a coal shed and passed the bottle of acid back and forth several times, neither having the courage to drink. Finally the girl drank half of it, and as soon as she felt the effects of the acid she begged young Health not to drink it, and he began making efforts for her relief. She died within a few hours, however. Health says he intended to drink, but the sight of the girl's agony was too much for him.

Probably Fatal Prize Fight.

New York, Jan. 4.—James Duffy of Boston, the featherweight pugilist, who became unconscious in the arena of the Broadway Athletic club Saturday night, at the finish of a 10-round bout with George Justice, is lying at the point of death in St. Vincent's hospital. He is still unconscious, and his death is said to be a matter of moments.

Buried In Arlington.

Washington, Jan. 4.—The funeral of Rear Admiral Joseph S. Skerritt took place yesterday from the family residence in this city, Rev. Alfred Harding of St. Paul's church officiating. A delegation from the Loyal Legion accompanied the remains to Arlington, where interment was made.

BLIZZARD RACES.

Northwest Visited by Worst Storm In Years. Traffic Blocked.

Chicago, Jan. 4.—Reports from all parts of the west tell of great damage by flood and storm. Joliet, is threatened with one of the worst floods in its history. Hickory and Spring creeks are out of their banks, and the Desplaines river and the lower end of the canal have raised 16 inches. Families are moving out of their houses, and the lowlands are flooded. Water is sweeping through the lumber yards, and the Rock Island track is submerged.

In the vicinity of Lacon, wheat has been damaged badly by the 32 hours' rain, and the roads are impassable for marketing corn. The Sangamon river is raising, threatening destruction to thousands of bushels of cribbed corn. It has rained for 60 hours, and is still raining, but growing colder.

In northern Michigan the rain is also severe. Near Menominee it has rained for 48 hours. Logging has been suspended, and hundreds of men have come out of the woods. Ice gorges at Fischer and other points on the Menominee river threaten serious consequences to Menomenee and Marinette.

In Minnesota a blizzard raged all day, with alternating rain and sleet and with falling temperature.

South Dakota suffered a severe snow storm, which prevailed all day Saturday. The snow drifted, and a railroad blockade is feared.

Nebraska is suffering from the worst blizzard it has experienced for years. Snow was 12 inches on the level Saturday night, and the wind piled great drifts six and seven feet high. Trains were delayed in the vicinity of Hastings. At Grand Island there was five feet of snow in the Union Pacific railroad yards. Telegraph and telephone service is greatly impeded.

AMERICAN GIRLS' MISTAKES.

Princess Caraman-Chimay Writes to a Brussels Newspaper.

Brussels, Jan. 4.—Writing to a Brussels newspaper, the Princess of Caraman-Chimay, formerly Miss Clara Ward of Detroit, protests against the press campaign of publicity and calumny in connection with her elopement with the Hungarian gypsy musician, Janesi Rigos. The princess says:

"American children are educated with a view to asserting their independence, and, when necessary, braving the world's prejudices and calumnies. That, however, does not preserve the American girl from the possibility of falling into error. I drifted with the fashion dictating a union between nobility and wealth. Chicago heiresses are reproached with the pursuits of coronets. Surely this is better than pursuing a dot. Having recognized my error and my heart having spoken, two courses were open to me, namely, adultress, hypocrisy or leaving the marital domicile."

The princess then concludes: "I chose the latter, fully recognizing to what I exposed myself. The divorce law was not made for nothing, and my position will eventually be legalized, my marriage with Rigos being only a question of time."

It is stated that their finances will soon compel the Princess of Chimay-Caraman and the Gypsy Rigos to abandon their luxurious mode of living.

Minnesota Auditor's Recommendations.

St. Paul, Jan. 4.—The biennial report of State Auditor Robert C. Dunn to the Minnesota legislature has been given to the press, and gives some startling figures and recommendations drawn from a rigid interpretation of the law and a careful examination of the records of his office, which includes the law department. The auditor's conclusions and recommendation regarding mineral lands, however, are most startling. He recommends that the legislature direct that action be begun in the courts looking to the recovery of lands already conveyed to the Duluth and Iron Range railroad, amounting to 200,000 acres, and that the remaining portion, 403,000 acres, be declared forfeited. These lands, conservatively valued, are worth $3,000,000, being located exclusively in St. Louis, Lake and Cook counties, which comprise the mineral and timber portions of the state. He then calls attention to the constitutional provision that all state lands must be sold at public auction. As the timber has been considered part of the realty, it has been similarly disposed of, and the state auditor now raises the question whether the mineral is not also a part of the realty, and should not be disposed in like manner. The Rockefellers and the Minnesota Iron company hold 90 per cent of the mining contracts on state lands, including the famous Oliver mine, with its great ore deposits, and these were all secured at private sale, so that if his contention be approved there would be a general shaking up in mineral contracts.

Political Muddle In Delaware.

Dover, Del., Jan. 4.—The legislature of Delaware will meet here tomorrow, and much interest centers in the opening of the session, because of the political muddle in the state. A United States senator is to be elected to fill the vacancy caused by the refusal of the senate to seat Colonel Henry A. Dupont, a Republican, who claims to have been elected at the last session of the assembly. Colonel Dupont and the faction of the Republicans, headed by ex-Senator Higgins, still have hopes that he will be seated. The Addicks Republicans and the Democrats, however, declare that a vacancy exists, and will proceed accordingly.

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Killed Husband For Beating Child.

New York, Jan. 4.—Belle Smith, colored, stabbed her husband, Jesse Smith, also colored, with a pair of shears yesterday, severing his jugular vein and causing almost instant death. A quarrel ensued between the couple over a 7-year-old child of the woman's by a former husband. Smith, the woman says, was cruelly beating the child, and is so angered her that she seized a pair of shears and stabbed him in the neck. The woman is under arrest.

Senator Elkins' Father Dead.

Wheeling, Jan. 4.—Philip Duncan Elkins, father of United States Senator Stephen B. Elkins, died yesterday afternoon at the senator's home, "Hallie Hurst," at Elkins, this state. Deceased was 87 years old.

THE WEATHER INDICATIONS.

ALMANAC, MONDAY, JAN. 4.
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Mortgagee's Sale of Real Estate.

BY Virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Maggie Jane Hewitt to George A. Brown, dated March 9, 1895, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, libro 731, folio 462, duly assigned by said Brown to Herman B. Cook and duly assigned by said Cook to the undersigned, for breach of the condition of said mortgage, and for the purpose of foreclosing same, will be sold at Public Auction on the premises, on THURSDAY, the 14th day of JANUARY 1897, at 3 o'clock P. M., all and singular the premises described in said mortgage, to wit:

A certain parcel of land situated in that part of Quincy called Atlantic, in the County of Norfolk and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, being lot No. 20 on plan of lands entitled "Plan of lands owned by the Atlantic Land Company, Quincy, Mass., Mass., 1893, H. T. Whitman, Civil Engineer," and recorded in Norfolk Deeds end of libro 702, page 640. Said parcel is bounded as follows: Northerly by Edwin street, as shown on said plan; Easterly by lot No 19 as shown on said plan; Southerly by lot No 24, as shown on said plan; Westerly by lot No. 21, as shown on said plan; containing 6000 square feet of land, with the building thereon. Said premises are subject to said mortgage for $1,250, given by George A. Brown to Clark J. Brown, dated February 12, 1894, and recorded with said Norfolk Deeds, libro 710, folio 466, which mortgage was assigned to the Hingham Institution for Savings by instrument dated January 12, 1895, recorded with said Deeds, libro 728, folio 277. Said premises will be sold subject to said $1,250 mortgage and any unpaid interest, also to any and all unpaid taxes and assessments. Further terms at sale.

HENRIETTA R. CASSIDY, Assignee and present holder of said Mortgage.
Quincy, Mass., Dec. 21, 1896. 3t-21-24

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For Latest Local and Vicinity News See Inside Pages.

NEW ENGLAND NEWS.

Cost $10,000 to Convict Thomas M. Bram of Murder.

Municipal Inaugurations In Many Places.

Harvard Preparing For Coming Athletic Season. Other Events.

Boston, Jan. 5.—The cost to the United States government of defending and prosecuting Mate Thomas M. Bram for the murder of Captain Nash is probably not far from $10,000.

Charles street jail was beseiged by a crowd of morbid people yesterday, all bent on seeing Bram. Their curiosity was not gratified, Sheriff O'Brien insisting that no one shall see Bram except his counsel. This ruling of course does not apply to the jail missionary, who has spent considerable time in Bram's cell, administering not alone spiritual, but temporal comfort as well. Bram passed the day the same as the other prisoners, reading his Bible and the newspapers.

Bram did not know until yesterday that he was occupying the cell formerly used by Gilbert, the murderer of little Alice Sterling, but as yet he has not asked that his cell be changed. He still stoutly affirms his innocence, and says that "God will not permit an innocent man to hang."

Many of those who called to see him sent him fruit, flowers and reading matter. One woman, closely veiled, attracted considerable attention, and the report quickly spread that she was Bram's wife. This was probably not true. When she found that she could not see Bram, she did not even ask to see the sheriff, but drew her veil closer and left the office.

James E. Cotter, counsel for Bram, says he will today file a motion for a new trial, including a setting aside of the verdict of Saturday.

MUNICIPAL OFFICERS.

Many New Mayors and Other Officials Inaugurated Yesterday.

Boston, Jan. 5.—In many New England cities, yesterday and last evening, were inaugurated the municipal officials chosen for the ensuing year. The ceremonies were uniformly the same, consisting in the administration of the oath of office to the incoming officias and the reading of annual reports and inaugural messages. Following are some of the new officials inaugurated:

Malden—President of the common council, Charles A. White; clerk, George A. Gardner; chairman of the board of aldermen, Thomas Savage; city treasurer, George E. Hitchcock; city clerk, Leverett D. Holden.

North Adams—President of the common council, Colonel John Bracewell; city clerk, Charles S. Brooker.

Brockton—President of the common council, Thomas G. Nye; clerk, Elmer Fullerton; city clerk, D. W. Packard; city messenger, S. L. Frerch.

Salem—Chairman of the board of aldermen, David P. Waters; president of the council, Thomas L. Davis; clerk, W. F. M. Collins; treasurer, Frank A. Newell.

Haverhill—Chairman of the board of aldermen, Daniel S. Chase; president of the common council, Harlan G. Eastman; city messenger, James J. Connor.

Springfield—City marshal, Captain Henry McDonald; chairman of the board of aldermen, D. O. Gilmore; president of the common council, F. W. Barker; clerk, W. E. Gilbert.

Somerville—President of the common council, F. DeWitt Lapham; clerk, Charles S. Robinson; city clerk, George I. Vincent; treasurer, John F. Cole.

Fitchburg—President of the common council, Arthur A. Train; clerk, Fred A. Tolman; city clerk, Walter A. Davis; treasurer, G. E. Clifford; chief of police, Fred A. Tarbox.

Lawrence—President of the common council, Andrew J. McCarthy; clerk, Richard J. Shea.

Waltham—President of board of aldermen, Murray D. Clement; city clerk, N. A. Hall; treasurer, E. J. Sanderson; city messenger, G. W. Hudson.

Marlboro—President of the common council, Francis T. Meagher; clerk, D. F. Callahan.

Cambridge—Chairman of the board of aldermen, Russell Bradford; president of the common council, Albert S. Apsey.

Taunton—Chief of police, Francis S. Babbitt; city clerk, Edwin A. Tetlow.

Gloucester—President of the common council, Charles E. Story; clerk, James R. Jaffrey.

Northampton—President of the common council, E. H. Bell; clerk, William E. Shannon; chairman of the board of aldermen, George P. Bliss; chief of police, Henry E. Maynard.

Pittsfield—President of the common council, L. A. Stevens; clerk, John H. Eels.

Medford—Chairman of the board of aldermen, Henry S. Bridge; president of the common council, Gilbert Hodges; clerk, E. I. Langell.

Holyoke—Chairman of the board of aldermen, A. M. French; city messenger, W. L. Walsh.

Chicopee—Chairman of the board of aldermen, John J. Hogan; president of the common council, Woodman S. Page; clerk, Henry C. Morse; chief of police John E. Connor.

Lynn—Chairman of the board of aldermen, Walter O. Faulkner; president of the common council, Colonel Charles C. Frye; clerk, S. Henry Kent; city marshal, Frank E. Wells.

Lowell—President of the common council, W. M. Penn; clerk, Frank N. Owen; chairman of the board of aldermen, Charles E. Howe

New Bedford—President of the common council, George P. Bailey.

Chelsea—Mayor, Herman W. Pratt; chairman of board of aldermen, Edward R. Hoag; city clerk, George B. Gurney. Gurney has served 15 years as clerk of Chelsea.

Newburyport—Mayor, Andrew R. Curtis; city clerk, George H. Stevens; city treasurer, James B. Felker; president of council, James F. Carens.

Providence—Mayor McGuinness was inaugurated, together with the following officers: City clerk, William E. Clark; city sealer, George R. Sherman; judge of municipal court, Joseph E. Spink; clerk, Edward Field; recorder of deeds, Edward C. Joyce; city auditor, Philip S. Chase; superintendent of public buildings, Albert T. Mansfield; fire commissioner for three years, William H. Luther.

Newport—Mayor P. J. Boyle was inaugurated for the third time. President Carr was elected to preside over the lower body and B. H. Stevens was re-elected president of the board of aldermen.

Pawtucket—Mayor-elect Davis was sworn in. P. E. Thayer, president of the board for the past two years, was re-elected for another yeaar, and Charles H. Jenks was also re-elected president of the common council, and Charles M. Read clerk.

HARVARD CREW IN TRAINING.

Lehmann Returns to Old System---Freshman Crew---Track and Field.

Cambridge, Mass., Jan. 5.—The Harvard oarsmen resumed training yesterday afternoon. The men took light exercise in the gymnasium and finished off with a short run. The tank room in the Cary building is being entirely overhauled and refitted, and will be ready for use in a few days.

Following Lehmann's instructions the rowing machines which were introduced under the Watson regime have been banished, and the oarsmen will return to their former system in a water tank.

The stationary boat is to have the level slide, and to be rigged precisely like the barge in which the crew rowed during their work last month on the Charles.

The following men have been summoned by Captain D. M. Goodrich for training: Moulton, Boardman, Thomson, Perkins, '98; Sprague, Hollister, Perkins, '99, and Bull.

F. L. Higginson of Boston has been appointed captain of the Harvard freshmen crew. The 1900 oarsmen will be called out this evening and the new candidates, together with the men who were in training last fall, will begin work at once.

The Harvard athletic committee is booked to meet this evening, and the interested ones are hoping for some new development in the Harvard-Yale controversy. They are likely to be disappointed, however, for the members of the committee all say that there has been no change in the affair. One faculty member of the committee stated that he did not think Harvard would make any official announcement of any sort in regard to the matter, and that the whole affair was likely to drop into oblivion without further discussion.

Harvard track and field sport will receive a mighty stimulus tonight, when a big mass meeting will be held in Massachusetts hall. At that time the candidates for this year's Mott Haven team will be called out, and Captain W. H. Vincent has arranged to have a number of old Harvard athletes on hand to give the men advice and encouragement. Among those who will address the meeting are Dr. Frank Wells, '64; T. J. Coolidge, '84; G. H. Kip, C. P. Curtis, '83; R. S. Hale, '91; H. M. Wheelwright, '94; G. S. Wells, '86; Walter Soven, '83; W. H. Goodwin, '84, and G. B. Morrison, '84.

Banquet to Mgr. Martinelli.

Boston, Jan. 5.—A complimentary banquet was tendered to Mgr. Martinelli by the Young Men's Catholic association of Boston college at the college last night, over 300 of the alumni being present. J. Mitchell Galvin, the president of the association, presided, and Michael T. Callahan acted as toastmaster. After a poem written in honor of the distinguished guest had been read by Rev. M. J. Byrnes, S. J., Mgr. Martinelli responded. The toasts: Very Rev. John Hogan responded for the "Church," President Bresnahan for "The College," Assistant United States Treasurer Joseph H. O'Neil for "Our Association," Michael J. Dwyer for "Catholic Citizenship," and Rev. T. J. Conaty for "Catholic Universtiy."

THE WEATHER INDICATIONS.

ALMANAC, TUESDAY, JAN. 5.
Sun rises—7:14.; sets, 4:27.
Length of day—9:13.
Moon sets—7:19 p. m.
Full sea—12:30 a. m.; 12:45 p. m.

Forecast for New England: Light showers, probably clearing in southern portion; southerly winds; colder in western portion tonight.

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ALL ABOUT TOBACCO.

No Two Interests Are Agreed Upon Schedule of Rates.

Decisions Handed Down by Supreme Court.

Petition of Sugar Broker Chapman Granted Other Rulings.

Washington, Jan. 5.—Tobacco and manufacturers thereof, being schedule F of the existing tariff law, was the subject of the hearing before the committee on ways and means yesterday.

The many varied branches of the business were represented, the native growers, importers, manufacturers using native goods, using Havana, and those handling the Sumatra product. Between these classes there was much discord, no two of them being agreed on any schedule of rates, and contradicting one another on questions relating to the effects of the present law, to rates of labor and cost of production and manufacture.

The National Association of Tobacco Manufacturers was represented by a large delegation, with its president, Moores Kron of Cincinnati, for spokesman. The association asked for duties of 55½ cents a pound on all imported leaf tobacco, of not more than 55 cents on all unstemmed tobacco, and $5 a pound, with 25 cents ad valorem, on imported cigars.

Under any higher rates they declared their business would be ruined.

The principal representatives of the growers were Michael Tobin of Baldwinsville, N. Y., and J. P. Van Duyer of Horse Heads, N. Y. They asaserted that the native growers had made no money under the Wilson bill, and asked for rates higher than those of the McKinley act.

George J. Smith of Kngston, N. Y., spoke for the users of Sumatra tobacco, and P. Gumby, formerly collector of the port of Tampa, for the Florida manufacturers of Cuban products. It was represented that only 5 per cent of the Havana tobacco used as wrappers paid duty as such under the Wilson tariff.

Others who spoke were ex-Mayor Frederick Schroeder of Brooklyn, H. S Frye, Windsor, Conn.; L. H. Neudecker, Baltimore; J. I. Ellison, New York, and George Richardson, St. Paul.

Supreme Court Decisions.

Washington, Jan. 5. — The United States supreme court reconvened yesterday after a recess of two weeks. Among the cases under consideration was the petition of Elverton K. Chapman, the New York broker, for a writ of habeas corpus in the cases in which he was tried in the courts of the District of Columbia on the charge of refusing to answer questions put to him by the senate sugar trust investigating committee in 1894. The application was made in Chapman's behalf by ex-Senator George F. Edmunds, and the court issued an order granting leave to file the petition, making it at the suggestion of Mr. Edmunds, returnable on March 22 next.

It was also ordered that in the meantime Chapman be admitted to bail in the sum of $1000. In this petition Chapman claims that the questions which he declined to answer and for which refusal he was indicted, tried and found guilty, were questions relating to his private business, which he was not bound to answer, because they were made with the view of an unlawful search into his private affairs in contravention of the fourth amendment of the federal constitution.

The court, in an opinion by Justice Peckham, affirmed the decision of the supreme court of Florida in the cases of F. R. Osborne, who was arrested, tried and imprisoned on the charge of violating (by acting agent for the Southern Express company) a state law requiring a license for the operation of express companies in that state. Osborne brought the case to the supreme court on the allegation that the law was unconstitutional, but Justice Peckham said in his opinion the law did not violate any provision of the constitution.

An opinion rendered by Justice Brewer in the case of William G. Ford, Jr., and Louis P. Levy, vs. the Delta Pine Land company, decided the ownership of 200 different tracts of land, including 112,160 acres in nine different counties in the state of Mississippi. The lands were acquired by the Pine Land company upon tax sales for levee improvements which the former owners resisted on the ground that the lands which had formerly been granted to the Memphis, Holly Springs and Mobile Railroad company were exempt. The case was appealed from the circuit court for the southern district of Mississippi by Ford and Levy, the decision there having been averse to them. This verdict was yesterday affirmed.

A petition for a writ of habeas corpus for Edward Eckart was filed by Rublo A. Cole. Eckart is serving a life sentence in the Wisconsin penitentiary on the charge of murder, and has already served 18 years. He complains that his conviction was irregular and without due process of law.

The court also rendered a decision through Justice Peckham in the case of Albert L. France and others involving the anti-lottery law of 1895. France and his fellow-appellants were convicted in the district of Ohio on the charge of conspiring to violate this act, and the verdict of that court was reversed.

Gun Accident.

Middletown, Conn., Jan. 5.—John Schultze, an employe at the Wilcox-Crittenden Hardware Manufacturing company's factory, was frightfully injured yesterday by the accidental discharge of a shotgun. Schultze started to go hunting, and while trying to put on his gloves the gun exploded.

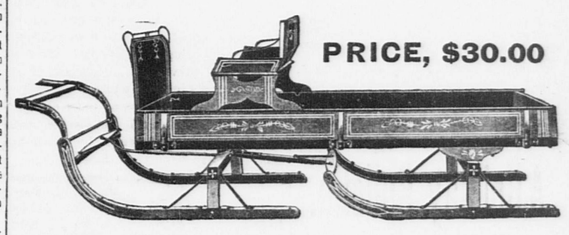
Fitzsimmons Signs Agreement.

Jersey City, Jan. 5.—Bob Fitzsimmons has signed the agreement to fight Jim Corbett on March 17 next for the purse of $15,000 offered by Dan Stuart. Fitzsimmons was accompanied by his manager, Martin Julian, and Joe Vendig was also present.

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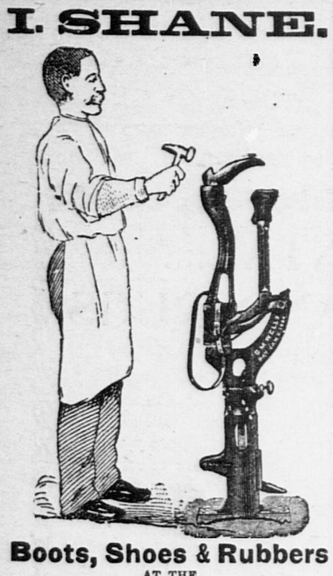
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NOTICE TO PARENTS.

CITY OF QUINCY.

CITY CLERK'S OFFICE, Dec. 14, 1896.

THE Record of births in any city or town is always more or less unsatisfactory, owing to the fact that the canvasser finds difficulty in getting the necessary information. Names and dates are frequently given incorrectly. The importance of accuracy is shown in many cases where there is a question of descent, or inheritance of property, or collection of life insurance or pensions. The City Clerk's copy of the record is accepted as conclusive evidence in a court of law. While great pains are taken by this office to have the record correct, experience shows that it is necessary that parents themselves should lend their assistance. In fact the law requires that parents shall give notice to the City Clerk of the birth of their children, and provides a penalty for neglect to give such notice for the space of six months.

It often happens that only children or servants are at home when the canvasser makes his call, and the answers to his questions are open to doubt. I therefore request all parents in whose households a birth has occurred in the year 1896, to place upon a paper or card the required information, and keep it in a convenient place until the canvasser appears.

The canvass will be commenced on Jan. 1, 1897.

HARRISON A. KEITH,
City Clerk.

Dec. 14 to Feb. 1. Dec. 19—7w

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Two Weeks' Temperature.

	This Week.	Last Week
Sunday	39	19
Monday	54	27
Tuesday	59	40
Wednesday	—	43
Thursday	—	45
Friday	—	35
Saturday	—	42

THE TAXPAYER finds little solace in the Mayor's inaugural address, except the pledge of His Honor to avoid recklessness and extravagance. Mayor Adams probably realizes this quite as much as anyone, for there is a seriousness all through his inaugural. He views the school budget with "gravest apprehension" and talks in other parts of the address about "rigid economy," "serious problems," and "burdens," and asks the Councilmen "to prayerfully consider the financial condition of the city."

This may be the dark side of the matter, but the Councilmen at least should realize the situation. The tax rate of 1897 is sure to be an increase over 1896; probably over $18 per $1,000 and possibly $20. The city levy will be larger, the maturing debt is heavier, the interest account will be more, the State tax may be fifty per cent. more, and the county tax will probably increase.

The Mayor and City Council of 1896 are responsible for an increase of $12,400 in the maturing debt of 1897. Even though the appropriations were necessary it would have been far better to have apportioned the new debt of $91,420 wholly among the years 1902, 1903, 1904, 1905 and 1906. This would have made the amounts in these years about $18,000 and would have kept the maturing debt of 1897 down to $51,600, and prevented an increase of at least fifty cents in the tax rate.

The amounts maturing by years on Jan. 1, 1896, and Jan. 1, 1897, and the increases for each year are shown in the summary below, $91,420 being apportioned:

	1896 Jan. 1.	1897 Jan. 1.	Increase In Year.
In 1897,	$51,600	$64,020	$12,400
In 1898,	49,280	58,280	9,000
In 1899,	53,980	62,980	9,000
In 1900,	45,300	54,300	9,000
In 1901,	14,755	23,755	9,000
In 1902,	—	9,000	9,000
In 1903,	—	9,000	9,000
In 1904,	—	9,000	9,000
In 1905,	—	8,500	8,500
In 1906,	—	7,500	7,500

We are aware that some claim that notes must be apportioned in equal annual payments, from one to ten years for general debt. If this were so, one can answer that it has not been done, and was not in 1896. Mayor Adams does not recognize it either, for he says in his address, "we should avoid increasing the debt falling due in 1898 and 1899." With his experience on the Finance Committee of the City Council we are surprised that the Mayor should have allowed during 1896 any increase in the maturing debt of 1897.

The situation is very clear and well stated by the Mayor: "We must keep our expenses within our income even if the care and lighting of our streets should not be improved, the safety of our property not increased, and even though we pay meagre salaries."

TWO BOSTON dailies which are advocates of civil service reform published daily a list of candidates for government positions, which only stimulates others to look about for a plum. As a filler it is a success, but for newspaper enterprise it should be condemned. In the list appear the names of W. W. Adams and C. L. Hammond for postmaster of Quincy. As the term of Postmaster Burke does not expire for a year or more there seems undue haste.

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Quincy, Jan. 5. tf

MARRIED AT 97.

A Former Quincy Man Takes a Bride Nearly a Centenarian.

A dispatch from Manchester N. H., reports the marriage at Deerfield of Jacob Witham, aged 87, formerly of Quincy, to Mrs. Georgiana Rivers, aged 97, his housekeeper. The report says that in 1834, when a young man of 24 years, Mr. Witham married Caroline Ferguson of Nottingham, N. H., who was gifted with great beauty. He engaged in stone work at the ledge in Quincy, Mass., and from there he went to Lowell to take a position as watchman in the Hamilton print works. He returned to Nottingham, and in 1847 married Mary A. Jordan of Lee. Mrs. Witham, second, was a native of Naples, Me., and at the time of her death a few years ago weighed nearly 400 pounds.

Soon after his second marriage Mr. Witham went to South Newmarket to work in the foundry, which at that time had a large contract of pipe work for the Boston water works on hand. Some 45 years ago he came to Deerfield and has lived there ever since in the little homestead on the Back road.

When the venerable Mrs. Witham was congratulated on her marriage and wished more happy New Years, she laughed heartily and said she had been married so often that she was used to it.

Neither Mr. Witham nor Mrs. Witham wear glasses, both reading easily without them. Mrs. Witham does all the housework, and her husband declares she can do it better than many younger folks.

Inaugural Points.

Gleanings from addresses in other cities which will be of interest:

Mayor Bond of Waltham advocated a plan whereby the city will receive pay for franchises granted to electric car companies and other corporations that enjoy special privileges in the public streets. He advises an imitation of the systems whereby such corporations pay an annual rental for the use of the streets.

The Mayor of Worcester recommended the separation of the surface water and street wash from the domestic sewerage.

Mayor Pratt of Chelsea is also after the street railways. He says: In consideration of the valuable franchise and privileges given the street railway companies in Chelsea, they should be required to keep the streets through which they run their cars properly watered by railway sprinklers, at their own expense and to the satisfaction of the city.

Mayor Brickett of Haverhill is more liberal to the car companies. He says: "Our street railways own valuable franchises, granted on terms which sometimes seem too favorable, but no factor is more essential to the growth of the city than a successful street railway service, such enterprises must be encouraged upon a reciprocal basis. In return we should expect good service, and fair treatment as to the repair and maintenance of streets through which the lines pass.

Mayor Ashley of New Bedford is ready to fight for compensation from corporations for privileges in the streets.

Mayor Jenkins of Lawrence would elect but one-third of the aldermen and councilmen annually, that a majority may be experienced.

Mayor Turner of Salem wants a municipal lighting plant.

The mayor of Lawrence says the electric road, gas, telephone and electric companies all have important franchises, and the city ought certainly to receive some reasonable return for such privileges.

Mayor Cate of Everett is against high valuations and says the only ones benefitted are the real estate operators.

Mayor Greene of Fall River is against municipal lighting at this time.

Mayor Farnham of Malden would license expressmen to better control the delivery of liquor. He says the law is weak and that the Legislature should remedy the evil.

The mayor of Brockton says the rentals in the sewer department should more than pay maintenance this year. He believes that the system will ultimately prove a financial success, as it certainly has proved a success so far as disposing of the matter emptied upon the beds is concerned.

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☞ Parents wishing their children to join Miss Rose I. Byrne's private class in dancing, must make application to Mrs. E. L. Rhines, Bigelow street, before Thursday, Jan. 7th, as after that date no one will be admitted to the class. Only advanced pupils received. 3t

—An exchange pertinently puts it in this wise: "A doctor will sit down and write a perscription; time, 5 minutes; paper and ink one-quarter of a cent; and the patient pays $1, $5, $10, as the case may be. A lawyer writes 10 or 12 lines and gets $10 to $50 from his client. An editor writes a half column puff for a man, pays 50 cents or $1 for putting it in type, prints it on $7 worth of paper, sends it to 3,000 subscribers, and surprises the puffed man if he makes any charge."

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MR. FAXON ON THE LIST.

Police Appointments by the Mayor on Inauguration Day.

One of Mayor Adams first acts Monday after his inauguration was to make the following appointments:

Special Police,—George A. McKay, John A. O'Brien, James Beahn, Frank J. Davoren, John H. Newcomb, James W. Murray, William C. Seelye, George A. Cameron, Edward J. Sandberg, Henry O Dawson, Samuel D. DeForrest, Samuel B. Turner, David L. Gordon, Calvin T. Dyer, Timothy J. Golden, Bernard M. O'Neil, John W. Baillie.



Constables, — Napoleon B. Furnald, George S. Waterhouse, Henry P. Furnald, Frederick Trentor, William S. Lyons, Patrick J. Kelley, Marcena R. Sparrow, William F. Powers, Timothy F. Ford, James Nicol, Benjamin J. Weeks, J. DeForest Williams, Joseph W. Hayden, Michael J. Burns, Joseph T. French, Henry H. Faxon, James E. Maxim, Cornelius Driscoll, Alphonso Williams.

POST OFFICE BURGLARS.

They Have Reached Quincy and Try the Atlantic Office.

An unsuccessful attempt was made sometime during last night to blow the safe at the Atlantic post office, and the only thing that prevented the break from being a success was that the parties were frightened away.

When postmaster John A. Duggan's clerk came to open the office this morning he found the curtains drawn and the outer door unlocked. A large hole over the lock showed how the door had been opened. After gaining entrace to the building another door had to be forced to reach the safe, the main office being separated from the post office department by a partition.

Further investigation showed that an attempt had been made to blow the safe. A hole had been drilled in the safe door near the lock and this had been filled with powder and a long piece of fuse attached and that everything was in readiness to blow the lock to pieces.

It was evident that before they had time to light the fuse they became frightened and in their hurry to escape left everything behind them, for the drill and other tools used were found on the floor near by.

It is not known how much money was in the safe, but as there is no bank nearer than Quincy, the chances are that there was considerable, as it was the first of the quarter.

Postmaster Duggan was notified immediately by his clerk, but up to 10 o'clock the police had not been informed of the break.

Cottage Prayer Meetings.

This evening at 7.30 under the auspices of the Bethany Congregational church, six cottage prayer meetings will be held simultaneously in various sections of the city as follows:

At C. T. Sherman's, 14 Greenleaf street; leader, Deacon C. T. Sherman.

At Deacon W. W. Parry's, 20 Pleasant street; leader, Robert C. Allen.

At Mrs. Laura Jones', 170 Granite street; leader, John Evans.

At Mr. Wm. Birnie's, Goddard street; leader, Albert L. Hayden.

At Mrs. Alfred Sampson's, 40 Canal street; leader, O. C. Colton.

At Mr. C. L. Badger's, Crescent street; leader, E. W. Branch.

On Thursday evening seven more meetings will be held, when the subject will be "The Church witnessing in its own community.

At Simeon Scammell's, 1 Glencoe place; leader, Simeon Scammell.

At Mrs. H. E. Burns', 45 Granite street; leader, Deacon R. D. Chase.

At Mrs. Nellie T. Gragg's 7 Crescent street. West Quincy; leader, W. W. Parry.

At Mr. F. K. Damon's 38 Elm street; leader, James Merrill.

At Mrs. H. F. Fitts', 4 Faxon avenue; leader, T. H. Wason.

At E. W. Branch's, Merrymount road; leader, Theo. King.

Mrs. B. H. Emery's, 8 Union street; leader, Charles Sampson.

—The great mystery of Time, were there no other, the illimitable, silent, never resting thing called Time, rolling, rushing on, swift, silent like an all embracing ocean tide, on which we and all the universe swim like exhalations, like apparitions which are, and then are not; this is forever very literally a miracle—a thing to strike us dumb—for we have no word to speak about it.—*Carlyle.*

Some one has calculated that the postmen of London walk, together, something like 48,860 miles per day, a distance equal to twice the circumference of the globe.

QUINCY BREVITIES.

Notes from Quincy Point, Wollaston, Atlantic, South and West Quincy.

Warm today.

Freezing tomorrow.

Is it the January thaw?

How the snow has disappeared!

A good smart rain this morning.

I. Shane, the Water street cobbler, quotes low prices.

New cellars on Whitwell street extension and vicinity.

Again yesterday the supply of LEDGERS was exhausted.

Clarence Bayard leaves Wednesday for Louisville, Ky., to attend school.

L. G. Murray is to open a drug store in Craig's new block at Brewer's corner.

W. R. Lofgren has the new house of George W. Taylor nearly ready for the plasterers.

The annual meeting of the Squantum Yacht Club will be held tonight at Music hall, Atlantic.

Mrs. John H. Roberts of Wollaston, who for some time has been very sick, is failing rapidly.

Carpenters have commenced work on Mr. White's new house on Copeland street, near the Willard school.

Henry Chubbuck and J. E Sprague are on the first jury at the Norfolk Superior court which came in at Dedham on Monday.

Rev. F. A. Cunningham, the curator of St. John's Sunday School was presented last week with a purse of gold by the teachers of the Sunday School.

The Granite City club expects to get into its new rooms in the Savings Bank building by Jan. 20, but the building will not be completed for several weeks.

Miss Frances C. Lance, a teacher at the Woodward institute conducted the lesson Monday evening at the meeting of the Training school of Bethany church, and a consecration service followed.

John Stuart writes to the LEDGER to say that he was not the owner or occupant of the boat shop at Norfolk Downs damaged by fire last week. That it was owned and occupied by one Vouchrost.

The death of Mrs. Mary Frederick of Adams street on Monday removes one of our oldest ladies. She was the widow of Eleazer Frederick, of the well known granite firm of Frederick & Field who died several years ago. Mrs. Frederick was nearly 88 years of age.

Miss M. E. Dearborn, the principal of the Coddington school, had a pleasant surprise and New Year's greeting upon the opening of the schools on Monday, her class presenting her with a pearl handled orange knife, and sterling orange spoon suitably engraved, together with a large bunch of choice flowers.

There was an encouraging attendance and a solemn interest in the service at the First Presbyterian church, Water street, last evening. This evening the subject will be "Christian Brotherhood." The services will continue in the church Wednesday, Thursday and Friday evenings, at 7.30. A welcome for all who will come.

William Higgins of Boston, whose father resides in this city, was one of those who lost his life on the Commodore which sank at sea. He was a young man of 26 years who shipped from New York last fall on a cruiser, and stranded on the Carolina coast. He then shipped on the Commodore and expected to return home via. Cuba.

The outlook for another successful season of bowling at the Duck's Nest alleys, Wollaston, is very promising. Three candle pin teams will be organized in a short time with the following list of members: R. R. Freeman, Hon. Henry O. Fairbanks, V. J. Emery, C.V. Starrett, George F. Briggs, Charles M. Bryant, Harry M. Fairbanks, Howard W. Battison, William I. Dewson, John H. Osborne, James H. Casey, Justin F. Emery, Harry W. Reed, Charles L. Coe and Edmund F. Taylor.

The astounding assertion is made that there is more gold in the sacred vessels, medals, chains, etc., preserved at the vatican than in the circulation of the whole of Europe.

Good Blood

Is essential to health. Every nook and corner of the system is reached by the blood, and on its quality the condition of every organ depends. Good blood means strong nerves, good digestion, robust health. Impure blood means scrofula, dyspepsia, rheumatism, catarrh or other diseases. The surest way to have good blood is to take Hood's Sarsaparilla. This medicine purifies, vitalizes, and enriches the blood, and sends the elements of health and strength to every nerve, organ and tissue. It creates a good appetite, gives refreshing sleep and cures that tired feeling. Remember,

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Hood's Pills cure Liver Ills; easy to take, easy to operate. 25c.

Beginning Jan. 11th.

And for a short time only we shall give to each purchaser of 1 pound of our

50c. Oolong, English Breakfast or Japan Tea,

the choice of the following articles:

A Cake or Bread Box with hinged cover. Double Roaster with ventilator. Granite Iron Coffee or Tea Pot. Quaker Crimped Bread Pan—just the thing.

We wish to secure more customers for our FINE TEAS, and to introduce them into every family in Quincy and vicinity we offer the above inducements.

THESE ARTICLES RETAIL EVERYWHERE FOR 50 CENTS.

You may wonder how we can offer such an inducement and sell GOOD TEA, but we will say right here, if our Tea is not perfectly satisfactory you are at liberty to exchange same. What we wish is to make a customer of YOU for our Teas and notwithstanding we make a loss on every pound while the sale lasts, we expect to reap a benefit hereafter by giving you a Tea that will please and make you a permanent customer.

Gordon's China and 5 Cent Store,
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Upholstered In Leather.

FOR real down right service, durability and lasting qualities, nothing on earth approaches leather. It is not only proper and especially appropriate for library fittings, but for comfort chairs and couches it is particularly commendable. Easy to take care of, permanent in color, rich in appearance, distinguished for its invigorating qualities, no wonder it has become so wonderfully popular.

We have many richly upholstered leather Turkish Easy Chairs and Couches worthy your inspection, and for genuine comfort and luxury, no well furnished home is complete without them.

HENRY L. KINCAIDE & CO.,
Up to date House Furnishers,
Hancock Street, - Quincy.

We Have Made a Stand for



In fact we have made that quite a while ago. But within a few days we have made a stand for LOWEST POSSIBLE prices on every piece of furniture in our store.

The variety of the stock is as great as ever, giving a wide scope for the pleasing of individual tastes. The quality, strength and beauty of every article of furniture is unsurpassed. Consider the saving that can be effected by purchasing now. We think this quite the most magnificent reduction yet attempted in this city, at

The Oldest Furniture Store in Quincy.
Established by Joseph Arey in 1859.
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New Year's Resolve:

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WALTHAM WATCHES.	BOYS and GIRLS Seven Jewels, $5.50
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AMERICAN LEVER WATCHES.	LADIES' GOLD FILLED CASES, Seven Jewels, $9.0

AND THERE ARE OTHERS TOO NUMEROUS TO MENTION

WILLIAMS', Largest Jewelry Store IN QUINCY.
104 Hancock St.

Special Sale!

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DURGIN'S DRUG STORE.

19c. per lb.

Regular 28-cent Mixture.

☞ Big mark down on Baker's Boxed Goods for that day only.

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Rooms Single or En-suite.

The Granite City Club Rooms in Durgin & Merrill's Block.

Possession given Feb. 1st, 1897.

These are very desirable rooms, warm and pleasant in winter, and cool and airy in summer. Clubs or societies looking for good quarters will do well to look at these rooms.

Mr. Durgin or Mr Merrill will be found upon the premises to show any one through the building who may call.

Quincy, Jan. 1.

MR. EDITOR:

Many of your readers are missing a rare opportunity in not visiting

THE STAR COFFEE

AND BUTTER STORE.

No. 2 Faxon's Block, Quincy,

While they are offering **very sweet New Butter,** just received, for 20 cents per pound, and a fresh arival of ELEGANT PRINT BUTTER at 25 cents. Large nearby Eggs at 34 cents.

Many wonder how they can sell such CHOICE HIGH GRADE TEA for 50 and 60 cents per pound, and in addition present each purchaser with a valuable piece of GLASS WARE and other useful things.

They have just received a full line of OLD VIRGINIA HOME MADE SWEET and SOUR PICKLES, put up in refined cider expressly for the best trade. Large bottles, low prices for superior goods. Come in and taste them and get a sample of tea. It will pay you to visit the STAR TEA, COFFEE and BUTTER STORE, 2 Faxon's Block.

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

NORFOLK, ss. PROBATE COURT.

TO the next-of-kin and all persons interested in the estate of

ANNIE L. PETTERSON,

of Quincy, in said County, an insane person.

Whereas, Swan J. Petterson, guardian and husband of said Annie, has presented to said Court his petition, representing that he is desirous of conveying certain real estate, described in said petition, in fee; and that his wife is an insane person and is therefore incompetent to release her right of dower in said real estate, and praying that he, as guardian of said Annie L. Petterson, may be authorized to release her said rights in said real estate.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Quincy, in said County of Norfolk, on the thirteenth day of January, A.D., 1897, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to each of you fourteen days at least before said Court, or by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the QUINCY DAILY LEDGER, a newspaper published in said Quincy, the last publication to be one day at least before said Court.

Witness, George White, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-sixth day of December, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.

d29-3t 29-5-11

E. S. BECKFORD,

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Electric Light Wiring and Fitting.

SPEAKING TUBES,

—AND—

Quincy Electric Light Co.'s Lamps

Constantly on hand.

Motor, Dynamo and Bell Work

147 HANCOCK STREET.

Fancy Creamery Butter

23 and 38 lb. tubs,

25 cts. per pound.

The very best quality in the market,

26 cents a lb. for 10 lb. lots.

28 cents a lb. for less than 10 lbs.

L. M. PRATT & CO.

Good Creamery Butter

By the tub 20 cts, lb.

23 cents a lb. for less than tub.

Hand Picked Pea Beans,

5 cts. qt.

PAN CAKE FLOUR,

10 cts. paper.

FRESH EGGS,

25 cts. dozen.

GOLD DROP FLOUR,

$5.50 bbl. C. O. D.

Can't be Beat.

Our cellar and store house is full of

CANNED GOODS.

We make Special Price on dozen lots.

L. M. PRATT,

25 School Street.

TRAINMAN KILLED.

Probably Struck by the Overhead Bridge Near Norfolk Downs.

Baggagemaster Ernest D. Preston of the N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R, was killed by the overhead bridge near the Norfolk Downs depot at 5.15 Monday night.

Preston came out on the 5 o'clock train from Boston and after the train left Atlantic it is supposed that he attempted to climb over the tender to speak to the engineer when he was struck by the bridge at Squantum street, the blow fracturing his skull and causing death.

When the train reached Norfolk Downs, Preston was missed, and train-despatcher Stevens who came out on that train and station agent Southerland started to walk back toward Atlantic to look for him.

They found his hat near the bridge but could find no trace of the body. Meanwhile the train had gone on, and when it reached South Braintree Preston was found laying on the tender dead.

Preston was about 30 years of age, unmarried and lived at South Braintree. He had been on the road for a number of years, and last summer was conductor on one of the Nant sket trains. He was a member of Puritan lodge of Odd Fellows.

Annual of Quincy Club.

The Quincy Club held its annual meeting on Monday evening and now has a new president, ex-Councilman H. M. Federhen, Jr. The new officers are:

President,—H. M. Federhen, Jr.
First Vice President,—Warren Edwards.
Second Vice President,—John H. Bent.
Third Vice President,—Ivers M. Lowe.
Secretary,—A. W. Loud.
Treasurer,—W. S. Osborne.
Assistant Treasurer,—W. R. Thomas.
Directors,—H. M. Federhen, Jr., A. W. Loud, W. S. Osborne, J. Q. Cudworth, A. G. Doliver and George F. Field.

President Federhen has been an active member of the club for some time, and is popular with its members. He is a promising young lawyer in his 30th year, and a member of the Suffolk bar. He has served two years in the City Council, and in 1893 was a candidate for the Legislature.

The club expects to move into its new quarters in the Savings Bank building about Feb. 1, and are planning for an opening night.

St. John's Auxiliary.

At a meeting of the St. John's Ladies' Auxiliary society, held at St. John's hall Monday evening, the following were elected as officers for the year 1897:

President,—Mrs. Mary Ferguson.
Vice President,—Miss Teresa Cahill.
Corresponding Secretary,—Miss Molly McNally.
Recording Secretary,—Miss Nellie Connolly.
Financial Secretary,—Miss Josie Cavanagh.
Treasurer,—Miss Nellie O'Brien.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY.

Take laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. 25c.

The Handsomest Yet.

The most beautiful calendar for 1897 comes from Boston. It is eleven by fifteen inches and contains reproductions from cabinet size photographs of Mary Hampton, May Irwin and Maud Adams, the popular actresses. Its popular colors are enamel blue and brown enriched by gold, elaborately embossed, producing an elegant and artistic creation. One of these calendars will be sent to any address if you mention this paper, and send ten cents in coin or stamps covering cost of packing and postage to the publishers. The XZALIA COMPANY, 3 Beacon street, Boston, Mass,

☞ The Universalist Register for 1897 appears promptly from the press of the Publishing House, 30 West street, Boston. When, as is often the case, the stranger within the gates, remarks that "there are not many Universalist Churches!" refer him to the "Register," and let him see the official statement of over fifty thousand families connected with this church. The value of church property has increased in four years $1,330,239.

BORN.

McLEOD—In Quincy, Jan. 2, a son to Mr. and Mrs. J. M. M. McLeod.

MARRIED.

FREDRIKSON—EWELUNA—In Quincy, Dec. 31, by Rev. K. F. Henrikson, Mr. Nestar Fredrikson to Miss Sanna Eweluna, both of Quincy.

DIED.

FREDERICK—In Quincy, Jan. 4, Mary Frederick, widow of the late Eleazer Frederick, aged 87 years, 10 months and 10 days.
Funeral Thursday, Jan. 7, at 2.15 P. M., from No. 8 Adams street.

SULLIVAN—In Quincy, Jan. 3, John A., son of Mr. Patrick and Mrs. Mary Sullivan, aged 3 years and 9 days.

FLAHERTY—In Quincy, Jan. 3, Annie, daughter of Mr. John F. and Mrs. Mary Flaherty, aged 4 years, 8 months and 7 days.

Much in Little

Is especially true of Hood's Pills, for no medicine ever contained so great curative power in so small space. They are a whole medicine chest, always ready, always efficient, always satisfactory; prevent a cold or fever, cure all liver ills, sick headache, jaundice, constipation, etc. 25c. The only Pills to take with Hood's Sarsaparilla.

Hood's Pills

THE SPORTING WORLD.

Gasoline, electricity and petroleum have all been incorporated in the different ideas which have taken shape as bicycle impellers, and now wind power is to have a trial. M. Demange, an ingenious Frenchman, declares that he has a plan for a wheel that will carry a man from 12 to 15 miles without requiring of him any exertion beyond what is necessary in guiding the machine. The contrivance is in form a sort of turbine arrangement, something like a gourd hollowed out, cut in "gores" and the "gores" turned a little on their axes. This turbine is placed on dual rods vertically attached to the forward wheel of the bicycle. A bar projects from the center of the handle bars outward, and to this is attached the top of the turbine.

The turbine revolves on its axis and catches enough wind to give the forward wheel an added impetus. No matter from what direction the wind blows, the turbine catches it, and by attachment with the hub of the front wheel communicates some of the force of the wind to the wheel. The turbine practically neutralizes the effect of a beam wind.

The twisting of the turbine in its rotary motion works on the rods that attach it to a ratchet wheel, which revolves about the hub of the front wheel. These rods work up and down like the piston rods of an engine and in that way accelerate the motion in great degree.—New York Journal.

Changes Anson Favors.

Anson, the baseballist, would like to see some changes in the present system of playing ball. He is in favor of putting the pitcher's slab back in front of the pitcher, instead of having it behind him. He wants this done in order to stop the interminable bickering that is going on in almost every game as to whether the pitcher is in position. It is much easier to see whether the rule is conformed to when the slab is in front of the pitcher, and he dare not step over it.

Another radical change that Anson is in favor of is allowing the captain to put players back into the game after they have been taken out. In other words, the Chicagoan wants all restrictions of this kind removed, the manager being allowed to play his men just as he sees fit, taking them out and putting them back just as he wants to.—Chicago Record.

The German Emperor's Cup.

The Marquis of Ormonde, chairman of the committee for carrying out the arrangements of the match for the Queen's Jubilee cup, to celebrate the sixtieth year of her reign, has appointed Jan. 8 for the committee to meet at Grosvenor House, London. The match is to be sailed for the cup from Dover to Helgoland, and the German emperor will subsequently hold a reception and present the cup to the winner at Kiel. The cup is said to be of unprecedented value, eclipsing even the value of the colossal tankard given by the Royal Victoria Yacht club in 1872, and sailed for from Ryde, round the Owers lightship, Cherbourg breakwater, the Shambles lightship, off Portland, and back to Ryde round the Nab lightship. The course from Dover to Helgoland will be a trifle compared with that of 1872.—London Graphic.

Next Year's Bicycle.

One thing noticeable in the next year's bicycle models which are shown by many manufacturers is that many things which were discarded several years ago as being useless are again introduced. For instance, one prominent firm has taken up the practice of protecting the bearings with felt washers. These were relics of the old ordinary and were put aside by most manufacturers, who did not consider them necessary or advisable. Another thing which was in use on the first safeties which were built, and which will appear in some of the wheels of next year, is a short steering head, with a drop of two or three inches to the crank hanger, thus placing the rider closer to the ground, lessening, it is claimed, the resistance to the wind.

Yale, Harvard and Pennsylvania.

The fact that Pennsylvania and Harvard will play football as usual seems pretty well assured. The only way that the Yale-Harvard agreement threatens to affect Pennsylvania is to sever her dual track athletic arrangement. Harvard will, of course, want to meet Yale in dual games. She may also be willing to meet Pennsylvania, since both sets of games would be played at Cambridge and necessitate no traveling. However, this is unlikely, since it would be asking a good bit to require her men to contest dual games with Yale and Pennsylvania and enter the intercollegiate championships all in one month, as they would have to.—Philadelphia Press.

Plenty of Wild Fowl.

Reports from all over the country are to the effect that the fall flight of ducks and geese was heavier than has been known for a dozen years, and, although at this time of the year the majority of sportsmen are devoting their attention almost exclusively to quail shooting, many of the old timers still spend their days in following the windings of the woodland streams or tramp through the cattails and heavy grasses in pursuit of the gaudy mallard and bright winged teal.—Exchange.

Sporting Notes.

Joe Gans of Baltimore knocked out Charley Rochett of San Francisco in three rounds in San Francisco recently.

The New London (Conn.) board of trade is making every effort to secure the Yale-Harvard boat race for New London.

In the hope of his arm thawing out Frank Krauss, the once famous Cleveland baseball pitcher, is putting it through its annual course of treatment.

The Indiana pacing mare Marie Corbitt, 2:24¼, by Greystone, won 14 out of 17 races the past season.

THE HOUSEHOLD.

Hints to the Uninitiated on Buying China—About Walls and Floors. This and That.

The variety of china from which the housekeeper may make her selections at the present time is little less than bewildering. There are the English, very neat and very complete, at low cost; the Haviland, the Doulton and the Guerin Limoges, each having many admirers, while all are of moderate price. The Austrian china is richly colored, and while it represents somewhat greater value, does not go beyond the compass of the ordinary purse. The common white table dishes of all sorts are now of so excellent quality and so reasonable in price that the humblest table may be neatly and completely equipped at all times without serious tax to the family funds, says Good Housekeeping, which also gives the following advice about buying china:

In buying china it must not be forgotten that each separate piece counts one. Thus a soup ladle, tureen and cover, with detached tray, count four; a butter dish with cover and removable strainer is three, while each cup with its saucer counts two. The full set, as ordinarily made up, consists of 155 pieces. There are a soup tureen, gravy tureen, sauceboat, 2 pickle dishes, a salad bowl, 4 covered and 2 uncovered vegetable dishes, 5 meat dishes, 18 dinner plates, 12 plates each for breakfast, tea, soup, preserve and butter, 12 cups and saucers each for tea and for coffee, 2 comports and 2 cake plates. This assortment does not provide bread and butter plates, game or fish services. If these are added, the set is carried up to something like 250 pieces, and this only makes provision at the most for a dozen persons, with no allowance for breakage. If we are to entertain 15 or 20, the table crockery would need to consist of perhaps 400 pieces or even more.

There are low priced sets to be found in the market. They may be of the same pattern and general appearance as those of more than double the price. The uninitiated would find this discrepancy difficult to account for and might suppose that the seller of the high priced article was an extortioner, while the low cost man was a public benefactor. Neither supposition would be correct, and often it occurs that the man who sells at the lower price makes the most in the way of profit. The explanation is this: During the firing process some pieces become slightly warped, many of them in only the slightest degree. But this is enough to condemn them for first class goods, and they are set aside, with pieces which have some slight imperfection in the decoration or a trifling flaw which only trade experts would detect. It is often the case that sets made up from these lots are sold by unscrupulous dealers at almost the price of perfect goods. But however that may be, the purchaser could scarcely by the most careful inspection discover the difference, and takes pleasure in the possession of an elegant article. This rule holds good equally with fine china and granite ware. Most of the crockery goods offered by "bargain stores," of whatever nature, are of this sort.

About Walls and Floors.

For papering walls the salmon pink is a new departure in small apartments, noted by The Decorator and Furnisher. If the ceilings are high, a deep frieze in used, and the ceiling proper is calcimined in two or three different tones, to match the walls. This style is peculiarly artistic for north rooms.

As a rule, many housekeepers do not know the convenience of the small sponge in general housecleaning. The authority mentioned says a good porous sponge is all that is necessary for the cleansing of painted walls, woodwork of doors, windows and surbases. If there is a spot hard to move, a slight rubbing of the sponge with sapolio will eradicate the dirt and leave the surface bright and cleanly.

Denim, when used as a floor covering, should be washed before putting together or laid. This prevents certain lines given by the broom when being swept, and a smoothness of texture is acquired if treated in this manner.

To keep polished floors in good order a broom incased in a thick canton flannel bag serves as an excellent sweeper for those boards where light dust has to be removed.

How to Make Pea Soup.

Boil a ham bone in about three quarts of water. The previous night have steeping a large breakfast cup full of yellow split peas. Add these to the boiling stock, a little bit of onion, pepper and salt to taste and either a stick of celery (perhaps you have an outside piece which does nicely for soup) or else a teaspoonful of celery seed, tied up in a little bit of muslin. The celery flavor is a great improvement to this soup. Boil all together till the peas are soft—about three or four hours—then strain and rub all smooth through a sieve and return to the pot to get quite hot. This soup should be thickish, not watery; so be sure all the peas are well rubbed through to make it nice and smooth. Serve along with it toast, cut up into little dice, and dried mint taken with it is supposed to make it more wholesome.

Lentil soup can be made in much the same way, and no stock is required, only water, but it really requires a good bit of butter, about the size of an egg, put in, and, to my thinking, it has not the same nourishing and heat giving properties in it.

This and That.

The majority of modern halls are built much like rooms and should be furnished like a cozy reception room.

Sweeping with air is the latest. This is accomplished with the "pneumatic sweeper," a new invention.

A brand new fad consists in presenting your friend with a cast of your hand in place of a photograph.

The secret of long life is moderation in eating and drinking.

BANQUET.

Sunday School Teachers Entertained at Grand Army Hall.

The teachers of St. John's Sunday School were entertained at a banquet, and a pleasing entertainment at Grand Army hall, Monday evening. The special guest of the evening was Rev. F. A. Cunningham, the curator of St. John's Sunday school.

About 100 were present. A pleasing entertainment was given by a company of Boston talent, consisting of a banjoist, humorist, tenor soloist and pianist.

After the entertainment a grand banquet was served by Caterer Nash, to which they did ample justice. The following menu was served.

Roast Turkey, Cranberry Sauce.
Salads.
Lobster, Chicken.
Relishes.
Celery, English Pickles.
Entrees.
Escalloped Oysters.
Cakes.
Assorted Cake.
Ice Cream.
Frozen Pudding, Vanilla, Strawberry.
Coffee and Rolls.

After the banquet a social good time was enjoyed and before returning to their homes a vote of thanks were given to Fr. Cunningham.

Rev. F. A. Frigugluetti, the pastor of St. John's church and Rev. John P. Cuffe were also present.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease, and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven catarrh to be a constitutional disease, and, therefore, requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses from 10 drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials. Address,

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—A new kind of friction matches has been invented by M. Pouleaux, a Frenchman. A test has shown that they can be easily and safely made, stored without the risk of explosion, and that they ignite readily and with an agreeable odor instead of the irritating one of lucifer matches.

Praise for Muscle Oil

WM. STRINGER OF PEABODY CURED OF RHEUMATISM IN LEG.

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Muscle Oil Co.:—

Gentlemen:—Last spring I was greatly troubled with rheumatism in my leg and was not able to do any work for four months. After using several other so called sure cures, I tried Muscle Oil, and after using five bottles I was able to work every day and now feel as well as ever.

Yours truly,

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25c. and 50c. a bottle.

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Oct. 9. 1y

Piano and Organ Instruction either day or evening. References. Terms moderate. MISS IDA CHISHOLM,

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Oldest Horse Clipping establishment in city. Prices as low as the lowest.

NO EXPERIMENTS.

Horses clipped at Stable when requested.

First-class Work Guaranteed.

Lowest Prices.

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Oct. 26. tf

$100 REWARD.

THE Above reward will be paid to any person or persons who will give any information that will convict any person or persons of entering the Engine House of Field & Wild on the night of July 31st and night of August 12th and tampering with the engine, boiler and other machinery connected with their works.

FIELD & WILD.

Quincy, Aug. 13. tf

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Pike's Toothache Drops cure in one minute.

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LOST.

LOST—A yellow St. Bernard Puppy, 7 months old, white face and breast. No collar. A reward will be given if returned to LEON WARD, 9 Bennington sreet, Quincy.

Jan. 4 * 3t

WANTED.

QUARRY FOREMAN—Wanted, a thoroughly experienced Quarry Foreman. Must be steady, and experienced in handling workmen, laying out stone, etc. Apply by letter, stating age, experience, giving reference and what salary expected, to M., Post-office, Quincy. jan4-4t

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FOR SALE—The very desirable House Lot No. 177 Wollaston Park, on the southerly side of Willow street, being the fourth lot from Elm avenue. It contains 5,250 square feet, is in a good location and less than one minute from electric cars. As the owner has made such a change in his business location as to make it useless for him to build on, he will make a very liberal discount from its cost to effect an immediate sale. G. W. TISDALE & SON, 178 Devonshire street, Boston. d29-12t

TO LET.

TO LET—Furnished room with furnace heat and bath. Rent reasonable. 29 Chestnut street, Quincy.

Quincy, Jan. 1. tf

TO LET—Free rent until Jan. 1, a pleasant tenement of six rooms with city water on Washington street. South side of the house. Worth $15, will let for winter for $12 per month. Apply to F. F. PRESCOTT at LEDGER office. tf

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Leave NEPONSET—6.22 A. M., 6,37, 6.52, 7.07, 7.22, and every 7, 22, 37 and 52 minutes past the hour until 7.00 o'clock, then every half hour until 11 P. M.; last car for Quincy at 11.15 P. M. Cars leaving Neponset 22 minutes past the hour via. Norfolk Downs.

Quincy and East Weymouth.

Leave CITY HALL (10 minutes later from Quincy Point and 22 minutes later fro North Weymouth)—5.45, 6.20, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8 50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, 11.20, 11.50 A. M.; 12.20, 12.50, 1.20, 1,50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20 4.50 5.20 (5.30 to East Weymouth car house), 5.50, 6.20, 6.30, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.50 P. M.

Leave EAST WEYMOUTH (20 minutes later from North Weymouth and 30 minutes later from Quincy Point)—6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11, 11.30 A. M.; 12, 12.30, 1, 1.30, 2, 2.30, 3, 3.30, 4, 4.30, 5, 5.30, 6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11, 11.30 P. M.

Quincy and East Milton.

Leave CITY HALL, 5.55, 6.25, then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 8.55 P. M., then at 9.50 and 10.50 P. M.

Leave EAST MILTON, 6.30, 7.00 A. M., then on the hour and half hour until 9.30 P. M., then at 10.20 and 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and Holbrook.

Leave QUINCY for SOUTH BRAINTREE and HOLBROOK at 6.10 and 6.40 A. M., and every 10 minutes past and 20 minutes of the hour until 10.10 P. M. Last car leaves at 10.50 P. M. On Saturdays the last car leaves Quincy at 11.50 P. M.

Returning cars leave HOLBROOK for SOUTH BRAINTREE and QUINCY at 5.55 and 6.25 A. M., and every 25 minutes past and 5 minutes of the hour until 9.55 P.M. Last car leaves Holbrook at 11.30 P. M.

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Cars leave QUINCY on the hour and half hour from 7.30 A. M. to 10 P. M Last car leaves at 10.50 P. M.

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r 6 12 abc	*	6 30	5 53 ihgfedcba*		6 20 r
r 6 42 abc		7 00	6 30 cba		6 49 r
r 7 12 abc		7 30	7 30 cba		7 49 r
7 29 a		7 48	8 30 cba		8 49 r
r 7 42 abc		8 00	9 30 cba		9 49 r
r 8 12 abc		8 30	10 30 cba		10 49 r
8 29 a		8 45	11 30 cba		11 49 r
r 8 42 abc		9 00	12 00 (xx)		12 15
r 9 12 abc		9 30	12 30 cba		12 49 r
r 10 12 abc		10 30	1 30 cba		1 49 r
r 11 12 abc		11 30	2 30 cba		2 49 r
r 12 12 abc		12 30	3 30 cba		3 49 r
r 1 12 abc		1 30	4 30 cba		4 49 r
1 46 (xx)		2 00	5 00 cba		5 19 r
r 2 12 abc		2 30	5 15 a		5 32
r 3 12 abc		3 30	5 30 cba		5 49 r
r 4 12 abc		4 30	6 00 cba		6 19 r
r 5 12 abc		5 30	6 15 a		6 32
r 6 12 abc		6 30	6 30 cba		6 49 r
r 7 12 abc		7 30	7 00 cba		7 19 r
r 7 41 abcdefghi		8 07	7 30 cba		7 49 r
r 8 08 abcdef		8 30	8 30 fedcba		8 53 r
r 9 12 abc		9 30	9 30 cba		9 49 r
r 10 08 abcdef		10 30	10 30 fedcba		10 53 r
r 10 34 abcdefghi		11 08	11 00 ihgfedcba		11 27 r
r 11 12 abc		11 30	11 30 cba		11 49 r

SUNDAYS.

6 38 abcdef	7 00	4 05 fda		4 23
8 46 (xx)	9 00	7 30 fedcba		7 53 r
r 9 12 abc	9 30	8 30 (xx)		8 45
r 12 16 (xx)	12 30	9 30 ihgfedcba		9 57 r
1 12 abc	1 30	10 30 ihgfedcba		10 57 r
2 16 (xx)	2 30	11 30 (xx)		11 45
r 3 04 abcdefghi	3 30	12 30 cba		12 49
r 4 04 abcdefghi	4 30	1 30 (xx)		1 45
5 16 (xx)	5 30	4 30 cba		4 49 r
r 6 08 abcdef	6 30	5 00 (xx)		5 15
r 9 08 abcdef	9 30	7 00 fedcba		7 23 r
9 38 adf	9 55	10 30 fedcba		10 53 r

*The letters in the same line as the figures stand for different stations and indicate that trains stop, as follows:

a, Wollaston.
b, Norfolk Downs
c, Atlantic.
d, Neponset.
e, Pope's Hill.
f, Harrison Square
g, Savin Hill.
h, Crescent Avenue.
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Another Monopoly.

Detroit, Jan. 5.—Tom L. Johnson of Cleveland, president of the Detroit Citizens Railway company, is now in control of all of Detroit's street railway lines. Mr. Johnson and associates have been negotiating for several days with the Fort Wayne and Belle Isle company. Last night the sale of most of the stock and bonds of the Fort Wayne company was announced. It is understood that Messrs. Johnson and Peck purchased all but about one-tenth of the stock and bonds of the Fort Wayne company, paying therefor $1,100,000.

Sequel of Drunken Row.

Farmington, Me., Jan. 5.—Gilbert Blondell, who shot Jack Moses last Friday, has been brought here from Lowelltown. The affair was the ending of a drunken row. Blondell claims he remembers nothing of the shooting. He waived examination, and will be given a hearing at the February term of the court. He is a single man, 38 years of age, and a native of St. George, N. B. Moses is still alive, but has little chance of recovery.

Murderer's Plea Not Accepted.

Cambridge, Mass., Jan. 5.—In the Third district court, before Judge Olney, yesterday, Samuel Whittaker was charged with murdering his wife at their home here last Friday. Whittaker at first pleaded guilty, but Judge Olney explained to him that he would not accept the plea, because the case had to go to the grand jury. Whittaker waived examination, and was committed without bail for the superior court next month. Whittaker's throat was done up in bandages, and he is just beginning to realize the seriousness of his actions. He was heard to remark that it was too bad that he did not make a clean job of it and kill himself.

Pope Hospital Dedicated.

Boston, Jan. 5.—In the presence of an interested company the handsome new building at 29 Fayette street, the gift of Colonel A. A. Pope to the New England Hospital for Women and Children, to be used as a dispensary, was formally dedicated yesterday. The exercises took place in one of the large waiting rooms, and Mrs. Ednah D. Cheney, president of the hospital board, presided. Colonel Pope made a brief address of presentation.

Commissioners Approve Depot Plans.

Boston, Jan. 5.—The railroad commissioners yesterday approved the plans for the new Southern Union station, submitted to them by the Terminal company. As nearly all the land which the new station will cover has been acquired by the company the work of building the immense railroad terminal, claimed to be the largest in the world, will begin at once.

Remembered Irish Rebellion.

Blackstone, Mass., Jan. 5. — Mrs. Bridget O'Connell, aged 103 years, died at the almshouse here Saturday. She was born in Enistynona, county Clare, Ire. She remembered the scenes of the Irish rebellion of 1798, and witnessed a fight between the English and the Irish at her native town. She leaves one son, Patrick O'Connell, of Jeffersonville.

Resumed After Three Years' Shutdown.

Boston, Jan. 5.—The Standard Cordage company started up yesterday morning after a shut down of nearly three years. The company will employ about 400 hands, and will be running on fairly good time by Thursday next, but it will take about three weeks before everything is in good running order. Over 5000 people applied for work at the mill yesterday.

Body Found In Harbor.

Beverly, Mass., Jan. 5.—The police were notified late Sunday afternoon that while in a deranged state of mind Mrs. John W. Gregg of "Railside" had wandered from her home. A search was immediately begun, but it was not until yesterday afternoon that the body of the unfortunate woman was found floating in the harbor near Pickett's wharf.

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THREE BANKS SUSPEND.

Bank Examiner at St. Paul Kept Very Busy These Days.

Cashier Cornelius of Baltimore Kills Himself.

Directors of Farmers and Planters' Bank Found $60,000 Shortage.

St. Paul, Jan. 5.—As a direct result of the closing of the Bank of Minnesota, two weeks ago, which created new distrust among bank depositors and started runs on a number of city banks that were reputed not to be as strong as depositors wished, three St. Paul banks, the Germania, the Allemania and the West Side, none of them national institutions, and all closely associated, yesterday closed their doors, one being now in the hands of the state examiner and the others making assignments. During the time that has intervened since the closing of the Bank of Minnesota the Germania bank paid out $225,000 to frightened depositors, and early yesterday the directors concluded that they would stop the drain and made an assignment to the cashier, Peter M. Korst. The Allemania bank, which, like the Germania, had a large clientage among the Germans, and whose vice president had formerly been president of the Germania, then became the target for as lively a run as could be seen during panic times anywhere. People crowded about the doors and fairly fought for a place in the line before the paying teller's window. The bank officials realized fully what such a run meant, and promptly called on Bank Examiner Kenyon to take possession of the bank, and that official is now in charge.

The West Side bank was small, but possibly stronger. It cleared through the Allemania, and yesterday its clearings were returned by the latter institution. Following this there was a decided run inaugurated on the bank, and at 2 o'clock the bank officials closed the doors and called a meeting of the directors to decide what action to take. Their decision was apparent late in the afternoon, when they filed a deed of assignment to Charles F. Staples, the president of the bank. Considerable public money is tied up in the three institutions, but there is an ample supply for all immediate needs in the other banks of the city. The assignment of the Germania and West Side banks has brought up a somewhat new question in the banking laws of this state, and the courts will be called on to settle it.

The state bank examiner doubts their right to assign, holding that they should have, under the law, turned over their assets to him. The attorney general intimates that he will bring action to test the matter as soon as the papers can be prepared.

During the day numerous reports of trouble among the other banks were current, and a few banks suffered runs of greater or less intensity, but the savings banks were protected by the law that allows them to require 60 days' notice before paying out deposits, and the national banks are in strong condition and have no fear of anything of the sort.

Cashier Cornelius Drowned Himself.

Baltimore, Jan. 5.—Richard Cornelius, cashier, and for 42 years connected with the National Farmers and Planters' bank, of which Enoch Pratt was president up to the time of his death, was discovered to be short in his accounts to the amount of about $60,000 yesterday.

About 10 o'clock Cornelius was summoned before the board of directors to explain the irregularities that had been discovered in his accounts, and which were then under consideration by the board. Mr. Cornelius, it is understood, claimed that he could make a satisfactory statement, and he was allowed to go into another part of the bank to get a certain paper. He did not return, and after the lapse of some time the directors ascertained that he had left the building.

The police were notified, and yesterday afternoon Cornelius' dead body was found in the duck pond at Druid Hill park. He had committed suicide.

Mr. Cornelius was one of the oldest and best known bank cashiers in Baltimore, and his acquaintance among bankers extended throughout the country. He was of a cheerful disposition, and was prominent in religious circles, and was also largely interested in building associations in this city. During the life of the late Enoch Pratt, the philanthropist, he was one of that gentleman's most intimate friends, and probably knew more about Mr. Pratt's private interests than any other man in Baltimore.

For many years Mr. Cornelius had been one of the most prominent Methodists in the city. At his death he was a local preacher of the Baltimore conference, president of the City Missionary and Church Extension society, president of the Emory Grove association, one of the trustees of the Baltimore annual conference and a member of the official board of Madison Avenue church.

Mr. Cornelius began his career with the National Farmers' and Planters' bank 42 years ago as messenger boy, and worked his way up to the position of cashier. He was never known to speculate, and lived very frugally.

California Senatorship.

Sacramento, Jan. 5.—The legislature of California met yesterday, and after organizing adjourned until today, when the first biennial message of Governor Budd will be read. The first work of the legislature will be the election of a United States senator to succeed George C. Perkins, Republican. In joint session the Republicans will have a total vote of 74; necessary to choice, 61. The re-election of Senator Perkins was generally conceded until recently. Now S. M. Shortridge, W. H. Barnes, C. F. Croker and ex-Senator Charles L. Felton are all in the fight against Perkins. The friends of the latter claim he has 67 votes pledged, six more than are necessary to elect.

Parkhurst's Assistant Ill.

New York, Jan. 5.—According to Dr. Charles H. Parkhurst, the mind of Arthur E. Dennett, superintendent of the Society for the Prevention of Crime, is unbalanced. "Mr. Dennett," said Dr. Parkhurst, "is undoubtedly suffering from the effects of overwork, loss of sleep and worry over matters connected with the society of which he is superintendent. I believe, however, that a rest of a few weeks will restore him to perfect health."

NORTHWEST BLIZZARD.

Railroads Crippled and Schools Closed---Wind Blew Fifty-Two Miles an Hour.

Chicago, Jan. 5.—The storm which has been raging for the last 48 hours in the northwest has not increased in severity, save perhaps in Coma, and the signal service office in this city reports that within a short time the storm will "probably abate." The wind has been higher throughout the storm, and in some instances has shown remarkable pertinacity in clinging to the high figures, it having for 36 hours kept up a 52-mile per hour gate at Huron, S. D.

The falling temperature is general in the lake region and upper Mississippi valley, but there has been no heavy fall of snow east of Coma.

St. Paul reports that train service is badly crippled throughout the northwest as a result of the blizzard. In some towns business is about suspended. Devil's Lake and Grand Forks, N. D., report that the schools are closed and that all railroad traffic has been suspended for 36 hours. Omaha reports that the snow has ceased falling in Nebraska, but the wind still blows, and the temperature is very low. Main line trains are running about two hours behind time, but branch lines, as a rule, are closed. Kansas City reports that the railroads in the southwest are suffering badly from the snowstorm, and in some places traffic is suspended. Not much snow is falling, but the high winds are drifting in so much as to make it still harder for the railroads. In some places the drifts are eight and 10 feet high. At Larned the snow is four feet deep on the level of the streets. No reports of loss of life have been received from any of the states visited by the blizzard.

Two Delaware Legislatures.

Dover, Del., Jan. 5.—The Democratic members of the legislature mustered 19 votes for their house caucus last night, the absentee being Robert H. Wilson of Kent, who is sick. The Kent county members participated. The caucus resulted in the selection of Emery B. Riggin for speaker. This is a pronounced defeat for the Saulsbury element of the party and the advocates of free silver. The Republicans from Kent and Sussex, who will today be denied admission to the house, also named officers at a caucus held in the Hotel Richardson. They named speaker, Dr. T. C. Moore; clerk, Edgar T. Hastings; reading clerk, Thomas E. Brown; sergeant-at-arms, Joshua Clayton; chaplain, Rev. R. H. Adams. The Democratic senators made overtures to George Fisher Peary, one of the Republican "hold-over" members, offering him the reading clerk and sergeant-at-arms if he will participate in the organization. Peary, however, wants the speakership or nothing. He left the Republican caucus at 12 o'clock. He may return, and then there is a possibility of two legislatures today. Otherwise the outcome is difficult to conjecture.

Altgeld Wins.

Springfield, Ills., Jan. 5.—At the meeting of the Democratic state central committee last night Governor Altgeld was victorious in the first test of strength in the fight between the Democratic factions headed by himself and Secretary of State Henrichsen, respectively. The governor's candidate for state chairman, Dwight W. Andrews of Chicago, was elected without opposition, Henrichsen and others refusing to vote. Some warm talk was indulged in, but the opposition was unable to make a showing. Resolutions were adopted pledging the state Democracy's support of the principals and declarations of the last Democratic national convention. These resolutions were highly laudatory on the subject of Bryan.

Armor Plate Investigation.

Washington, Jan. 5.—Secretary Herbert and Assistant Secretary McAdoo yesterday conferred for several hours with the members of the special board, headed by Captain McCormick, charged with the inquiry into defective structural steel plate supplied for the battleships. It has been finally determined to employ 12 or 15 civilian experts to aid the steel board in the inspection of steel at the mills. These will be paid from $4 to $6 per day, and they will be selected after competitive examination by civil service methods. More than 50 applicants have already made their appearance, and a number of these have been notified to appear for examination.

Charges His Father With Murder.

Wilmington, O., Jan. 5.—James Harvey, the alleged wife murderer, now confined in the county jail charged with the murder of his wife, Ida, on Dec. 18, yesterday forenoon filed an affidavit before the mayor charging his father, William P. Harvey, 69 years old, and a Quaker preacher, with being her murderer. He has shown signs of weakening for several days and wished to make a confession a week ago, but was prevented by his attorney. His father was arrested, but denies being implicated in the crime. Great excitement prevails here.

G. A. R. Not In Politics.

Crawfordsville, Ind., Jan. 5.—The senatorial boom of General Lew Wallace has received a backset from McPherson post, G. A. R., of which he is a member. Charles M. Travis, past department commander, offered a resolution endorsing General Wallace's candidacy for the United States senate and urging the coming legislature to elect him. A high private arose and opposed the resolution on the ground that it was not in the province of the G. A. R. to meddle in politics. A vote was taken, and Travis cast the only ballot in favor of the resolution.

Irving and Terry Both Ill.

London, Jan. 5.—The St. James Gazette says that Sir Henry Irving is not making satisfactory progress, and that several months may elapse before he recovers sufficiently to reappear on the stage. It is also stated that Ellen Terry has had several operations for her eyes. Her friends thought when she left England that the gifted actress would not return to the stage. But it is now reported that she is rapidly recovering on the Rivera.

High Water.

St. Louis, Jan. 5.—As a result of the late heavy rains north and west of here, the tributaries of the Missouri and Mississippi rivers have swollen to such a degree that an unprecedented rise of about 15 feet has taken place in this harbor in 24 hours, and the waters are still advancing. The hard freeze which followed, however, will check the rise, so that but little damage is likely to occur in this vicinity.

CONNECTICUT HEALTH BOARD.

Annual Report Contains Many Important Recommendations.

New Haven, Jan. 5.—Dr. C. A. Lindsley, secretary of the state board of health, has forwarded his annual report to Governor-elect Cooke. This report is interesting, because it makes several important recommendations in the way of legislation. The secretary recommends a much more accurate system throughout the state for registration of deaths than now prevails; it suggests legislation for more careful supervision of milk to prevent its infection by germs of disease, especially of typhoid fever; urges the prolongation of the terms of health officers; recommends the institution of civil service reform in sanitary administration; favors the extension of the plan for the establishment of isolated hospitals for contagious diseases, and the removal of all health officers from the influences of politics.

It is also stated that the state medical society will recommend that hereafter examinations of the candidates for practice in Connecticut be grouped rather than held singly as heretofore. Also that legislation be had compelling an examination of all candidates for medical practice instead of allowing holders of diplomas from approved colleges to practice in the state without an examination, as is now the case. The effect of this will be to place all candidates upon the same level as regards their claims and qualifications for medical practice in this state.

Investigators Fined.

Boston, Jan. 5.—At the conclusion of the trial of George B. Gates, Dudley Kimball, Robert Rigby, Clifford Estes, Edward C. Wood and Robert Harley in the municipal court, charged with disturbing a meeting in the First Spiritual temple on the evening of Nov. 29, and also the malicious destruction of property, the court found the defendants guilty on two counts in the first charge and not guilty of the second charge. Upon the two counts in the complaint charging the defendants with disturbing a religious meeting for the worship of God and with interrupting a lawful assembly, respectively, the court imposed a fine of $50, which is the maximum limit being $25 on each count. A greater portion of the hearing yesterday was taken up with the examination of witnesses, including the several defendants. Each of the defendants described the meeting and the rush from the stage. The rush was a preconcerted one, Gates giving the signal and taking the lead. The commotion and struggle on the stage was also described.

Athletic Carnival.

New York, Jan. 5.—Great interest is being taken in the carnival of sports of the New Jersey Athletic club to be held in Madison Square Garden Feb. 13. The two events that are attracting national attention are the 10-mile run for the national championship and the two-mile steeple chase championship. All the distance runners in this section of the country are training hard for these events. The New Jersey Athletic club will be represented by P. H. Christianson, the schoolboy distance runner, and J. Smith, who made such an exceptionally fine showing last year. All the colleges have agreed to send their strongest teams to compete in this distance run. Columbia, Princeton, University of Pennsylvania, Yale, Harvard and Georgetown will be represented.

Murder Suspected.

Plattsburg, N. Y., Jan. 5.—The body of Martin Ferris, a farmer, aged 75, living alone in a house adjacent to the village of Norrisonville, eight miles from Plattsburg, was found yesterday afternoon in a stable in the rear of his house. His head was crushed in, apparently by heavy blows from a club or other blunt instrument. Blood was found in the straw in the barnyard, and the victim's hat and watch chain were found some distance from the stable. The house was locked, and a lamp was burning on the kitchen table. One bed was disturbed, showing that it had been occupied. Ferris was last seen alive by Michael Butler and Henry Donnellly, workmen employed in a pulp mill near by, and the same persons discovered the dead body. It is thought Ferris was murdered.

Children Play With Giant Powder.

Fremont, O., Jan. 5.—At Millerstown, this county, a son of Alex Dolwick got hold of several pounds of blasting powder and went to the cellar accompanied by three sisters to kill rats. The stuff exploded, and one girl, 8 years old, was burned to death. The clothing of the other children caught fire and they were terribly burned, as were Mr. and Mrs. Dolwick in trying to extinguish the flames.

Pops Frozen Out.

Boise, Ida., Jan. 5.—Governor Frank C. Steunenberg and the other state officers were sworn in yesterday without ceremony of any kind. Both branches of the legislature met and were organized by the Democrats and Silver Republicans. The latter voted solidly for the Democratic nominee The Populists who fused with the Democrats in the election did not get a place.

Negro Train Wreckers Confess.

Birmingham, Ala., Jan. 5.—Four of the five persons who were arrested last week on suspicion of train wrecking have confessed. They are Tom Graham, Tom Parker, Sam Billings and Rome Scales. The fifth, Andrew F. Eagin, who is charged by the others with being the leader, denies all connection with the crime.

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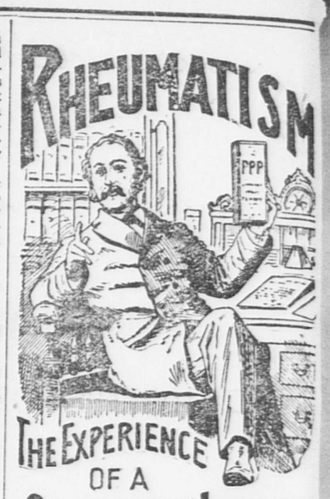
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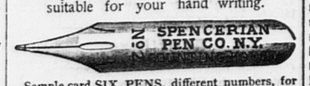
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TELEGRAPHIC.

3 O'CLOCK.

For Latest Local and Vicinity News See Inside Pages.

GENERAL F. A. WALKER.

Sudden Death of Noted Educator and Soldier at Boston.

Recognized as Leading Political Economist.

Great Loss to the Massachusetts Institute of Technology.

Boston, Jan. 6.—President Francis A. Walker of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, died suddenly at his home in this city early yesterday morning. Death resulted from apoplexy, and the news created the deepest sorrow in all classes of society.

Up to the time of his death the general appeared in usual good health. He spent the evening at home, playing games with his family, and retired at the usual hour. About 12 o'clock he was heard by his son breathing heavily, and before a doctor could be summoned the general was dead.

It was probably as an educator that General Walker was best known to the present generation. As the head of the Institute of Technology he was, of course, in a position of great prominence in educational circles, which position he filled with the greatest possible efficiency. He was particularly interested in the mechanical work which forms so large a part of the course of instruction at the institute, and it is considered that it will be impossible to replace him.

Hon. Frank A. Hill, secretary of the state board of education, and who is also a member of the corporation of the Institute of Technology, said yesterday that the news of the death of General Walker came to him like a personal bereavement.

As a soldier, the record of General Walker was a brilliant one. He was beloved by his comrades; honored and esteemed for his efficiency and bravery, and was considered one of the best adjutant generals serving with the Army of the Potomac. He went to the war with the Fifteenth Massachusetts, and was early appointed as an assistant adjutant general. In 1863 he was promoted to the post of adjutant general of the Second Army corps, and from that time to the close of the war served in that position with great distinction, being in that time attached to the staffs of Generals Couch and Hancock. Considered merely as an adjutant general, his great promptitude and exactness, joined to the thorough method which he applied to the smallest part of his duties, made him a perfect staff officer.

On all sides deepest expressions of regret are heard on the death of such an able and public spirited citizen as General Walker. Among many others who have given voice to their sorrow are Mayor Quincy of Boston, President Seth Low of Columbia university, Congressmen Walker and Gillett, Senator Hoar and numerous educators throughout the country. All unite in saying that General Walker's death is a great loss, not only to Boston and Massachusetts, but to the country at large.

The funeral is to take place from Trinity church on Friday at noon.

Francis Amasa Walker was the second son of Amasa Walker, LL. D., one of America's most distinguished writers on subjects relating to political economy and science. He was born at Boston, but his father removed to North Brookfield when he was but three years of age. He graduated from Amherst college and entered the law office of the men later known as Judge Devens and Senator Hoar, then in partnership at Worcester.

But when the civil war broke out the young man forgot all aspirations, and enlisted in the Fifteenth Massachusetts regiment. He served with distinction throughout the war, at the close of which he had won by bravery an adjutant generalship. Upon his retirement from the army General Walker returned to his home at North Brookfield. He then began teaching. He was appointed by President Grant chief of the bureau of statistics. His faithful and efficient service in this position insured for him the appointment of superintendent of the United States census of 1870.

In 1871 General Walker was appointed by the president as Indian commissioner, and he served in that position until 1872, when he was elected professor of political economy and history in the Sheffield scientific school at Yale college.

When in 1880 he was appointed to the position of supervisor of the United States census he resigned his professorship and accepted the position offered him. Early in 1881 he was elected president of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology.

Major Everson Near Death.

Green Harbor, Mass., Jan. 6.—Major Eustis Everson, a veteran of the Civil War, and prominent in the subsequent reconstruction period in the south, is dying at his home here. Major Everson was born in Hanson in 1837, and left his position as register of deeds of Norfolk to join the first call for men in 1861. He served in the Third and Eighteenth regiments, M. V. M., and retired a brevet major of volunteers. After the war he continued in the service of the government in South Carolina, and was captured and sentenced to be shot by the Ku Klux Klan, but through the strong appeal of the leader of the party was liberated. He remained in the south, becoming librarian of Columbia college, and also colonial and aide-de-camp on the staff of the governor of South Carolina. After participating in a filibustering expedition to Cuba during Grant's administration he came to New York, and for a time was city editor of the New York Graphic. In his late years he was in the sheriff's office in Boston, but his failing health, due to five gunshot wounds received during the war, necessitated his giving up business, and for the past 10 years has spent his time in farming and gunning. He married Miss Helen Monroe of Dedham, who died some years since.

Dentist Exonerated.

Worcester, Mass., Jan. 6.—In the superior court in this city Monday the case of John A. Niederberger vs. Dr. Henry H. Gabeler, both of this city, was called, and non-suited. Mr. Niederberger pays the costs, and the result is a virtual victory for the defendant. The case has aroused much interest among physicians and dentists, the plaintiff claiming that he was given gas by the defendant in the extraction of teeth, and that alleged germs of eczema retained upon the rubber mouth of the inhaler caused an attack of the disease, from which he suffered after the operation. Physicians have stated that eczema is not contagious, and therefore the plaintiff could not have caught the disease from the alleged infected inhaler, thus exonerating Dr. Gabeler from any charge of neglect. Expert testimony would have been produced by the defendant if the case had come to trial. The suit was brought to recover $3000.

Big Cotton Shipment.

Boston, Jan. 6.—Owing to an unexpected delay in loading, the steamer Shawmut, which was reported to have sailed from Galveston on Saturday last for this port with the big four-masted barge Atlas in tow, did not leave there until late yesterday afternoon. The combined cargos of the steamer and barge aggregate 82,000 bales of cotton, 5000 being stowed away in the mammoth hold of the barge, while the remaining 3200 bales are carried by the steamer. This is probably the largest shipment of cotton ever sent to a northern port from the gulf. The average weight of the bales in this shipment is 550 pounds, which is fully 50 pounds heavier than the ordinary bales. It is reckoned that it will take the tow fully 15 days to reach Boston.

Estate All Gone.

Greenfield, Mass., Jan. 6.—Oscar F. Durkee and his wife, Nettie S. Durkee, of Northfield, have commenced suit against the executors of the will of the late L. C. Durkee, the blind liquor dealer of Boston. The former is a brother of the deceased, and sues for $2000. Mrs. Durkee sues for $3000. Both claim money is due them for work and money loaned. Mr. Durkee's will provided for the establishment of a home for aged or infirm persons at Northfield, but after the many claims were settled there was little left for the home.

Springfield Brewery Profits.

Boston, Jan. 6.—Judge Sheldon, in the Suffolk superior court yesterday afternoon, ordered the transfer of the extensive property of the Springfield Brewing company at Springfield, valued at $650,000, from Receiver Elbridge R. Anderson to a new syndicate, composed of Michael T. Curley, Eugene Lynch, Josiah Q. Bennett, Michael T. Finnegan, Selig Manilla and Mr. Berry of Springfield. During the receivership of four months the profits aggregated $40,000.

Bay State Silverites.

Boston, Jan. 6.—The Massachusetts Democratic club, the free silver organization of the state, met last night and elected its officers for 1897. There was a good sized crowd present, and the election resulted as follows: President, P. J. Doherty of Boston; secretary, F. A. Hobart, Braintree; treasurer, F. E. White, Taunton; vice presidents, W. H. Baker, Newton, and Robert Treat Paln, Jr., Boston. Mr. W. A. Roberts of Biddeford, Me., was the speaker of the evening.

Prison Commissioners Report.

Boston, Jan. 6.—The report of the prison commission, submitted yesterday, shows that the total prison population of the state is 3087, consisting of 6824 males and 1012 females, an increase of 251 over last year. The largest increase is in Suffolk county, which has 187 more prisoners than it had a year ago.

Governor Power's Council.

Augusta, Me., Jan. 6.—The several legislative delegations have chosen the members of Governor Power's council, as follows: E. S. Marshall of York, E. D. Freeman, Portland; B. C. Boothby, Livermore Falls; F. H. Twitchell, Bath; E. P. Spofford, Deer Isle; H. W. Mayo and V. A. Coffin, Harrington.

Will Visit Holy Land.

Hartford, Jan. 6.—President George Williamson Smith of Trinity college and wife have started on a vacation till the opening of the college next fall. Egypt and the Holy Land will be visited. During President Smith's absence Rev. Dr. Thomas R. Pynchon will be acting president.

Convention of Dairymen.

Montpelier, Vt., Jan. 6.—The Vermont dairymen's convention opened for its 27th annual meeting yesterday, and will continue until Thursday. The exhibition of dairy products and farm and dairy implements is quite large.

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MOOSE AND CARIBOU.

Maine Sportsmen Want Penalty For Violation of Law Changed to Imprisonment.

Augusta, Me., Jan. 6. — The annual meeting of the Maine Sportsman's association was held at the state house yesterday afternoon to elect officers and consider the presentation to the incoming legislature of new measures intended for the better protection of the state's fish and game interests. Some very important changes in the game laws have been suggested, and the meeting was looked forward to with considerable interest.

President P. O. Vickery of Augusta called the meeting to order shortly after 2:30, and in his remarks announced that 218 new members had been admitted to the association during the year. He commended the excellent work of the fish and game commissioners during the year, and congratulated the members on the good work the association had accomplished.

Secretary E. C. Farrington read his annual report and advocated changes in the laws for the better protection of moose and caribou.

Treasurer W. Scott Choate of Augusta reported that the receipts for the year were $603.60 and the expenditures $286.57, leaving a balance in the treasury of $317.57.

Officers were then elected as follows: President, Hon. P. O. Vickery of Augusta; vice presidents, Hon. C. A. Marston, Skowhegan; A. M. Spear, Gardiner; Hon. E. C. Burleigh, Augusta; Hon. W. M. P. Frye, Lewiston; Hon. A. R. Nickerson, Portland; J. H. Kimball, Bath; J. H. Stuart, Bangor; directors, P. O. Vickery, W. S. Choate, J. F. Hill, J. F. Sprague, J. H. Kimball, George H. Fisher, E. C. Farrington, George G. Gifford, F. E. Timberlake; secretary and treasurer, E. C. Farrington.

Hon. L. T. Carleton of Winthrop spoke for the committee on legislation, and stated that they would recommend to the legislature the repeal of the bounty on bears, that the penalty for killing moose and caribou in close time shall be at least 30 days in jail, and not more than 90 days, fines being abolished and imprisonment absolute. The moose and caribou, he said, are being rapidly exterminated, and some measures must be taken to save them. The committee advised that the open time on moose and caribou should be one month from Oct. 15 to Nov. 15, and that the keepers of hunting camps should be licensed and give bonds that they will not violate the laws.

Duck and partridge shooting, the committee thought, should begin Sept. 15, and residents of the state should not be allowed to take carcasses out of the state; non-residents should not be allowed to take a carcass out of Maine, unless shot by themselves; visiting sportsmen should pay $25 for the privilege of hunting moose and caribou.

After the several propositions of the committee were discussed the meeting voted to recommend all of them to the legislature with the exception of the one charging visiting sportsmen $25 for a license to shoot moose and caribou.

The association voted to ask the legislature for an appropriation of $75,000 to carry on the work of propogating and protecting the fish and game interests of the state.

Over 30,000 Miles on a Wheel.

New York, Jan. 6.—A special to The World from Chicago says: The year's mileage record medal will no doubt be awarded to G. N. Roth of the Clarendon wheelmen of this city, who on New Year's eve, in a driving rainstorm, completed one of the greatest year's ride of history, a ride that promises to stand unchallenged for many years to come. Roth rode 34,380 miles in 340 days, an average of over 101 miles each day for the entire time. He traveled over a dozen states in making this ride, and followed the good weather throughout the country.

Injured Prize Fighter.

Newburgh, N. Y., Jan. 6.—Daniel Flanagan, who was so badly punished by William Catskill, a colored pugilist, in a prize fight last Saturday night, is still in a critical condition at Lowpoint. Catskill was arraigned yesterday before Justice Abbott at Wappinger's Falls on the charge of prize fighting. He waived examination and furnished $1000 bail to await the action of the grand jury. Other arrests are likely to follow.

A Parisian Disturbance.

Paris, Jan. 6.—There was a meeting in the Salle de Rivoli last night to protest against the torturing of anarchists in the prison in Barcelona, Spain. Violent speeches were made, and at their conclusion 500 persons marched to the Spanish embassy in the Boulevard de Courcelles, singing the Carmagnole and "Ca Ira," and shouting "Conspuez Canovas." The police dispersed the mob and arrested several of the members.

National Monetary Conference.

Indianapolis, Jan. 6.—It is estimated that upward of 500 delegates will attend the national monetary conference to be held in this city Jan. 12. The executive committee has issued an appeal to business men of the city to do everything in their power to make the delegates welcome. Ex-Governor Standard of St. Louis will, in all probability, be chosen temporary chairman to open the convention.

Pacific Cable.

London, Jan. 6. — The Pacific cable conference will meet within a fortnight in order to sign its report, which is already agreed upon. The draft of this report will soon be signed by the Canadian and Australian delegates. It is semi-officially stated that the report is unanimous in recommending that the cable be built, as it is practically feasible and commercially necessary.

Banks Will Resume.

Hollidaysburg, Pa., Jan. 6. — Assurances have been given to the depositors of the First National bank of Hollidaysburg, and the Martinsburg Deposit bank, which closed their doors three weeks ago, that both will be able to resume business in a few days.

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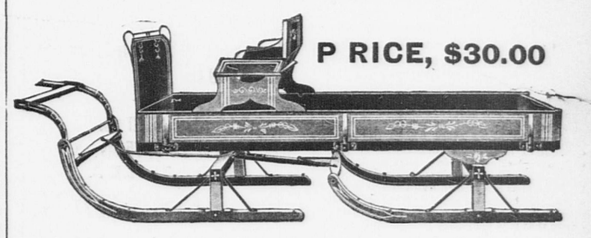
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CITY SQUARE.

Quincy, Dec. 15. tf

NOTICE TO PARENTS.

CITY OF QUINCY.

CITY CLERK'S OFFICE, Dec. 14, 1896.

THE Record of births in any city or town is always more or less unsatisfactory, owing to the fact that the canvasser finds difficulty in getting the necessary information. Names and dates are frequently given incorrectly. The importance of accuracy is shown in many cases where there is a question of descent, or inheritance of property, or collection of life insurance or pensions. The City Clerk's copy of the record is accepted as conclusive evidence in a court of law. While great pains are taken by this office to have the record correct, experience shows that it is necessary that parents themselves should lend their assistance. In fact the law requires that parents shall give notice to the City Clerk of the birth of their children, and provides a penalty for neglect to give such notice for the space of six months.

It often happens that only children or servants are at home when the canvasser makes his call, and the answers to his questions are open to doubt. I therefore request all parents in whose households a birth has occurred in the year 1896, to place upon a paper or card the required information, and keep it in a convenient place until the canvasser appears.

The canvass will be commenced on Jan. 1, 1897.

HARRISON A. KEITH, City Clerk.

Dec. 14 to Feb. 1. Dec. 19—7w

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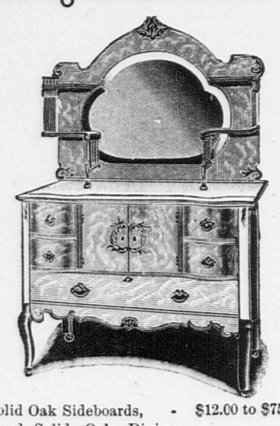
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MOON'S PHASES.

New Moon	3	1:03 a. m.	Full Moon	18	3:17 p. m.
First Quarter	10	4:46 p. m.	Third Quarter	25	3:06 p. m.

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Two Weeks' Temperature.

	This Week.	Last Week
Sunday	39	19
Monday	54	27
Tuesday	59	40
Wednesday	41	43
Thursday	—	45
Friday	—	35
Saturday	—	42

SCHOOL BOARD ORGANIZE.

Ex-Mayor Porter Reelected Chairman—Rules Amended.

The annual meeting of the School Committee was held Tuesday evening Messrs. Porter and Breed being absent.

In the absence of Chairman Porter, Mr. Page presided.

The board organized by the election of Charles H. Porter as chairman and Herbert W. Lull as secretary.

Herbert W. Lull was also reelected superintendent of schools.

The resignation of Nathaniel Churchill at janitor of the Quincy school was received and accepted.

Mr. Churchill's reason for resigning was that he could not give the time required by the new heating apparatus. His services were however retained as janitor of the room at Music hall.

MONEY NO TEMPTATION.

It Was Stuck upon a Letter but Went Through the Mail O. K.

A Quincy lady has just received by mail a letter which showed conclusively that the post office employes through whose hands it has passed must have been honest, or the receiver of the letter would have been twenty-five cents out.

The letter was mailed from Morristown, N. J. After the letter had been placed in the envelope the sender had sealed the letter with a silver quarter dollar which was held in position by a bit of sealing wax on one side. It would have been an easy matter had any of the clerks been dishonest to have appropriated that quarter and all the sympathy the owner would have got would have been "that they ought to have lost it if they did not know any better." But Uncle Sam's men are honest and the quarter reached its destination all right.

Tenth Anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bishop of Nightingale avenue, celebrated their tenth anniversary last evening in a very pleasant way. There was solo singing by Miss Jennie Bishop, Miss M. A. Gardner and Mr. John Bishop. Six of the Bishop brothers sang several English carols very nicely. There were also recitations by Miss Grace Craig, Miss Jennie Bishop, Mr. Archie Parsons, Mr. Ben. Bishop. After which all were invited into the dining room where the tables were loaded down with good things. Games and dancing were then indulged in. All expressed themselves as having a most enjoyable time and that Mr. and Mrs. Bishop might live to enjoy many more such occasion.

The Atlantic Break.

Further investigation of the attempted burglary of the post office shows that the work was evidently that of professionals. It also shows that the fuse had been lighted and that it burned as far as the safe door and then went out.

This leads to the impression that the parties lighted the fuse and then left the building to await the explosion, but as it did not explode they were either frightened away or were afraid to return.

Fire at Milton.

The old farm barn of Charles H. Parker on Hillside street, Milton, was destroyed by fire at 4 30 o'clock this morning. The barn was unoccupied and the fire is supposed to have been caused by an incendiary. The loss will not exceed $800.

—A Lewiston lady was surprised the other day. She lost her pocketbook on the street and, stopping in her distress, she felt hurriedly through the shallow pockets of her cloak without finding it. Turning, imagine her surprise to see a big dog trudging along behind her with the purse in his mouth.

—The trusts generally secure the biggest lawyers. The cigarette combination is vehemently defended by Joseph H. Choate, while the railroad trust commands the logic of Edward J. Phelps. Small wonder that these organized monopolies manage to flourish in the face of adverse legislation.—*Dedham Transcript.*

SHOOTING AT HINGHAM.

A Printer, Who Formerly Worked in Quincy, Wounded.

A few years ago Mortimer O'Brien was employed as a compositor at the LEDGER office. While in Quincy he married Miss Margetts, of Hingham, a daughter of President Margetts, of the Hingham Reform club. They lived happily together for a short time on Canal street in this city, in the house now occupied by City Treasurer Gray.

They removed from town some time ago and the next heard from them was proceedings for separate maintenance on the part of Mrs. O'Brien. On Monday she won her suit.

Mrs. O'Brien returned to her home in Hingham, and Mr. O'Brien soon showed up. Boarders in the house heard O'Brien threatening the life of Ernest Hayball, a barber who boarded in the house, but Hayball armed himself and went forth to meet him. When they met O'Brien immediately opened up, but his two shots went wide of the mark. Hayball returned the fire and shot O'Brien in the shoulder. O'Brien was taken to the City Hospital, in Boston, for treatment.

THE NEW SCHOOL.

A Model Building and Plenty of Room for the Pupils.

A call at the new school building at Norfolk Downs on Tuesday found the pupils pleasantly quartered and as far as appearance went they were not at all crowded, which was quite a marked contrast from the condition of some of the other buildings of the city. Unless this section grows very fast nothing will probably be heard about lack of room from this section for some time to come.

The new building was opened for school purposes for the first time Monday morning and the number of pupils enrolled was 216 divided into grades as follows:

Grade VII—18 pupils.
Grade VI—26 pupils.
Grade V—24 pupils.
Grade IV—27 pupils.
Grade III—30 pupils.
Grade II—39 pupils.
Grade I—52 pupils.

All the rooms will accommodate at least forty-eight so it will readily be seen that in the most of the rooms there are desks to spare, the only room that is at all crowded being the first grade where there are fifty-two children. This room is the first primary room and is provided with tables after the kindergarten style.

The lack of room in this grade has been overcome by advancing some of the pupils into the next room.

It is a nine-room building and as there is no eighth grade this year there are two rooms that are not being used.

The city is to be congratulated upon so fine a building and the children who attend school here should consider themselves fortunate.

Death of Mrs. Roberts.

Mrs. John H. Roberts, wife of ex-Councilman Roberts of Wollaston, passed quietly away at seven o'clock this morning after an illness of two years' duration. For the past few weeks Mrs. Roberts has been barely conscious of what was going on around her. Her vitality was wonderful, life holding on with tenacity which was marvelous. During the past few days she was wholly unconscious, and remained so until she passed away.

Mrs. Roberts, with her husband was one of the early settlers at Wollaston, coming to that place in 1873, taking possession of the house which Edmund S. Sparrow built for their occupancy at the corner of Brook and Safford streets.

She was born at St. Davids, New Brunswick, in May, 1837. In 1863 she was married to John H. Roberts. Four children besides her husband survive her,—Mrs. Howard D. Moore, wife of ex-Alderman Moore of Somerville; Mrs. Joseph G. Spear of Braintree; Mrs. Clarence W. Packard of Dorchester; and Miss Ethel A. Roberts, a pupil in the Quincy High school.

Mrs. Roberts was a member of Woodbine Lodge, Knights and Ladies of Honor, of Wollaston.

☞ Parents wishing their children to join Miss Rose I. Byrne's private class in dancing, must make application to Mrs. E. L. Rhines, Bigelow street, before Thursday, Jan. 7th, as after that date no one will be admitted to the class. Only advanced pupils received. 3t

Squantum Yacht Club.

The Squantum Yacht club held its annual meeting Tuesday evening at Music hall, Atlantic, about fifty members being present. The report of the treasurer showed the club to be in a good financial condition.

These officers were elected:

Commodore,—Hamilton Flood.
Vice Commodore,—Dr. F. A. Locke.
Rear Commodore,—Fred J. Stewart.
Treasurer,—Geo. E. Holmes.
Secretary,—A. E. Campbell.
Measurer,—W. J. Croucher.
Trustees,—Fred P. Loud, Frank Freeman and Benj. Sargent.
Regatta Committee,—Benj. Sargent, T. H. Bain, Geo. A. Varney, E. W. Crocker and C. D. Sargent.
Delegate to M. Y. R. Asso.,—Benj. Sargent.

—Probably one-half of those mysterious deaths by gas are caused by the victims retiring and leaving their gas jets dimly burning. The pressure is lessened during the night, which extinguishes the lights and toward morning the pressure is restored to the mains and the result is suffocation.

QUINCY BREVITIES.

Notes from Quincy Point, Wollaston, Atlantic, South and West Quincy.

More snow.

The mud has dried up.

Bethany Ladies' Circle met this afternoon.

Prayer meeting this evening at Bethany church.

Tuesday's hard rain carried off about all the snow.

Considerable of the taxes assessed in 1896 are unpaid.

Washington's Birthday will fall on Monday this year.

There was a beautiful rainbow about sunset on Tuesday.

Teas and china will be specialties at Gordon's five-cent store.

The average age of the members of the City Council is about 42 years.

Many now find it convenient to get their LEDGER at Pierce's pharmacy.

E. H. Doble & Co. will commence their annual mark down sale Saturday.

It is said that the Sewer Commissioners will soon ask for a large appropriation.

The cottage prayer meetings of Bethany church last evening were all well attended.

Atlantic people locked up more securely than ever last night, and slept with one eye open.

Banquets seem to be in order this month. The LEDGER has already reported three.

The Quincys and Hubs will bowl a game in the Candle Pin league at Costello's alleys tonight.

The Quincy man pulls up today in the school teachers' contest in the Globe. Mr. Candlin has 11,740 and is second.

The granite industry is well represented in the City Council this year, with Messrs. Field, McGrath, Swithin and Geary.

D. D. G. M. Walter H. Cobb of this city will install the officers of Crescent lodge, I. O. O. F., of East Weymouth, Thursday night.

The rental system for the sewers, which is so successful in Brockton, should be adopted in Quincy, instead of assessments.

The Quincy M. I. T. boys unite with thousands of others in mourning the loss of Gen. F. A. Walker, the president of the institute.

Quincy lodge, N. E. O. P., will make a fraternal visit to Columbia lodge at Upham's Corner tonight, leaving on the 7 o'clock car.

More seasonable weather is now predicted for several days. It will be preferable to the warm unhealthy weather of the last few days.

Does any one in the city remember Jacob Witham whose marriage was reported yesterday? He lived in Quincy about 60 years ago.

The South Bostons beat the Jamesons in the City bowling league Tuesday evening by a score of 2,359 to 2,332. They pulled out on the last string.

An inquest on the death of Ernest D. Preston, who was killed on the cars at Norfolk Downs Monday night, will be held at the District court Thursday.

When Birnie & Diack opened their sheds Tuesday, after the Christmas shut down, they found that some one had broken into the sheds and stolen three bush hammers.

The General Court meets today. Quincy is represented in the lower branch by Thaddeus H. Newcomb and James Thompson, and James H. Flint is the senator from this district.

The directors of the association of the alumni of the Quincy High school have made a special effort to have all the classes attend the reunion January 15, and are gratified at the prospects of a good attendance.

Arthur W. Setson, deputy grand sentinel of the Grand Encampment of Odd Fellows, will accompany the board to Bunker Hill Encampment at Charlestown Thursday evening, and on Friday to Kearsarge Encampment of Lawrence.

(*Continued on page 3.*)

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Quincy, Jan. 1.

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104 Hancock St.

COST OF SEWERS.

Quincy Fortunate That It Did Not Enter Metropolitan System.

The report of the Metropolitan Sewerage Commissioners just issued shows the expenditures upon the Neponset valley system for the year ending Sept. 30, 1896, to have been $200,664 35. This, with the amount previously reported, $2,649.95, makes $203,254 30 expended to that date.

The sum of $500,000 was appropriated for the work and the commissioners ask for an additional appropriation of $300,000.

Milton will pay 45 per cent. of the cost and 16 per cent. of the maintenance. This will make her proportion of the cost, about $400,000 and interest, if the work cost $800,000. Hyde Park will pay 18 per cent. of the cost or about $150,000, and 35 per cent. for maintenance. Dedham will pay over $107,000 on the cost and about 20 per cent. for maintenance. Boston's proportion of the cost is 23 per cent, and of the maintenance 28 per cent.

S. of V. Installation.

The annual installation of officers of Camp 27, Sons of Veterans, took place before the members of the camp, and comrades of Post 88, G. A. R., at their headquarters, Grand Army hall, Tuesday night. Past Capt. M. C. Holmes acted in the capacity of installing officer, which duty was performed with great efficiency, the following being installed:

Capt.,—William C. Hart.
1st Lieut.,—H. Marston.
2d Lieut.,—C. A. Anderson.
Camp Council, — T. F. Brown, James Rowell and Leonard Hewson.
Chaplain,—E. M. Tirrell.
1st Sergt.,—A. F. Powell.
Quartermaster,—L. H. Parrott, Jr.
Color Sergt.,—I. L. Jones.
Sergt. Guard,—L. C. Hewson.
Principal Musician,—F. S. Merrill.
Corp Guard,—F. Leavitt.
Camp Guard,—H. F. Eden.
Picket Guard,—J. Crickney.

I. O. O. F. Installation.

D. D. G. M., Edward Q. S. Litchfield and suite installed the following officers of Mt. Wollaston lodge, No. 80, last evening:

N. G.,—William Westland.
V. G.,—Walter L. Ripley.
Sec.,—Franklin Jacobs.
P. S.,—Arthur W. Stetson.
Treas.,—Charles F. Pettengill.
War.,—Henry P. Furnald.
Con.,—Joseph P. Prout.
Chap.,—A. F. Macleod.
I. G.,—W. V. Loud.
O. G.,—N. B. Furnald.
R. S. N. G.,—G. F. Tarbox.
L. S. N. G.,—Richard Prout.
R. S. V. G.,—William J. Williams.
L. S. V. G.,—Francis Veazie.
R. S. S.,—George Ames.
L. S. S.,—F. W. Flowers.
P. G.,—W. G. Spooner.

After the ceremonies the members sat down to a refreshing collation.

Rebekah Officers.

The officers of Carrie E. Ruggles' Rebekah lodge, I. O. O. F., of Wollaston were installed Monday evening by D. D. G. M. Edward Q. S. Litchfield and suite, of Weymouth, as follows:

N. G.,—Estella Corbett.
V. G.,—Mary Westland.
Secretary,—Mary DeForrest.
Financial Secretary,—Rosalia Wardle.
Treasurer,—Adelaide Young.
Warden,—Carrie Saunders.
Conductor,—Lizzie Coombs.
Chaplain,—Martha Emerson.
R. S. N. G.,—Eliab Chandler.
L. S. N. G.,—Florence Hirtle.
R. S. V. G.,—Hattie Huston.
L. S. V. G.,—Lizzie Thomas.
I. G.,—Henrietta Mitchell.
O. G.,—Myron Berry.

One of the pleasant features of the evening was the presentation of a handsome Past Noble Grand collar to the retiring Noble Grand, Ella L. Tapley, by the members of the lodge, the presentation being made by Sister M. Emma Gram. Mrs. Tapley feelingly responded.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY

Take laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. 25c.

—In Massachusetts the native-born constitute about 69 persons in every 100. The foreign population is largest in Bristol, where it reaches 38.40, and smallest in Nantucket, where it is but 8.29. The entire white population of the state is 2,471,418; colored, 26,540; Indian, 519; Japanese, 34, and Chinese, 1,672.

—The United States ought to be thankful that President Cleveland has so much firmness in the Cuban matters, and that he has so able an assistant, as Secretary Olney of Massachusetts.

—Football is being played by electric light in Chicago. You not only have to rise early, says the Boston Home Journal, to keep up with the procession in that hustling city, but you have also to sit up late.

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LOCAL LACONICS.

Continued from page 2.

Eighteen degrees cooler today than yesterday.

Quincy lodge, Order Sons of St George, holds its annual ball Feb. 19.

Henry H. Faxon was surprised at his appointment as a constable, not having asked to be appointed.

Mayor Adams' inaugural address was short compared with those of several of the mayors, who came into office Monday.

The "Gleaners," King's Daughters, of Wollaston, will meet on Monday afternoon next at 2 30 o'clock with Mrs. Samuel F. Howard, Brook street.

The Granite City club will have much better rooms to entertain after removal, the three rooms opening into each other with very wide openings.

D. D. G. M. Franklin Jacobs and suite of this city installed the officers of Bethesda lodge, I. O. O. F., of South Boston or Monday evening, and Hobah lodge Tuesday night, and next Tuesday evening will install the Mayflower lodge officers at Plymouth.

The Wollaston Candle Pin club will bowl its opening match on the Duck's Nest alleys on the evening of Jan. 12. Teams A and B will bowl. The three teams and their members are as follows: Team A,—Starrett, Dewson, Osborne, H. M. Fairbanks and Reed; Team B,—Briggs, Hon. H. O. Fairbanks, Casey, Bryant and J. F. Emery; Team C,—Battison, V. J. Emery, Freeman, Coe and E. F. Taylor.

The Magazines.

With the January number, *Romance* begins the 8th year of its life under new management in new and improved form. It is now the property of Gilson Willets. There are stories by Anthony Hope, Clark Russell, John Habberton, and Miss M. E. Braddon; a serial novel by Hall Caine, several exciting stories in the Contributor's Club; a remarkable poem by Francis Saltus; the stories of Three Romantic Frenchwomen, by the editor; and the stories of the romantic books and plays of the month.

In *McClure's* magazine for January are reproduced all the known portraits of Benjamin Franklin painted or drawn from life. Mr. Hamlin Garland's paper on Grant as a cadet at West Point, with its various illustrative documents and pictures, and the anecdotes and recollections of Grant by Longstreet, Frost, Franklin, and other of his contemporaries at West Point, evolves the composed, capable, diciplined lieutenant from the rustic Ohio schoolboy in a very lifelike and entertaining way. There is an honest ffavor of reality also in an illustrated paper describing the making and laying of an Atlantic cable. The fiction of the number has the usual *McClure* vigor and freshness; and there are two most romantic stories that are not fiction.

If we could trace Dyspepsia to its source, it would lead back to our kitchens. In fact, the secret of good health is good cooking. If well cooked, foods are partially digested; if poorly cooked, they are less digestible than in their raw state. If you are a victim of faulty cooking; that is, if you suffer from Dyspepsia, the rational cure must be looked for in an artificially digested food, and a food which will at the same time aid the digestion of other foods. Such a preparation virtually rests the tired digestive organs, thereby restoring them to their natural strength.

The Digestive Cordial, as prepared by the Shakers of Mount Lebanon, is just such a preparation, and a single 10 cent bottle will convince you of its value. If your druggist doesn't keep it, he will be glad to get it through his wholesale house.

Laxol is the best medicine for children. Doctors recommend it in place of Castor Oil.

—A Berkshire woman whose husband died suddenly, sent the following card of thanks to a paper for publication: "MR. EDITOR—I desire to thank the friends and neighbors most heartily in this manner for the united help and co-operation during the illness and death of my late husband, who escaped from me by the hand of death, Friday last, while eating breakfast. To my friends and all who contributed so willingly toward making the last moments and funeral of my husband a success, I desire to remember most kindly, hoping these few lines will find them enjoying the same blessing. I also have a good milch cow and roan gelding horse, eight years old, which will sell cheap. God moves in a mysterious way his wonders to perform. He plants his footsteps on the sea and rides upon the storm: also a black and white shote very low.

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All telegrams in China are sent in cipher. As there are some thousands of logographs, or word signs, no telegraphic system could manage them. Code numbers are used instead.

MARRIED.

WOLORZ—RAAB—In Boston, Jan. 5, by Rev. John Juss, S. J., Mr. Narciso Wolorz to Miss Franzicha Raab, both of Quincy.

DIED.

FREDERICK—In Quincy, Jan. 4. Mary Frederick, widow of the late Eleazer Frederick, aged 87 years, 10 months and 10 days.
Funeral Thursday, Jan. 7, at 2.15 P. M., from No. 8 Adams street.

BIDDY'S BIG GAME.

Away up near the headwaters of Sycamore fork the black tailed deer were formerly so numerous that the seasoned hunter would not waste a cartridge on anything short of a four prong buck. There, too, until driven back by the encroaching cattle herds, elk used to range and mountain sheep used to cross from Harvey's crag to the northern range. Into this fine hunting ground, about the time of the first light fall of snow, came Robert with a small detail of men to make the last round up of beeves for the San Francisco market. Biddy Burke was of the party and had promised himself and been promised by Robert some shooting to be remembered and to write home about.

"All you lately fellows," said Robert, "write home. I've been on this range for 12 years, and I have no other home. First year I was here I wrote back to the uncle I lived with like this: 'From where I am now I can see the eternal snows on Mount Shasta. Please send me money enough to get home.' You see, I left without mentioning it to anybody and left my hoe in the cornfield. The old man wrote back that I better stay right where I was. He said the eternal snows on Shasta were not a patching to the cool welcome waiting for me in Mizzoura. And I've been staying ever since."

Biddy had worked the whole season through in the valley and foothills without once getting up into the mountains among the big game. All summer he had been told about game so abundant and so bold that horsemen had to turn aside and give the right of way to bands of deer and elk.

And here he was at last in the heart of the game country. It was a disappointment to work the canyons and ravines all the first day, looking for stray cattle, and never start an elk or see a fresh sign. Robert said too many prospectors had camped along the fork lately, and th plenty of game would be found in th rough country higher up.

At early dawn of the second day Biddy turned out to fetch in the horses and had gone but a few hundred yards from camp when he saw his first elk. "Buck fever" has been often enough described—perhaps you have had it yourself—but it is worth remarking that this malady, like intoxication, affects different subjects in different ways. Some men have it in the head, others in the legs. I know one who could not, in the presence of a deer, shut one eye without shutting both, making it difficult to take aim.

Biddy had it in the legs. He slid off from his horse and raised his gun, but his knees trembled so that he must drop to the ground. Taking a careful aim, he fired and missed. Off with a bound the game disappeared, and Biddy, mounting, followed, sure, as every man is when he misses a good shot, that the animal is mortally wounded and must soon come down.

Urging his horse along over the rough ground, Biddy came suddenly to the margin of a small valley or park, and, looking across it in the uncertain morning light, saw a small bunch of game quietly feeding near the farther side. The distance was too great for accurate shooting; so, leaving his horse, he stalked them with great care, keeping to windward and creeping along from one shelter to another until within easy range. The game still grazed without lifting their heads. Resting his rifle on a bowlder, and this time with no fever to distract his aim, he fired and brought down the nearest animal.

The pleasure a man has a right to feel at a successful shot was mitigated in Biddy's case as he rushed in to find that he had shot some prospector's burro, whose asinine companions stood by wagging their ears in mild surprise at this sudden re-enforcement of their number.

"I am an ass," said Biddy to these, "but I am not also a welcher. I've got to pay for this."

He soon found the nearby camp, whereof the unkempt occupant, aroused by the shot and by the donkey's dying song, proved a hard man in a trade. But, finally accepting a large value for the dead beast, he became more genial and invited Biddy to breakfast with him on sure enough elk. But Biddy was for hurrying on to fetch the horses. The other then offered to give him a quarter of young elk meat, saying he was going to break camp that day and could not use it. Biddy said he would shortly return down the valley with his horses, whose bells could be heard in the distance. When he did so, the prospector assisted him to pack the meat on an unwilling horse. "You might tell the boys you killed it," he suggested.

"Would I lie about it?" asked Biddy indignantly.

"You wouldn't hardly get to the sulphur mines for such a little one as that," said the prospector.

Proceeding toward the cow camp with the led horse and its load, Biddy turned aside to view again the dead burro.

"That was a good shot anyhow," he said to himself, measuring the distance with his eye. "I wonder where I hit him."

He drew near to examine, then paused astounded. It was but three-quarters of a donkey that lay on the ground before him. And—yes, there could be no doubt about it—the missing quarter was the one loaded on Biddy's horse.

From up toward the prospector's camp came floating the mocking notes of a donkey chorus. The rising sun lit up the little peak. The frosty mist rolled higher up the mountain side. And Biddy, as he cut loose his quarter of "elk" and swung into his saddle, made a solemn compact with himself not to tell on himself, and kept it.—G. B. Dunham in Argonaut.

Dream and Reality.

Pretty Young Wife—Oh, my dear, this new hat is a dream, a perfect dream.

Practical Husband—I wish to goodness that this bill which came with it was also a dream.—Detroit Free Press.

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WANTED—Salesmen who can control trade of local users of Lubricating Oils and Greases to sell our goods on commission from samples. The Clinton Oil Co., Cleveland, Ohio. jan6-1t*

TENOR WANTED—Must sing A. Two services Sundays in Wollaston church. Address Box 84, Quincy. j6-3t*

QUARRY FOREMAN—Wanted, a thoroughly experienced Quarry Foreman. Must be steady, and experienced in handling workmen, laying out stone, etc. Apply by letter, stating age, experience, giving reference and what salary expected, to M., Post-office, Quincy. jan4-4t

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Leave CITY HALL for Neponset—6.00 A. M., 6.15, 6.30, 6.45, 7.00, and every 15, 30, 45 and 60 minutes past the hour until 7.00 P. M., then every half hour until 10.50 P. M. Cars leaving Quincy on the hour via. Norfolk Downs, except 6.00 P. M.

Leave NEPONSET—6.22 A. M., 6.37, 6.52, 7.07, 7.22, and every 7, 22, 37 and 52 minutes past the hour until 7.00 o'clock, then every half hour until 11 P. M.; last car for Quincy at 11.15 P. M. Cars leaving Neponset 22 minutes past the hour via. Norfolk Downs.

Quincy and East Weymouth.

Leave CITY HALL (10 minutes later from Quincy Point and 22 minutes later from North Weymouth)—5.45, 6.20, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8 50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, 11.20, 11.50 A. M.; 12.20, 12.50, 1.20, 1,50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20 4.50 5.20 (5.30 to East Weymouth car house), 5.50, 6.20, 6.30, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.50 P. M.

Leave EAST WEYMOUTH (20 minutes later from North Weymouth and 30 minutes later from Quincy Point)—6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11, 11.30 A. M.; 12, 12.30, 1, 1.30, 2, 2.30, 3, 3.30, 4, 4.30, 5, 5.30, 6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11, 11.30 P. M.

Quincy and East Milton.

Leave CITY HALL, 5.55, 6.25, then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 8.55 P. M., then at 9.50 and 10.50 P. M.

Leave EAST MILTON, 6.30, 7.00 A. M., then on the hour and half hour until 9.30 P. M., then at 10.20 and 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and Holbrook.

Leave QUINCY for SOUTH BRAINTREE and HOLBROOK at 6.10 and 6.40 A. M., and every 10 minutes past and 20 minutes of the hour until 10.10 P. M. Last car leaves at 10.50 P. M. On Saturdays the last car leaves Quincy at 11.50 P. M.

Returning cars leave HOLBROOK for SOUTH BRAINTREE and QUINCY at 5.55 and 6.25 A. M., and every 25 minutes past and 5 minutes of the hour until 9.55 P.M. Last car leaves Holbrook at 11.30 P. M.

SUNDAYS.

Cars leave QUINCY on the hour and half hour from 7.30 A. M. to 10 P. M Last car leaves at 10.50 P. M.

Returning cars leave HOLBROOK every 15 minutes of and 15 minutes past the hour from 7.45 A. M. to 10.15 P. M.

☞ Cars leaving Quincy at 20 minutes of the hour connect at South Braintree with car for Randolph.

☞ Cars from Randolph connect with cars at South Braintree for Quincy.

☞ On Sundays on the Weymouth route cars will leave Quincy on the hour and half hour and East Weymouth at quarter past and quarter of the hour.

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On and after Nov. 2, 1896, trains will run as follows: (See note of explanation at bottom.)

TO BOSTON. Leave Quincy.	Stops at	Arrive Boston.	FROM BOSTON. Leave Boston.	Stops at	Arrive Quincy
r 6 12 abc	*	6 30	5 53 ihgfedcba	*	6 20 r
r 6 42 abc		7 00	6 30 cba		6 49 r
r 7 12 abc		7 30	7 30 cba		7 49 r
7 29 a		7 48	8 30 cba		8 49 r
r 7 42 abc		8 00	9 30 cba		9 49 r
r 8 12 abc		8 30	10 30 cba		10 49 r
8 29 a		8 45	11 30 cba		11 49 r
r 8 42 abc		9 00	12 00 (xx)		12 15
r 9 12 abc		9 30	12 30 cba		12 49 r
r 10 12 abc		10 30	1 30 cba		1 49 r
r 11 12 abc		11 30	2 30 cba		2 49 r
r 12 12 abc		12 30	3 30 cba		3 49 r
r 1 12 abc		1 30	4 30 cba		4 49 r
1 46 (xx)		2 00	5 00 cba		5 19 r
r 2 12 abc		2 30	5 15 a		5 32
r 3 12 abc		3 30	5 30 cba		5 49 r
r 4 12 abc		4 30	6 00 cba		6 19 r
r 5 12 abc		5 30	6 15 a		6 32
r 6 12 abc		6 30	6 30 cba		6 49 r
r 7 12 abc		7 30	7 00 cba		7 19 r
r 7 41 abcdefghi		8 07	7 30 cba		7 49 r
r 8 08 abcdef		8 30	8 30 fedcba		8 53 r
r 9 12 abc		9 30	9 30 cba		9 49 r
r 10 08 abcdef		10 30	10 30 fedcba		10 53 r
r 10 34 abcdefghi		11 08	11 00 ihgfedcba		11 27 r
r 11 12 abc		11 30	11 30 cba		11 49 r

SUNDAYS.

6 38 abcdef		7 00	4 05 fda		4 23
8 46 (xx)		9 00	7 30 fedcba		7 53 r
r 9 12 abc		9 30	8 30 (xx)		8 45
r 12 16 (xx)		12 30	9 30 ihgfedcba		9 57 r
1 12 abc		1 30	10 30 ihgfedcba		10 57 r
2 46 (xx)		2 30	11 30 (xx)		11 45
r 3 04 abcdefghi		3 30	12 30 cba		12 49
r 4 04 abcdefghi		4 30	1 30 (xx)		1 45
5 16 (xx)		5 30	4 30 cba		4 49 r
r 6 08 abcdef		6 30	5 00 (xx)		5 15
r 9 08 abcdef		9 30	7 00 fedcba		7 23 r
9 38 adf		9 55	10 30 fedcba		10 53 r

*The letters in the same line as the figures stand for different stations and indicate that trains stop, as follows:

a, Wollaston.
b, Norfolk Downs
c, Atlantic.
d, Neponset.
e, Pope's Hill.
f, Harrison Square.
g, Savin Hill.
h, Crescent Avenue.
i, South Boston.
r, Quincy Adams.
(xx), Express.

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BREWER'S CORNER—Emma Lark, Copeland Street.
WOLLASTON—Ross' news stand and carriers.
NORFOLK DOWNS—Branscheid & Martens and their carriers.
ATLANTIC—Branscheid & Martens News Agency and their carriers.
QUINCY POINT—Miss Freeman's store.
SOUTH QUINCY—Peter Haverly, Water street.
F. J. Pierson, 96 Granite street.
O. D. Chick, 59 Liberty street.
EAST MILTON—William Clark's periodical store and his carriers.
EAST WEYMOUTH—George H. Hunt.
WEYMOUTH LANDING—W. E. Cunningham.
NO. WEYMOUTH—B. F. Thomas.

THE WEATHER INDICATIONS.

ALMANAC, WEDNESDAY, JAN. 6.
Sun rises—7:14; sets, 4:28.
Length of day—9:14.
Moon sets—8:27 p. m.
Full sea—1:15 a. m.; 1:30 p. m.

Forecast for New England: Partly cloudy weather; probably light local snows in the northern portion; colder; westerly winds.

High Water In Maine.

Lewiston, Me., Jan. 6.—The heavy rains for 48 hours have swollen the Androscoggin and tributaries, and people are growing alarmed. Near Canton, on the little Androscoggin, the Portland and Rumford Falls railroad is washed away in places, and if the rain continues much damage will result. At Livermore Falls, Rumford Falls, Chrisholm Mills, Lisbon and Norway the river shows rapid advancement, and an ice gorge is feared at Lisbon Falls.

Lively Council Meeting.

Gloucester, Mass., Jan. 6.—The common council broke a record last night, in a first session of four minutes only. Adjournment was carried just in time to prevent an outburst of indignation of members who were disappointed with committee appointments on the part of President Story. Adding to the excitement, Mayor Cook had laid off four officers, two of them the seizure officers, who were active last year in enforcing the no license law.

Massachusetts Board of Trade.

Boston, Jan. 6.—At a special meeting of the executive council of the Massachusetts state board of trade yesterday President Charles E. Adams was appointed to represent the board at the monetary convention of commercial bodies next week. Resolutions were adopted asking for a repeal of the heavy internal tax on alcohol used in manufacturing and fine arts, and endorsing the Loud bill to restrict second-class mail matter.

Grand Jury In Session One Day.

Belfast, Me., Jan. 6.—The Waldo county grand jury, by completing its session last night, made a record for deliberation. It was the shortest session in the history of the county, being one day. Four indictments were reported, against L. L. Gentner, Sherman Freeman, M. R. Knowlton, for alleged liquor selling, and John Frullen, charged with maintaining a gambling place.

Amendment to Bond Law.

Concord, N. H., Jan. 6.—Hon. John M. Mitchell of this city is preparing a bill to be introduced at the coming session of the legislature more clearly defining as to time of liability of persons signing bonds of agents and trustees. The law at present is rather indefinite, but 20 years has generally been accepted as the time of liability.

Suspects Arrested.

Saratoga, Jan. 6.—Henry Donnelly and Michael Butler, pulp mill employes, were arrested yesterday at Morrisonville, Clinton county, on suspicion of possessing knowledge of the murder of Martin Ferris, who was brained and robbed near his dwelling there.

Storm Ended.

Aberdeen, S. D., Jan. 6.—The big storm came to a conclusion Monday night after raging for 40 hours. The drifts of snow are the largest ever seen in this place, and days must elapse before the streets are cleared.

Trouble Aboard Ship.

New York, Jan. 6.—The three-masted schooner Captain A. Phinney arrived at Perth Amboy yesterday in charge of Captain A. Phinney of New Bedford, Mass., who accuses a number of the members of his crew with mutiny. The accused men bring counter charges of cruelty against the captain.

Sedalia Shoe Firm Fails.

Sedalia, Mo., Jan. 6.—The Van Wagner-Haney Shoe company, the oldest and largest house in the city, closed its doors yesterday on a deed of trust. John Montgomery, Jr., is trustee. The failure is a bad one, but the amount of assets and liabilites are not given.

"**Hood's Sarsaparilla** has done a great deal of good in our family. My daughter has taken it for indigestion and it has cured her." Mrs. F. King, 307 South Front street, New Bedford, Mass.

Hood's Pills are the best after dinner pills.

Among the sultan's gold plate there are dishes of solid gold large enough for a baby's bath, and there are plates, cups and saucers, tureens and pitchers, massive and heavy, made of this same precious metal.

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Take laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. 25c.

SENATORIAL CONTESTS

Lively Opening Sessions of Many State Legislatures.

Republicans Frozen Out In Delaware.

Quay Knocks Wanamaker Out In One Round. In Other States.

Dover, Del., Jan. 6.—The Delaware legislature was organized yesterday amid confusion and turmoil. The seven Kent county Republicans, against whose contest for seats the court of errors and appeals has decided, were denied recognition, and after fruitless protest the Republicans left the hall and organized a "rump" house at the Hotel Richardson. There they elected Dr. T. C. Moore speaker and Charles Hastings clerk. After notifying the senate that they were ready to receive any communication from that body and receiving no reply, the body adjourned to meet next Friday.

The senate was also organized by the Democrats, Samuel B. Meredith, whose seat was in dispute, being permitted to vote, while Allee was not. This made the vote 5 to 4 in favor of the Democrats. After participating in the vote for temporary chairman, the Republicans refused to vote, except in the case of the chaplain, when John M. C. Moore voted for Rev. T. P. Revell, who was elected. Senator Hanby championed the cause of the Republicans, but his colleagues remained mute.

After adjournment the Republican senators held a conference in the state house parlor, during which Senators Hanby and Allee accused Senator George Fisher Pearce of treachery, and of playing into the hands of the Democrats. Pearce made no defence.

PENROSE SUCCEEDS CAMERON.

Wanamaker Defeated In First Ballot For Pennsylvania Senatorship.

Harrisburg, Jan. 6.—The factional Republican contest for the succession to the seat in the United States senate occupied by J. Donald Cameron, which has kept the people of the state in a fever heat for many weeks, was finally settled last night in the joint party caucus of the Republican members of the legislature, who chose state senator Boies Penrose of Philadelphia as the man upon whom the honor shall be bestowed. Of the 215 Republicans in the legislature, 211 were present and voting. Of these votes Penrose received 133, ex-Postmaster General John Wanamaker 75, Senator Cameron 1, Congressman John B. Robinson 1 and Superior Court Judge Chase Rice of Wilkesbarre 1. The place has been conceded to Philadelphia from the start, and the fight was thus narrowed down to Wanamaker and Penrose. The latter received the support of Senator Quay, and his success is a great victory for that leader. Mr. Wanamaker was backed by the faction in which David Martin is the leader, assisted by strong organizations of business men in nearly every county. Much bitterness was exhibited on both sides.

Boies Penrose was born in Philadelphia, Nov. 1, 1860; graduated with honors at Harvard in 1881; read law with Wayne MacVeagh and was admitted to the bar in 1883. He was elected to the state house of representatives from the Eighth district in 1885, and to the senate a year later, and has been re-elected since, being still a member of that body. Two years ago Senator Penrose was a candidate for the office of mayor of Philadelphia.

Maine Legislature.

Augusta, Me., Jan. 6.—Practically all of the members of Maine's incoming legislature are here, and the city has assumed that air which it has only when the state's lawmakers convene here. The hotels are crowded far beyond their reasonable limit and accommodations are at a premium. Last night interest centered in the caucuses which decided the organization of the house and senate for the session. The results were practically as anticipated.

Tonight the caucuses for the nomination of state officers are to be held. The choice of the candidate for attorney general is really the only thing in doubt, and there is more interest in the canvass of the rivals for this honor than in the caucuses held last evening. W. T. Haines of Waterville and George M. Seiders of Portland are the most prominent candidates for the nomination. Both are confident of success, but Mr. Haines' friends believe the result of the balloting is a foregone conclusion that will be satisfactory to them.

The separate caucuses were held last night in the respective chambers of the senate and the house. In the senate Senator Walls presided. The following nominations were made: For president of the senate, A. R. Day; for secretary, Kendall L. Dunbar; for assistant secretary, Amos K. Butler; messenger, Charles H. Lovejoy; assistant messenger, J. F. Ashford; folder, A. B. T. Chadbourne; assistant folder, John A. Burton; mail carrier, S. A. Holden; doorkeeper, Charles A. Favour.

Hon. H. L. Noble of Lewiston presided over the house caucuses, and the following nominations were made: For speaker, Hon. Seth L. Larrabee of Portland; clerk, W. S. Cotton of Lisbon; assistant clerk, E. Thompson of Augusta; messenger, George H. Fisher of Winterport; mail carrier, W. I. Neal of Pittsfield; assistant mail carrier, Harry P. Hawes of Vassalboro; doorkeeper, E. C. Noyes of Bradley; assistant doorkeeper, W. B. Bean of Jay; first folder, J. F. Frederick of Stark; second folder, Chapin Lydston of Litchfield; third folder, Lewis J. Bram of Gardner.

Immediately after formal organization today both houses will adjourn until Thursday, when the inauguration ceremonies will take place.

In Massachusetts.

Boston, Jan. 6.—The great and general court of Massachusetts, whose first session was held in 1780, begins the session of 1897 today, both branches starting the legislative year at 11 o'clock. At that time Acting Governor Wolcott will swear in the members of the senate and house, after which both branches will organize.

The Republicans of the senate held a caucus last evening and nominated Senator George P. Lawrence of Berkshire for president and Henry D. Coolidge of Concord for clerk. Senator Bradford of Springfield presided, and Senator Lawrence's name was presented by Senator Irvin of Northampton. Captain G. B. Adams of Lynn was nominated for sergeant-at-arms and Rev. Edward O. Dowse of Sherborn was nominated for chaplain. There will be no opposition on the part of the Democrats.

In New Hampshire.

Concord, N. H., Jan. 6.—Republican members of the incoming legislature for the most part met in caucus last night to make nominations for various legislative offices. The senate has selected Chester B. Jordan of Lancaster for president, William R. Jarvis of Claremont for clerk, Thomas F. Clifford of Concord for assistant clerk, John Demeritt of Madbury for sergeant-at-arms, Horace B. Sherburne of Penacook for doorkeeper and Henry B. Stearns of Manchester for messenger. All these nominations were made by acclamation.

In the house, Hon. James F. Briggs of Manchester was nominated for speaker over David R. Pierce of Somersworth. The house officers were called as follows: Clerk, Eliphalet F. Philbrick, Concord; assistant clerk, Henry E. Brock, Conway; sergeant-at-arms, James H. Willoughby, Nashua; doorkeepers, John Woodward, Littleton; John H. Willey, Manchester; G. W. Torr, Dover; E. P. Hunt, Harrisville.

In Connecticut.

Hartford, Jan. 6. — The preliminary organization of the general assembly, which will meet at the capitol today at 10 a. m., was effected at a caucus of the Republican members in the state capitol last evening, and the nominations made were equivalent to an election. The senate nominations were: President pro tem, William H. Marigold, Bridgeport; clerk, Samuel A. Eddy, North Canaan; chaplain, Henry M. Thompson, Hartford. The house nominated Joseph L. Barbour, Hartford, speaker; Frederick A. Scott, Plymouth, clerk; assistant clerk, Frank E. Healy, Windsor Locks; chaplain, Rev. N. A. Richards, Hartford.

Editor Indicted.

Washington, Jan. 6.—The grand jury has returned an indictment for criminal libel against ex-Representative Charles G. Conn of Indiana, the former proprietor of the Washington Times. A bench warrant for his arrest was issued. The alleged libel charged that District Commissioner Truesdell had used his public office for his personal and private use, instead of the public good, and by means of his office and public appropriations had sought to benefit sections of the city in which he was a property owner, instead of devoting the funds to more populous sections. Mr. Conn is now in Indiana, but it is understood he will return shortly and give bonds to answer to the indictment.

Frozen to Death.

St. Paul, Jan. 6.—Representative McGrath of Barnesville was excused from attendance on the legislature yesterday, having received a telegram that his brother, Thomas McGrath, was frozen to death in Sunday's blizzard. "A Fargo, N. D., special says: Two children of John Petit of Hunter were frozen to death in Sunday's storm. The father has been in Fargo for three days, but details cannot be secured. The blockade by the blizzard is greater than at first estimated. No trains have reached Fargo from any direction since Sunday morning. One started east over the Northern Pacific yesterday morning, but had not reached Glyndon, 12 miles away, at noon.

Altgeld Pardons Twelve Murderers.

Springfield,, Ills., Jan. 6.—Governor Altgeld has pardoned 20 convicts, 12 of whom were convicted of murder. The sentences of the latter ranged from short terms for manslaughter to imprisonment for life, for murder in the first degree. Their names are: Henry Jones, John F. Burke, Charles Dixon, Goin Harris, William Landers, John Crowley, Frank Weber, John Walker, Charles Robinson, Lawrence Farley, Katherine Kelchner and William H. Sibert. The reason given by the governor for the issuance of the pardons was that they were recommended by the state attorneys of the counties represented.

McKinley's Secretary of Navy.

Cleveland, Jan. 6.—President-elect McKinley has at last got down to the serious work of constructing a cabinet. There seems to be no possible doubt that Cornelius N. Bliss of New York has been offered and accepted the secretaryship of the United States navy under the new administration. It is said this arrangement was accomplished at the home of Chairman Hanna on Monday afternoon in the presence and with the consent of the New York member of the prospective cabinet.

Against Skyscrapers.

New York, Jan. 6. — Superintendent Constable of the building department had a long conference with Mayor Strong yesterday afternoon over a bill which limits the height of buildings to be erected hereafter in this city. Mr. Constable had with him a rough draft of the proposed enactment. The bill will be presented to the legislature early in the session, and as it will have the endorsement of the city authorities the prospect of its passage is bright.

Prisoner Escapes.

Buffalo, Jan. 6.—Charles O. Hartwell, a Niagara county prisoner at the Erie county penitentiary, escaped yesterday morning, and a rope about 45 feet long hanging over the prison wall suggests the manner of his exit. Hartwell was imprisoned on a charge of grand larceny, and had served an eight months' sentence, which expired at noon yesterday, when he was to be arrested on a fresh warrant charging him with forgery.

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Secretary Herbert Enlightens Congress on Cost of Armor Plates.

Two Manufacturers Whack Up on Contracts.

Congress Advised to Fix Arbitrary Price For Armor For Vessels.

Washington, Jan. 6.—Secretary Herbert has transmitted to congress his reply to a provision in the last naval appropriation bill directing him to examne into the actual cost of armor plate and report to congress before Jan. 1, 1897, and to make no contract for armor plate for the vessels authorized by that act until after the report was made to congress. This provision of the bill grew out of a heated debate in the house and senate, in which the main contention was that the government was payng too much for armor plates. The report is a very important, and in many respects, a sensational document. The present cost of armor is $583 per ton. Mr. Herbert's conclusion is that the cost of material and labor is $198.70, and allowing for the cost of maintaining the plant and the nickel now furnished by the government and 50 per cent profit to the companies, the net cost to the government would be in round numbers $400 per ton. The Carnegie and Bethlehem companies have both expressed a desire to sell out their plants to the government.

Secretary Herbert, in his reply to congress, explains the methods of investigation he pursued and the difficulties which beset him. Both the Carnegie and Bethlehem companies declined last spring to give the information, on the ground that they were not obliged to give to the public the secrets of their business, a position to which Mr. Herbert took exception on the ground that the government had bound itself not to buy armor plate abroad, and therefore was entitled to know whether the prices charged were reasonable.

The Carnegie and Bethlehem companies made statements of the cost of producing armor, which are severely criticised by the secretary. Government experts do not sustain the cost both companies claim for the erection and maintenance of their plants.

The secretary further states that there was an agreement between the two companies to divide the work of making armor plate, and that European governments got the same plate from these companies much cheaper than we did. Both companies have already been repaid the cost of their plants.

It is apparent from Secretary Herbert's statement that these companies have been making enormous profits. It is recommended that congress fix a price for armor plate, which would give the maker a profit of $50 a ton, which would save the government $500,000 on each warship built. If these companies should refuse to make contracts at the price fixed by congress, the secretary recommends that armor plants be erected or bought or leased. If this were done better results would be obtained.

CONGRESSIONAL PROCEEDINGS.

Senate and House Resumed Work Yesterday. Capital Punishment Mod fied.

Washington, Jan. 6.—The senate passed the house bill abolishing the death penalty in a large number of cases. The measure is in the line of recent state laws abolishing capital punishment, and applies the same principle to federal offenses, although the change is not extended to total abolition of the death penalty. The present laws, which have come down from colonial times, have a sanguinary aspect, and prescribe death for 60 offenses of various characters. The bill passed reduces these offenses to five, namely, treason, rape, murder, and two offenses applicable to the army and navy. In all other offenses hard labor for 50 years is substituted for the maximum punishment, and even in cases of murder and rape hard labor may be substituted if the jury states in its verdict "without capital punishment." As the bill has passed the house after a long crusade by Representative Curtis of New York, and is amended but slightly by the senate, it is likely to go to the president when the minor disagreements are arranged in conference.

During the day Mr. Call (Dem. Fla.) introduced resolutions calling for information as to the condemnation of Julio Sanguilly at Havana, to life imprisonment, and also directing the secretary of state to demand Sanguilly's immediate release. Mr. Peffer (Pop. Kans.) delivered a lengthy speech in support of his resolution for a national commission.

The house entered upon its work immediately after reassembling yesterday by taking up the Loud bill to amend the laws relating to second-class mail matter. The whole day was devoted to general debate on the measure under a special order, which will bring the bill to a vote this afternoon at 4 p. m. The general provisions of the bill are pretty well understood. Its principal features are the denial to the mails of serial book publications at 1-cent per pound rates and the stoppage of the newspaper sample copy privilege. Mr. Loud of California, the author of the bill, is its champion on the floor, and Mr. Quigg of New York has charge of the opposition. Those who took part in the debate yesterday were Messrs. Kyle (Dem., Miss.), Burton (Rep., O.), Bromwell (Rep., O.), and Odden (Dem., La.) in favor of the bill, and Messrs. Quigg (Rep., N. Y.), Johnson (Rep., Cal.), and Cummings (Dem. N. Y.) against it.

New York Boxing Law.

Albany, Jan. 6.—"I shall not introduce an amendment to the law that permits boxing to be carried on in a lawful manner before regularly incorporated athletic clubs," said Assemblyman George Horton last night. In drafting that law last winter I gave it my most careful attention, and I believe that it has done more than all previous laws to make boxing a reputable sport. The fact that a man in New York was badly hurt or killed is not the legislature's lookout. The law is drawn so as to prevent prize or finish fights, and if the police authorities enforce it there will be no trouble." It is possible that Senator Ford or Senator Pavey may try to amend the bill to entirely forbid professional boxing exhibitions.

Springfield Merchant's Offer.

Springfield, Mass., Jan. 6.—L. L. Putzel, doing business as the Hub Clothing company, is offering his creditors 33 cents on the dollar.

WOMAN'S STRUGGLE.

All women work.
Some in the homes.
Some in church, and some in the whirl of society.
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Mortgagee's Sale of Real Estate.

PURSUANT to the power of sale, contained in a certain mortgage deed, given by Walter F. Hall to the Quincy Co-operative Bank, dated February 7th 1894, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, libro 709, folio 113, will be sold at public auction on the premises hereinafter described for breach of the condition of said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing the same on THURSDAY, the twenty-first day of January, 1897 at three o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed and therein described, substantially as follows, namely:

A certain lot of land, together with any buildings thereon standing, containing 6959 square feet, situated in said Quincy and bounded and described as follows, viz: Being lot No. 5 on a plan of house lots owned by John R. Graham, made by George G. Saville and dated July, 1884, recorded with Norfolk Plans as No. 411 in Plan Book 10; Said lot is bounded Northwesterly on a private way on said plan called Sumner street, eighty-seven (87) feet; Northeasterly on a private way shown on said plan, connecting said Sumner street with River street and called Graham street, eighty (80) feet; Southeasterly on lot No 6, on said plan, being other land of said Graham, eighty-six and ninty-nine one-hundredths (86 99) feet; Southwesterly on lot No 4, on said plan, being other land of Graham, seventy-eight and sixty-four one-hundredths (78.64) feet. Being the same premises conveyed to said Walter F. Hall by the said John R. Graham by his deed, dated February 7th, 1894, duly recorded, and said premises are to be sold subject to any unpaid taxes or assessments.

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TELEGRAPHIC.

3 O'CLOCK.

For Latest Local and Vicinity News See Inside Pages.

THE OPENING SESSIONS

Of Massachusetts New Hampshire and Connecticut Legislatures.

Clerks, Messengers and Chaplains Selected.

Organization Completed and Everything Ready For Business.

Boston, Jan. 7.—The Massachusetts legislature for 1897 began work at 11 a. m. yesterday. A large number of spectators were present. The business of the morning consisted in the usual administration of the oath of office to the new legislators by the acting governor in the presence of the executive council, after the usual form, and the organization of the two houses. There was a caucus for nomination of house officers beforehand, at which John L. Bates was named for speaker, and the much-talked-of clerkship contest was decided in favor of James W. Kimball of Lynn, who had a substantial majority over George T. Sleeper, the former clerk. The inauguration addresses of the incoming presiding officers both made pleas for shorter sessions.

Every living member of both houses was present and qualified, 239 in the house and 40 in the senate. One of the events of the morning was the filing of a petition with the clerk of the house in which Councillor John H. Sullivan of Boston asked that the contested councillor votes in the recent election be counted for him.

The speaker of the house announced as the committee on rules the speaker and Messrs. Myers of Cambridge, Jones of Melrose, Lowell of Boston, Manchester of Winchester, Clarke of Wellesley, Stone of Springfield, Hayes of Lowell and Kenefick of Palmer.

Mr. Whittlesey of Pittsfield announced the death of Edward N. Robbins of Pittsfield, member-elect from the Fourth Berkshire district, and offered an order that the speaker issue a precept for a new election. The order was adopted, and the house then adjourned until today.

Connecticut Legislative Officials.

Hartford, Jan. 7.—Both houses of the general assembly of 1897 convened here at 10:20 yesterday. The oath was administered to 236 of the 252 members. Representatives Jacobs of Killingly, Eldridge of Willington and Gladden of Chester of the house of 1896 will hold over, owing to the sickness of the members-elect from those towns. Joseph L. Barbour of Hartford was elected speaker. Other officers of the house were elected as follows: Clerk, F. A. Scott, Plymouth; assistant clerk, F. E. Healy, Windsor Locks; chaplain, Rev. W. A. Richard, Hartford. After fixing Feb. 4 as the last date for receiving new business, the house adjourned until afternoon. In the senate these officers were elected: President pro tempore, Senator W. H. Marigold of Bridgeport; clerk, Samuel A. Eddy of North Canaan.

At 2 o'clock both branches of the general assembly reassembled. Lieutenant Governor Dewell took his seat in the senate chair and delivered his address. There was some delay in the arrival of Governor Cooke.

The house passed a resolution, which was offered by Representative Griffin of Hartford, which orders the directors of the Connecticut reformatory to make no further contracts, and to take no further steps on contracts already made, until the general assembly has acted upon the matter. This stops, for a time at least, the contest between the city of Hartford and the reformatory commission.

Officers of Maine Legislature.

Augusta, Me., Jan. 7.—The legislative caucus for the nomination of state officers was held in the house of representatives at the capital last evening. There was an immense crowd present, drawn thither by the exciting contest for the attorney generalship between Hon. George M. Seiders of Portland and Hon. William T. Haines of Waterville. After three ballots, in which Mr. Noble of Lewiston and Mr. Appleton of Bangor also figured, Mr. Haines was nominated.

Other officers nominated were as follows: Secretary of state, Byron Boyd of Augusta; state treasurer, F. M. Simpson of Carmel; state assessors, Otis Hayford of Canton and William C. Marshall of Belfast; state printer, Clarence B. Burleigh of Augusta; state binder, H. E. Smith of Augusta, and seven councillors, who have been previously announced.

The inauguration of Governor Llewellyn Powers will occur at the hall of representatives this morning at 10 o'clock.

New Hampshire Legislature of 1897.

Concord, N. H., Jan. 7.—The 10th biennial and 105th regular session of the New Hampshire legislature convened yesterday afternoon. The roll call showed eight of the 357 members-elect of the house absent. Governor Busiel administered the official oath to members of the senate, and afterward went to the other chamber and qualified the representatives. David R. Pierce of Somersworth was elected temporary presiding chairman of the house. A resolution presented by James O. Lyford of Concord that the clerk strike the name of Arthur E. Dole from the roll and insert that of Samuel F. Patterson, as one of the members from ward 6, Concord, was adopted without objection. Mr. Lyford stated that the certificate was given Mr. Dole, but that a subsequent recount showed Mr. Patterson to be elected.

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WIND AND FIRE.

Derry Depot Narrowly Escapes Disastrous Conflagration.

Manchester, N. H., Jan. 7.—A special from Derry Depot says: Fire has destroyed the Derryfield shoeshop and a 2½ story dwelling owned by Myron Richardson, inflicting a loss of $45,000. At one time the town was seriously threatened.

The fire started in the building owned by the Derryfield Shoe Factory association, and in a few minutes the whole building was enveloped in flames. A strong wind carried the blazing embers far and wide, and only energetic work and the greatest good fortune prevented the whole town from being consumed.

The fire became so threatening that a call was sent to Manchester for aid, but the fire was controlled and the call was countermanded.

The fire was of rather mysterious origin, since there are no fires in the building, and the steam is obtained from outside. No smoking is allowed in the shop.

The house of Myron Richardson, which was close by, was consumed.

The loss on the factory is complete, and is estimated at $40,000. About 200 hands were employed. The building was owned by local people, and was built a year ago last October.

Tonnage Tax on German Vessels.

Boston, Jan. 7.—The first steamer to enter this port subject to the tonnage tax, which went into effect on Jan. 1, by proclamation of President Cleveland, was the Hamburg-American steamer Cheruskia, Captain Schlaeker, which arrived Monday from Hamburg. The tax is 6 cents per ton, figured on the net tonnage of the steamer, until 30 cents has been paid in one year. This, of course, would permit the steamer free of this tax after her fifth passage in one year. The net tonnage of the Cheruskia is 2097, making her tax $125.82. By the treaty of 9 or 10 years ago, this tax on vessels from German ports was annulled, on condition that the same privilege be granted American vessels in German ports. It transpired that though the Berlin government was carrying out the contract, some of the ports in Germany were imposing a tax which amounted to the same thing as the tonnage tax.

Sensational Case at Boston.

Boston, Jan. 7.—The case of Chamberlain vs. Woodbury, about which so much has been printed, came up in court here yesterday. Frederick D. Chamberlain of Spokane, Wash., is suing E. Frank Woodbury and Josephine C. Woodbury for $25,000 damages, alleging that the defendants were the cause of alienating his (Chamberlain's) wife's affections. The Woodburys are Christian scientists, and Mrs. Chamberlain is a convert to that belief. In court Mrs. Chamberlain said the cause of estrangement between her husband and herself was not her religious belief, but financial matters were the real reason. She paid her husband's bills until she tired of the constant drain and then left him. He then charged the Woodburys with influencing her. All the people involved are wealthy and hold good positions in society.

General Walker's Funeral.

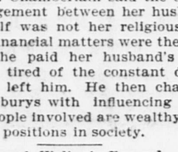
Boston, Jan. 7.—It has been decided, in deference to the wishes of the family, that the body of General Francis A. Walker, the late president of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, will not lie in state previous to the funeral today. Owing to the fact that Trinity church will not hold all who desire to attend the funeral, delegations will be limited in membership. Many bodies with which the general was identified, including the Commandery of Massachusetts, Loyal Legion, have adopted appropriate resolutions on the death, and provided for representation at the services.

Woman's Sad Predicament.

Portland, Me., Jan. 7.—A woman named McDermott, 60 years old, was found up to her waist in the mud and water of Back bay last night. She was nearly frozen to death when her cries for help were heard by two men, who chanced to be passing. When taken to the police station it was some hours before the woman was brought to consciousness. How she came in the water she either does not know or refuses to tell. Foul play is suspected, and the police are investigating the matter. The woman is in a critical condition.

Marital Contracts Upheld.

Boston, Jan. 7.—An important precedent was established by the full bench of the supreme court in the case of Richard Polsen vs. Henry Stewart, Jr., handed down yesterday, Chief Justice Field dissenting. It holds that a court of equity here will enforce a covenant made by a husband to his wife in another state, where they were domiciled, and whose laws give her the right to contract, as if she were unmarried, to surrender all his marital rights in land belonging to her, situated here.

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IN WEYLER'S PRISONS.

Prominent American Describes Pitiable Condition of Inmates.

Americans Arrested Without Reasonable Cause.

Loud's Second Class Mail Matter Bill Passed House of Representatives.

Washington, Jan. 7.—In the senate yesterday, Call of Florida spoke on Cuba, and during his remarks presented a letter containing a graphic description of the treatment of American prisoners in Cabanas fortress at Havana.

The circumstances surrounding the latter attracted marked interest to it, as Mr. Call said it came from a public man of high standing in the United States, who would shortly occupy a place in the legislative branch of the government. This led to the impression that the letter was from Senator-elect Money, whose recent visit to Havana had attracted attention, but later Mr. Call removed this impression by saying the writer was a prominent man from a northern state and a Republican. This exempted Mr. Money, who is a Democrat from Mississippi.

The character of the writer was indicated from his frequent references to visits in company with Consul General Lee. The letter dealt with the immediate present, and described a visit made by the writer and General Lee to Cabanas fortress seven days ago, viz., on the morning of Dec. 30. It told of the pitiful condition of the prisoners, some of them Americans, including Julio Sanguilly and a young man who was the companion of Charles Govin, the American newspaper correspondent, killed in Cuba. The recital of these prisoners was given in full.

The writer also gave the particulars of another arrest which had not thus far been reported. He said that while at General Lee's office on the Monday previous (Dec. 28) he saw a son of Dr. Battencourt, an American citizen, who had been practicing dentistry at Havana for the last year. The son, also an American citizen, stated that his father had mysteriously disappeared on Saturday night. He was traced to the Cabanas fortress, where the son, on paying 50 cents to a Spanish official, was allowed to send in food, and later on, paying $1.50 to the official, was allowed to send a cot to his father. No charge was preferred against Dr. Battencourt, but it appeared that while listening to a band concert in front of the Hotel Inglaterra on Saturday evening the doctor heard that some one had circulated the report that he sympathized with Cuba. He set off to find the author of the report and contradict it. That was the last seen of him, and it was supposed the false rumor had led to his arrest and close confinement.

Mr. Call referred also to letters received from the wife of one of the sailors on the ship Competitor, now imprisoned at Havana.

The Loud bill to amend the law relating to second-class mail matter was passed by the house after two days of debate by a vote of 141 to 105. The opposition to the bill made a strong fight against it. The statements made on the floor as to its effect on certain particulars was very conflicting. The most important provision of the bill denies the serial publications admission to the mails at 1 cent per pound rates. It is as follows:

"That nothing herein contained shall be so construed as to admit to the second-class rates publications purporting to be issued periodically and to subscribers, but which are merely books or reprints of books, whether they be issued complete or in parts, whether they be bound or unbound, whether they be sold by subscription or otherwise, or whether they purport to be premiums or supplements or parts of regular newspapers or periodicals."

The bill also denies to newspapers the "sample copy" privilege and the privilege enjoyed by newsdealers of returning unsold publications at the second-class rate.

The only other important change in the present law provides that publishers whose publications are admitted as second-class matter shall be required before depositing such mail matter in the postoffice to separate the same into United States mail sacks or bundles by states, cities, towns and counties, as the postmaster general shall direct. The debate on the measure yesterday was devoid of features.

English Colonists Sore Salisbury.

New York, Jan. 7.—The World this morning publishes the following special correspondence from Georgetown, British Guiana: The announcement that Lord Salisbury has agreed to submit the question of boundaries between British Guiana and Venezuela to arbitration has not been accepted by the British colonists with satisfaction, for the further prolongation of negotiations is seriously restricting the investment of foreign capital in the development of the colonie's auriferous wealth. That Secretary Olney has scored as a diplomat in this matter is readily admitted, but Lord Salisbury is as soundly rated for having yielded to arbitration upon territory over which the Dutch exercised a jurisdiction that has been continued by the British since they succeeded to the Dutch possessions and rights.

Tennessee Legislature.

Nashville, Jan. 7.—Governor Turney sent his message to the legislature yesterday. It relates purely to state affairs, except in one particular. He advises the legislature to enact a law that no obligation hereafter be executed payable in gold alone, or gold contracts be enforceable in Tennessee courts, and that judgments on such contracts shall be discharged in any legal tender currency, and that gold mortgages and deeds of trusts executed by citizens in this state, including railroads and street railroads, be non-enforceable as to the gold clauses.

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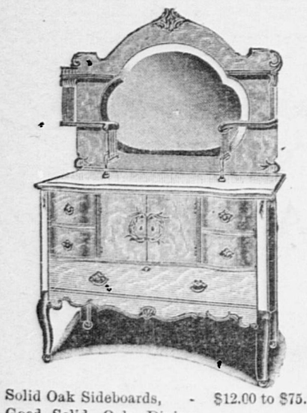
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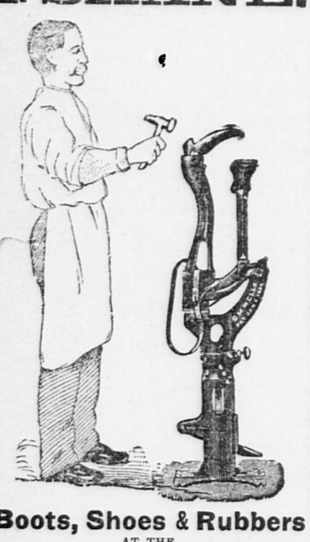


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NOTICE TO PARENTS.

CITY OF QUINCY.

CITY CLERK'S OFFICE, Dec. 14, 1896.

THE Record of births in any city or town is always more or less unsatisfactory, owing to the fact that the canvasser finds difficulty in getting the necessary information. Names and dates are frequently given incorrectly. The importance of accuracy is shown in many cases where there is a question of descent, or inheritance of property, or collection of life insurance or pensions. The City Clerk's copy of the record is accepted as conclusive evidence in a court of law. While great pains are taken by this office to have the record correct, experience shows that it is necessary that parents themselves should lend their assistance. In fact the law requires that parents shall give notice to the City Clerk of the birth of their children, and provides a penalty for neglect to give such notice for the space of six months.

It often happens that only children or servants are at home when the canvasser makes his call, and the answers to his questions are open to doubt. I therefore request all parents in whose households a birth has occurred in the year 1896, to place upon a paper or card the required information, and keep it in a convenient place until the canvasser appears.

The canvass will be commenced on Jan. 1, 1897.

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Two Weeks' Temperature.

	This Week.	Last Week
Sunday	39	19
Monday	54	27
Tuesday	59	40
Wednesday	41	43
Thursday	34	45
Friday	—	35
Saturday	—	42

QUINCY BREVITIES.

Notes from Quincy Point, Wollaston, Atlantic, South and West Quincy.

Twelve united with Bethany Congregational church Sunday morning.

A. Malnati is replacing his old cutting sheds with new modern buildings.

Public installation of Paul Revere Post 88, G. A. R., at Hancock hall tonight.

Miss Madeleine Fish, one of the teachers at the High school, is ill with typhoid fever.

The annual meeting of the members of the City Hospital corporation will be held Jan. 18.

The W. C. T. Union will meet Friday, at three P. M. in the Congregational church, Wollaston.

The Granite Railway Co. will hold its annual meeting Jan. 18, and the Merry Mount Granite Co. on Jan. 13.

The Commissioner of State Aid is at City Hall today and will also be there Friday, examining into the situation of recipients of State Aid.

Members of the Quincy and Squantum yacht clubs attended the banquet of the Columbia yacht club, at the Savoy, Boston, on Wednesday evening.

An inquest was held before Judge Humphrey this morning on the death of Ernest D. Preston of Braintree who was killed on the cars at Norfolks Downs, Monday night.

James R. Wild of this city was granted a discharge in insolvency at Dedham on Wednesday, and the cases of the Quincy Cycle Co., and Douglass & McLeod were continued.

George H. Hitchcock & Co. are to replace their engine house and polishing mill, recently destroyed by fire, by a new stone structure 45x90 feet. They are also to erect new cutting sheds.

The water department is putting in a new hydrant at the junction of Hancock and Granite streets, the one now in use there being worn so that it leaked and was therefore likely to freeze.

About twenty of the members of Quincy lodge, N. E. O. P., paid a fraternal visit to the lodge at Upham's Corner, Wednesday evening. The trip was made by electrics and a grand good time was enjoyed.

Michael Coyle of Brackett street is reported to the Board of Health as being ill with scarlet fever. Mr. Coyle is about 80 years of age and it is something remarkable for one of that age to have this disease.

Postmaster Burke has issued a notice to holders of lock boxes at the Quincy postoffice to return all keys in their possession for redemption. As each key is redeemed it will be immediately re-issued on the payment of twenty cents. Formerly a deposit of fifty cents was required upon each key but hereafter the amount will be but twenty cents each.

The inward train due to leave Quincy at 1.46 struck a dog at the Quincy Adams crossing Wednesday. The dog was thrown across the tracks and then crawled under the platform. Several shots were fired at him by Officer Nicol without effect, as the dog was in a bad position to hit. A shot gun was then brought into service and the animal put out of misery.

The Bethany Ladies' Circle held a special meeting on Wednesday and arrangements were made for the annual church supper on January 20. In the past this has been limited to those who have been admitted to the church organization, but it has been decided this year to extend the invitation to all who worship at Bethany church. The ladies will provide for 400.

The regular monthly supper and social of the First church was held Wednesday evening in the chapel. Supper was served at 6.30 o'clock in the dining room, after which those present gathered in the chapel and passed an hour or two socially. These monthly gatherings are proving very enjoyable, as they afford the members of the parish an opportunity to meet each other and the pastor. An entertainment will be given at the next social.

AGAINST DIVISION.

The High School a Happy Family and Would Remain So.

There was a very interesting debate at the High school on Wednesday, as it was one in which the members of the Debating society could take an interest, viz:

"Resolved, That the Quincy High School ought to be divided."

The affirmative was given to Miss Gordon, Miss Laing, Miss Martin, Miss McDonnell, and Miss Osborne.

The negative was supported by Miss Park, Miss Perry, Mr. Gallagher, Mr. E. C. Hewitson, Mr. Lewis, Mr. Litchfield.

Some of the arguments of the affirmative speakers were: The number at the High school; inconvenience of location; the custom of dividing High schools; the unwieldiness of large numbers; the advantages of separate High schools for girls and for boys; the advantages of separate High and Latin schools; the numbers of the classes; the fact that the large study room will not accommodate the entire school; the availability of the old High school building; the necessity of building an addition.

The arguments for the negative were equally numerous, viz: The fact that much larger schools remain undivided; both buildings might prove difficult of access to some; the Newton High school is not divided; large schools are not necessarily unwieldy; the advantages of coeducation; pupils preparing for different occupations gain breadth of mind by being educated together; large classes afford competition; small schools often show poor results; the study room is large enough. It would not be wise to have one any larger; all high school pupils ought to be given equal facilities; an addition may be built whenever it may be necessary; a division would destroy the unity of the school and might bring disaster to the separate parts.

The board of decision decided in favor of the negative.

President Nichols was in the chair. In the absence of the secretary, Mr. Wilkins, '97, was appointed secretary *pro tempore*.

The following nominations were made and those marked with an asterisk were elected:

President,—Mr. Litchfield, Miss Burke Miss Joss.

Vice President,—Miss McPherson, Miss Scharnagel and *Mr. C. Baker.

Secretary, — *Mr. Lewis and Miss Mitchell.

Treasurer, — Mr. Saunders and *Mr. McLean.

GREETING AND FAREWELL.

The East Milton Baptist Church Give a Double Reception.

Thursday evening Dec. 31st was an interesting one at the East Milton Baptist church. It was the occasion of greeting to the new pastor, Rev. W. H. Rogers, and wife and of formal farewell to Irving Hathaway who departs soon for Buenos Ayres as a missionary under the Christian Alliance auspices.

The goodly number of people present were presented in due form to the new missionary and the new minister and his wife, while Deacon Geddes and wife and David J. Brown and wife shared the special honors of the occasion. Mrs. Rogers bore in her right hand a beautiful bouquet presented to her by the Ladies' Society for the occasion.

Mr. Brown as master of ceremonies presented a purse to the outgoing missionary in behalf of the church, mingling in his choice, well timed words a felicitous greeting to the new pastor and wife.

Mr. Hathaway made a fitting expression of his gratitude, and the pastor made a feeling response to the kindly welcome of the evening.

A collation was one of the features of the evening, and included a beautiful cake thus inscribed "1896—W. H. Rogers—1897."

The happy occasion was concluded by a prayer by the Rev. Mr. Gilbert of the Congregational church.

The reception was followed by a most interesting and spirited devotional meeting, to which many remained and thus profitably and happily closed the final hours of the dying year.

Y. P. S. C. E. Officers.

The Christian Endeavor society of the Presbyterian church held its business meeting Wednesday evening, after the prayer meeting. The officers for the new year went into active duty.

President,—J. C. Mylie.
Vice President,—Miss K. McKenzie.
Secretary,—Miss M. Milne.
Treasurer,—David Chalmers.

The committees also were appointed viz:

Prayer meeting committee,—Alex. Clark, John McLeod, Miss Marion Chisholm, Miss Jessie Milne and Mrs. Robert Phillips.

Lookout committee.—Miss M. J. McLeod, Daniel Ross, Alex. Smart, Miss Jane Arthur and Miss Bessie McMillan.

Social Committee,—Miss Jennie Phillips, Miss Jennie Howie, Miss Eliza Hutchinson, Miss Marjorie McKay, Miss Jennie McDonald, Thomas Bishop and Malcolm McLeod.

Louis A. Cook of Weymouth entered upon his duties Wednesday as clerk of courts for Norfolk county.

Silver is cleaned at the shops by pressing the piece against a rapidly revolving wheel made of canton flannel in many plies.

The Electrical Review says the Western Union telegraph company collected about $1,500,000 last year for telling the time of day.

BEST SCORE YET.

But Still a Defeat for Quincy Candle Pin Club.

The Quincy Candle Pin team has reorganized and the score Wednesday evening in the league match was the best of the season. But the Hubs won the match by 30 pins.

The match was bowled at Costello's alleys, and would have been a victory for the home club had they got down to work on the first string. The visitor did their best work on the first string and fell off on each of the others, while the Quincys improved on each successive string, putting up 434 on the final.

The full score:

HUBS	1	2	3	Totals
Freeman,	95	86	86	267
McDonald,	84	81	79	244
McIntyre,	84	85	82	251
Webber,	83	80	72	235
C. Hill,	80	93	97	270
Team totals,	426	425	416	1267
QUINCYS.				
J. W. Sanborn,	75	91	94	260
W. Costello,	79	81	96	266
J. T. Cavanagh,	80	85	75	240
Freeman,	79	80	91	240
J. Costello,	71	82	78	231
Team totals,	384	419	434	1237

The Prospects defeated the Carruths, 1234 to 1185; the Meyers won from the Centrals 1304 to 1275; the McCarthys defeated the Columbias 1389 to 1207; the Jeffersons won from the Lenox 1274 to 1262; the St. James defeated the Murrays & Irwin team 1249 to 1168, and the South Bostons fell before the Jamesons 1283 to 1256.

Four of the teams did not put up as good a score as the Quincys.

The Quincy's third string was one of the very best rolled in the league Wednesday night, only five of the 84 being better, and the highest was but 33 better. That is the pace which the boys should maintain.

BURGLARS FOILED.

Milton Officer Discovers Them At Residence of Granville S. Webster.

Officer Patterson had quite an exciting experience with burglars at East Milton Wednesday morning. It was in the vicinity of 2 o'clock when the officer turned from Washington into Adams street, and as he did so he saw a moving shadow in the rear of the house of Granville S. Webster.

The officer started to investigate and as he did so a man came out from the rear of the house, and seeing the officer he drew a revolver and fired point blank. Fortunately the bullet failed to find its mark, although it came dangerously near, and before the officer could make a move a second man came out and, like number one, fired a shot at him.

By this time the officer had drawn his revolver and returned the fire, at which the two men leaped into the street and started on the run toward Quincy. The officer gave chase, firing at them as he ran and they, in turn, returning his fire.

When the Quincy line was reached the two men jumped into a buggy that was in waiting and drove toward Quincy. As they drove off Officer Patterson fired the last shot in his revolver and then notified the police station, who telephoned the Quincy officers to look out for them, but as they did not come to Quincy Centre it is evident that they must have gone through Wollaston.

Upon making an examination of the house it was found that the door had been tried with false keys and then the windows with a jimmy and evidently failing in these the men had commenced to cut away the window sash when interrupted.

The officers found a number of blank keys, a jimmy and bit on the ground near the house and a cap which one of the men had worn.

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Take laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. 25c.

Gragg—Spear.

Mr. Charles Allen Gragg and Miss Eva May Spear, popular and well known young people of this city, were united in marriage Wednesday evening by the Rev. E. N. Hardy at the parsonage, 11 Saville avenue. Mr. William Gragg served as best man and Miss Sarah Spear as bridesmaid. Mr. and Mrs. Gragg will soon enter their new home at 18 Cross street.

First

Last and all the time Hood's Sarsaparilla has been advertised as a blood purifier. Its great cures have been accomplished through purified blood — cures of scrofula, salt rheum, eczema, rheumatism, neuralgia, catarrh, nervousness, that tired feeling. It cures when others fail, because it

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White Shirts, Collars and Cuffs, make a most acceptable present. We sell only the best grades.

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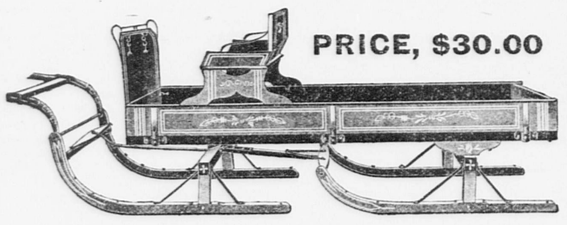
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THE STRIFES OF 1896

THE WARS THAT TOOK PLACE DURING THE PAST YEAR.

No Great War, but Several Small Ones. Most of the Uprisings Took Place on Islands—Africa the Scene of Several Little Struggles.

No sword has been drawn by one great civilized state against another through the whole of 1896, but the gates of the temple of Janus have by no means been shut. By far the most blood stained portion of the world's surface, so far as 1896 is concerned, is the Ottoman empire.

There has been actual fighting in Crete, while the tale of massacres of Armenians in all parts of the empire is still far from complete. "The shadow of God" in Constantinople is haunted by a perpetual fear, and he imagines, like most men in panic, that he can best secure his own safety by striking terror. Abdul Hamid embodies in his reign and in the massacres by which its closing days are being marked a great object lesson as to the real nature of Turkish rule. Without some such demonstration it would have been impossible for us to conceive the popular enthusiasm which launched mediæval Europe on the series of enterprises that we call crusades.

There are many persons today who would be very glad to see a new crusade preached for the extermination of the "infidel," not because he is an infidel, but because he has established assassination as an instrument of government and replied by massacre to the protests of the conscience of Europe and America.

Casting a rapid glance over the world, it is curious to note how much fighting has gone on in the islands. On the continents there has been little war, but man has faced man in deadly wrath in Crete, in Cuba, in Madagascar and in the Philippine islands. In fact, with the exception of the continent of Africa and certain of these islands, 1896 has been a year of peace. These, however, are considerable exceptions, and neither in Cuba nor the Philippine islands did 1896 bring any prospect of peace. The struggle on both sides is marked by atrocities of which the civilized world hears a little from Cuba, but nothing much from the Philippines.

In Madagascar a French expedition to Antananarivo has placed the French in nominal possession of the island. It is only nominal, for outside the capital the French appear to be obeyed only as far as their guns will carry and until such time as their guns are removed.

On the African continent there has been more serious fighting. Italy suffered a great defeat in Abyssinia, which, however, has been a blessing in disguise, in that it has led to the abandonment of the ambitious scheme of establishing an Ethiopian empire raised upon the colony of Erythræa. The defeat in Africa shook down the Crispi ministry and crippled Italy in the estimation of Europe. It was also the means of launching the long expected expedition for the recovery of the Sudan. The Anglo-Egyptian force, under the sirdar, Sir Herbert Kitchener, achieved an almost bloodless success when it marched southward along the Nile valley and cleared the soldiers of the mahdi out of the fertile provinces of Dongola.

It is understood that this year, when the Nile is high, Dongola will be used as a base for the reconquest of Khartum.

But for the unfortunate issue of Jameson's raid Cecil Rhodes would probably have realized his ideal of joining the Cape to Cairo before the end of the century. Matabeleland has risen in revolt and has been reconquered. The Transvaal has been the scene of fighting which could hardly be dignified by the title of war.

On the other side the Ashanti power has been broken by an English expedition, which has opened up one of the dark places of the world, full of frightful cruelty, to the milder influences of commerce and civilization.

As the year closed Sir George Taubman Goldie was departing for the Niger in order to strike a blow at one of the slave trading tribes which still live and thrive under the nominal protectorate of the Niger company.—Review of Reviews.

Debs Becomes a Socialist.

Eugene Debs has written a letter announcing that he has left the People's Party and that hereafter he will use his influence for the cause of socialism. He has been in correspondence with some of the leading men on that subject, and it is known that there will soon be statements given out by them on the same subject. He thinks that if Bryan had not been the candidate this year the socialistic vote would have been 1,000,000. He points to what he says is a fact, that wherever socialism has found a foothold it has lost none of its strength. In every precinct it shows a gain, he declares.—Cincinnati Commercial Tribune.

Some Use For Him.

A Frenchman says he has invented a paper which will destroy the lead pencil industry. He explains that a poet can write on his prepared paper with any sharp pointed instrument, "after which the paper may be used to polish metals." This is better. Even the much abused amateur poet, it appears, may have some praiseworthy use after all.—Chicago Times-Herald.

A New Year Song.

What do you bring, New Year?
(Two bill collectors here?)
What peace—what joy?
(That's Jones' errand boy!)
What do you bring, New Year?

What do you bring, New Year?
(I'll bar the door, I swear!)
What hopes fulfill?
(Another Christmas bill!)
What do you bring, New Year?

What hope, what joy, what cheer?
(My, but those goods were dear!)
What wreaths to bind the brow?
(That coal bill's coming now—
That's what you bring, New Year!)
—Atlanta Constitution.

HOSPITAL AID ASSOCIATION.

A Good Work Being Done and Many Ladies Interested.

At the annual meeting of the Hospital Aid Association the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

President,—Mrs. George S. Keyes.
1st Vice-President,—Mrs. Thomas Fenno.
2d Vice-President,—Mrs. Herbert M. Federhen.
Secretary,—Mrs. John W. Sanborn.
Treasurer,—Mrs. A. M. Kershaw, 206 Hancock street.

Directors,—(Ward 1) Mrs. George H. Hitchcock, Mrs. Samuel H. Spear, Mrs. George Macfarlane, Mrs. Eben W. Sheppard, Mrs. E. Granville Pratt; (Ward 2) Mrs. James H. Slade, Mrs. A. G. Coffin, Mrs. Samuel Crane; (Ward 3) Mrs. Lucy J. Marsh, Mrs. Frederick L. Jones, Mrs. Frank Brewer, Miss Mary Scannell, Mrs. Arthur H. Doble; (Ward 4) Miss Addie W. Miller, Mrs. L. C. Turner, Mrs. William A. McCormick, Mrs. Thomas J. Dion; (Ward 5) Mrs. E. H. Brock, Mrs. P. H. Stokes, Mrs. Richard Freeman, Mrs. E. A. Snow; (Ward 6) Miss Mary L. Hinkley, Mrs. Jared T. Thomas, Mrs. Alonzo Priest.

The treasurer's report for 1896 is as follows.

RECEIVED.

From membership fees	$578 00
Interest	21 46
For laundry from	
Mr. Benj Johnson	10.00
Miss Mary Scannell	4.00
Mrs. Ruth Williams	1.00
Mr. Marcus Hobart	.25
A friend	2 00
From Camp stools	7 00
From Mrs. Emeline Adams	1.25
Amount received in 1896	$624.96
Brought over from 1895	838 32
	$1463 28

EXPENDED.

First payment on laundry	$500.00
Articles used at hospital	450.06
Seamstress at hospital	10 50
Receipts	5.75
Printing resolutions	2 00
Postage	3.50
Amount expended in 1896	$971.81
Amount on hand	491 47
	$1463 28

A. M. KERSHAW, Treasurer.

As will be seen from the treasurer's report the demands upon the finances the past year have been larger than usual. And of course with the natural growth of the city we must expect the usefulness of the hospital to increase.

It is particularly desirable that the membership fees should be received as early this year as possible.

Hoping to simplify matters for all concerned, the directors will do no collecting until April and it is desired that all who conveniently can, will hand in the membership dues either to the nearest director or to the treasurer during these three months.

Membership is of course diminished by natural causes—death and removal—and we would like at this time to urge all the ladies of the city who are not members to become so. The payment of one dollar annually is the only requirement and surely there is no question as to the worthiness of the object: the proper care of the sick and suffering.

ALICE D. SANBORN, Secretary.

The Moody Meetings.

The Moody meetings in Tremont Temple are growing in interest daily. They are held every morning and afternoon except Saturday and Sunday. In the morning Mr. Moody talks on the Bible and in the afternoon on the Christian life. There are no evening meetings. Just as many tickets are issued as there are seats. Separate tickets are issued for each service. Many Quincy people are in attendance at each meeting. Secretary Colton of the Y. M. C. A. has a limited number of tickets for each session, which are furnished all applicants free so long as they last. Large parties must apply to him several days in advance. By so doing they can also secure a hundred ride ticket.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease, and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven catarrh to be a constitutional disease, and, therefore, requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses from 10 drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials. Address,

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Henry VIII was the first king of England who assumed the title of "majesty." Before that reign the sovereigns were addressed as "my liege" and "your grace"—the latter of which epithets was originally conferred on Henry IV.

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PRONUNCIATION OF LATIN

Principal Tupper of the High School Favors the English.

Frederic Allison Tupper, the principal of the Quincy High school, writes interestingly to the Boston Medical and Surgical Journal on "The Pronunciation of Latin." He says:

"Many medical men with a most commendable desire to keep up with the times, attempt to adopt the Roman pronunciation for common Latin terms. The attempt is generally successful to only a moderate degree, so that the result is a mongrel pronunciation neither Roman, nor English, nor Continental. It is generally understood among professional classical teachers that the Roman pronunciation is to be used only in reading the Latin of classical authors. Even when one is translating from the works of Cicero, Cæsar, Virgil, Ovid, Horace, or any other Latin writer, the proper names when transferred to English must be given the English pronunciation. In fact, these proper names have been anglicized. The terms of anatomy, physiology, and other sciences should be given not the Roman but the English pronunciation. By clinging to the English pronunciation, the physician shows, not that he is old-fashioned, but that he is not only scholarly but progressive. So far-reaching is the law which I have stated, that scholars regard the use of the Roman pronunciation, even in connection with entire Latin phrases which have become proverbial, as entirely out of place.

"Allen and Greenough, in their well-known grammars say: The English method should be retained in Roman names in English, as Julius Cæsar; and in familiar quotations as *E pluribus unum; vica voce; vice versa; a fortiori; Veni, vidi, vici;* etc.

"The English pronunciation, is, to be sure, both illogical and difficult, while the Roman pronunciation is musical, consistent and easy. A combination of both styles of pronunciation is simply unendurable. Furthermore, sporadic attempts to master an unfamiliar method of pronunciation are almost certain to result in failure. So is it not, then, the part of wisdom for English-speaking nations to agree that proper names, common phrases, and the terms of science be pronounced by the English method? Scholars have already decided in favor of this plan."

TODAY'S COURT.

Walter Skinner was arraigned for bastardy at Quincy. Case continued until Jan. 23.

Quincy Fire Alarm Boxes.

HOUGHS NECK.

12, Sea st, corner Palmer st.
14, Sea st, Houghs Neck engine house

QUINCY CENTRE.

21, Granite st, corner Cranch pl
23, Hancock st opposite Cottage av
24, Adams st, corner Whitwell st
25, Canal st, corner Newcomb st
26, Hancock st, on Stone church
27, Washington st, corner Elm st
28, Hancock st, corner Greenleaf st

SOUTH QUINCY.

32, Franklin st, corner Independence av
35, Hancock st, corner School st
36, Pleasant st, corner Quincy st
37, Franklin st, corner Water st
38, Liberty, st, corner Plain st
39, Penn st, near corner Liberty st
138, Brooks ave corner of Centre st

WEST QUINCY.

41, Granite st, corner School st
42, Jones Corner, Granite st, junc. Water
43, Copeland st, cornerCommon st
45, Crescent st, corner Willard st
46, Copeland st, corner Furnace av
47, Bates ave, corner Grove st
48, Willard st, corner Robertson st
49, Willard st, corner Larry pl
441, Quarry st, corner Smith st
442, Quarry st, near Hitchcock's quarry
443, West st, corner Hayden st

WOLLASTON.

51, Tubular Rivet works off Hancock st
52, Farrington st, corner Elmwood av
53, Warren av, corner Winthrop av
54, Hancock st, corner Fenno st
56, Wollaston Hotel, cor Newport av and Beale st
57, Beach st, corner Willow st
58, Adams st, corner Beale st
59, Beale st, corner Central av
151, Billings road, cor Beach st
152, Billings road, cor Rawson road

ATLANTIC.

61, Hancock st, corner Squantum st
62, Hancock st, corner Atlantic st
63, Hancock st, near Atlantic depot
64, Newbury av, corner Billings st
65, Squantum st, cor Faxon road
67, Atlantic st, corner Squantum st
68, At Squantum

QUINCY POINT.

71, Washington st, corner Mill st
171, Union st, corner Main st
72, Washington st, corner South st
172, Sumner st, corner Glencoe pl
73, Howard st, corner Winter st
74, Washington st, corner of River st
75, Main st, corner Sumner st
76, Washington st, near Point bridge

OUT OF TOWN CALLS

135, Weymouth
137, Braintree
158, Milton
162, Boston

OTHER SIGNALS.

General Alarm,—Twelve blows, followed by box number
Recall,—Two blows: "fire all out"
One Session School,—2-2 three times
Test,—One blow, 7 A M, 5 P M
Chief's Call,—3 blows
Police Call,—3 three times
Militia Call,—4 three times
Supt. Water Work's call,—6 blows, followed by box number

—A noted writer says, "What men want is not talent, it is purpose; in other words, not the power to achieve, but will to labor. I believe that labor, judiciously and continuously applied, becomes genius."

—The largest crop of Indian corn ever produced under ordinary conditions was produced by Claus Jochimsen of Scott county, Ia., in 1896. He grew on a plot of a little less than an acre at the rate of 215 bushels of shelled corn per acre.

Young Men's Christian Association.

Ladies night this evening. Dr. Johnson will have charge of the gymnastic exhibit. All visitors welcome.

Next week the Association will move the Sloyd school to the Nickerson block, on Brook street, Wollaston, in the room adjoining the reading room, and both will constitute the Wollaston branch. This move has been made at the earnest request of some of the largest contributors and religious workers who feel the need of some special work for the boys and young men in Ward Five.

Election Expenses.

Russell A. Sears, treasurer of the Republican City Committee, has filed the following returns of the receipts and expenditures at the recent municipal election:

The receipts included: Cash on hand, $366.32; from Ward Five committee, $22.77; from J. Q. A. Field $15, and Hiram W. Phillips $10; total, $414.10.

The expenses were: Ward 4 Committee disbursements in printing, canvassing, rent, carriages, etc, $150; services at polls, $21, rent of halls $32.50; janitor $19; Ward Four committee expenses $32.50; light $7; printing, $50; total, $312. Cash on hand $102.10.

The returns from the Democratic City Committee have not been returned as yet.

Probate Court.

There was considerable business at the Norfolk county probate court in Dedham on Wednesday. Wills of Clara Gay late of Stoughton, Elizabeth Holmes late of Dedham, Ellen Lawrie of Providence, R. I., and Rebecca Cleverly of Washington, D. C., were allowed.

Among the administrations granted were: Estate of Dennis Ford of Quincy to Mary Ford; estate of Maria Mann of Randolph to Mabel Mann; estate of T. W. Lynch of Randolph to Mary Lynch; estate of Lydia Styles of Weymouth to Nettie Lambert.

An inventory of the estate of H. F. and O. F. Carter, minors of Quincy, was filed, and their guardian was licensed to sell real estate.

New Chairman.

The Norfolk County Commissioners for 1897 met at Dedham on Wednesday and organized with Thomas C. Blanchard of Stoughton as chairman. Melville P. Morrell of Hyde Park, the chairman the past few years failed of a reelection. The third member is Edwin D. Wadsworth of Milton.

The Handsomest Yet.

The most beautiful calendar for 1897 comes from Boston. It is eleven by fifteen inches and contains reproductions from cabinet size photographs of Mary Hampton, May Irwin and Maud Adams, the popular actresses. Its popular colors are enamel blue and brown enriched by gold, elaborately embossed, producing an elegant and artistic creation. One of these calendars will be sent to any address if you mention this paper, and send ten cents in coin or stamps covering cost of packing and postage to the publishers. The XZALIA COMPANY, 3 Beacon street, Boston, Mass,

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On and after Friday, Jan. 1, 1896, cars will make trips on week days as follows:

Quincy and Neponset.

Leave CITY HALL for Neponset—6.00 A. M., 6.15, 6.30, 6.45, 7.00, and every 15, 30, 45 and 60 minutes past the hour until 7.00 P. M., then every half hour until 10.50 P. M. Cars leaving Quincy on the hour via. Norfolk Downs, except 6.00 P. M.

Leave NEPONSET—6.22 A. M., 6.37, 6.52, 7.07, 7.22, and every 7, 22, 37 and 52 minutes past the hour until 7.00 o'clock, then every half hour until 11 P. M.; last car for Quincy at 11.15 P. M. Cars leaving Neponset 22 minutes past the hour via. Norfolk Downs.

Quincy and East Weymouth.

Leave CITY HALL (10 minutes later from Quincy Point and 22 minutes later from North Weymouth)—5.45, 6.20, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8 50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, 11.20, 11.50 A. M.; 12.20, 12.50, 1.20, 1,50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20 4.50 5.20 (5.30 to East Weymouth car house), 5.50, 6.20, 6.30, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.50 P. M.

Leave EAST WEYMOUTH (20 minutes later from North Weymouth and 30 minutes later from Quincy Point)—6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11, 11.30 A. M.; 12, 12.30, 1, 1.30, 2, 2.30, 3, 3.30, 4, 4.30, 5, 5.30, 6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11.30 P. M.

Quincy and East Milton.

Leave CITY HALL, 5.55, 6.25, then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 8.55 P. M., then at 9.50 and 10.50 P. M.

Leave EAST MILTON, 6.30, 7.00 A. M., then on the hour and half hour until 9.30 P.M., then at 10.20 and 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and Holbrook.

Leave QUINCY for SOUTH BRAINTREE and HOLBROOK at 6.10 and 6.40 A. M., and every 10 minutes past and 20 minutes of the hour until 10.10 P. M. Last car leaves at 10.50 P. M. On Saturdays the last car leaves Quincy at 11.50 P. M.

Returning cars leave HOLBROOK for SOUTH BRAINTREE and QUINCY at 5.55 and 6.25 A. M., and every 25 minutes past and 5 minutes of the hour until 9.55 P.M. Last car leaves Holbrook at 11.30 P. M.

☞ On Sundays on the Weymouth route cars will leave Quincy on the hour and half hour and East Weymouth at quarter past and quarter of the hour.

☞ Special trips can be arranged on application to the Superintendent.

☞ At Quincy Centre close connection is made with Electric Cars on all the routes.

☞ At Neponset close connection is made with West End Street Cars to and from Boston.

☞ Cars are due at Beale street, Wollaston, ten minutes after leaving Neponset and seven minutes after leaving Quincy.

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On and after Nov. 2, 1896, trains will run as follows: (See note of explanation at bottom.)

TO BOSTON. Leave Quincy.	Stops at	Arrive Boston.	FROM BOSTON. Leave Boston.	Stops at	Arrive Quincy
r 6 12 abc	*	6 30	5 53 ihgfedcba*		6 20 r
r 6 42 abc		7 00	6 30 cba		6 49 r
r 7 12 abc		7 30	7 30 cba		7 49 r
7 29 a		7 48	8 30 cba		8 49 r
r 7 42 abc		8 00	9 30 cba		9 49 r
r 8 12 abc		8 30	10 30 cba		10 49 r
8 29 a		8 45	11 30 cba		11 49 r
r 8 42 abc		9 00	12 00 (xx)		12 15
r 9 12 abc		9 30	12 30 cba		12 49 r
r 10 12 abc		10 30	1 30 cba		1 49 r
r 11 12 abc		11 30	2 30 cba		2 49 r
r 12 12 abc		12 30	3 30 cba		3 49 r
r 1 12 abc		1 30	4 30 cba		4 49 r
1 46 (xx)		2 00	5 00 cba		5 19 r
r 2 12 abc		2 30	5 15 a		5 32
r 3 12 abc		3 30	5 30 cba		5 49 r
r 4 12 abc		4 30	6 00 cba		6 19 r
r 5 12 abc		5 30	6 15 a		6 32
r 6 12 abc		6 30	6 30 cba		6 49 r
r 7 12 abc		7 30	7 00 cba		7 19 r
r 7 41 abcdefghi		8 07	7 30 cba		7 49 r
r 8 08 abcdef		8 30	8 30 fedcba		8 53 r
r 9 12 abc		9 30	9 30 cba		9 49 r
r 10 08 abcdef		10 30	10 30 fedcba		10 53 r
r 10 34 abcdefghi		11 08	11 00 ihgfedcba		11 27 r
r 11 12 abc		11 30	11 30 cba		11 49 r

SUNDAYS.

6 38 abcdef		7 00	4 05 fda		4 23
8 46 (xx)		9 00	7 30 fedcba		7 53 r
r 9 12 abc		9 30	8 30 (xx)		8 45
r 12 16 (xx)		12 30	9 30 ihgfedcba		9 57 r
1 12 abc		1 30	10 30 ihgfedcba		10 57 r
2 16 (xx)		2 30	11 30 (xx)		11 45
r 3 04 abcdefghi		3 30	12 30 cba		12 49
r 4 04 abcdefghi		4 30	1 30 (xx)		1 45
5 16 (xx)		5 30	4 30 cba		4 49 r
r 6 08 abcdef		6 30	5 00 (xx)		5 15
r 9 08 abcdef		9 30	7 00 fedcba		7 23 r
9 38 adf		9 55	10 30 fedcba		10 53 r

*The letters in the same line as the figures stand for different stations and indicate that trains stop, as follows:

a, Wollaston. b, Norfolk Downs c, Atlantic. d, Neponset. e, Pope's Hill. f, Harrison Square. g, Savin Hill. h, Crescent Avenue. i, South Boston. r, Quincy Adams. (xx), Express.

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WOLLASTON—Ross' news stand and carriers.

NORFOLK DOWNS—Branscheid & Martens and their carriers.

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QUINCY POINT—Miss Freeman's store.

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F. J. Pierson, 96 Granite street.

O. D. Chick, 59 Liberty street.

EAST MILTON—William Clark's periodical store and his carriers.

EAST WEYMOUTH—George H. Hunt.

WEYMOUTH LANDING—W. E. Cunningham.

NO. WEYMOUTH—B. F. Thomas.

THE WEATHER INDICATIONS.

ALMANAC, THURSDAY, JAN. 7.

Sun rises—7:14; sets, 4:29.
Length of day—9:15.
Moon sets—9:31 p. m.
Full sea—2:15 a. m.; 2:15 p. m.

Forecast for New England: Generally fair, preceded by local snows in extreme northern portions; colder; westerly winds.

CABLE SPARKS.

Eight Spanish and Italian anarchists have been expelled from France.

Mme. Patti is anxious to secure the decoration of the Legion of Honor.

John Daly, who was recently released from prison after a term served on conviction of being a dynamiter, made a speech upon the subject of his prison life to a densely packed audience in the Holborn town hall, London.

Sir Donald Smith, the Canadian high commissioner, has addressed a circular letter to the London press, pointing out the importance which Canada attaches to making better known the resources and attractions of the dominion for emigrants.

The London Daily News expresses the hope that the report that Colonel John Hay is to succeed Mr. Bayard as ambassador at the court of St. James will prove true. "Beside his high ability," says The News, "he is an exceedingly good fellow."

At Berlin the writer Shwachagen has been sentenced to one year and the publisher, Sedlatzek, to four months' imprisonment for libelling Baron von Mirbach, grand master of the emperor's household, in the anti-seminite Generalanzeiger by alleging that he had collected Jewish money for building Berlin churches.

Masonic Banquet.

Lowell, Mass., Jan. 7.—A banquet was tendered here last night by Ancient York Lodge of Masons to Most Worthy Grand Master of Masons of Massachusetts Charles C. Hutchinson, and Right Worthy Deputy Grand Master Arthur G. Pollard. More than 300 prominent men were present. The principal speakers were A. G. Pollard and Solon W. Stevens. Worthy Brother W. S. Corey, W. M., was toastmaster.

Receipts From Internal Revenue.

Portsmouth, N. H., Jan. 7.—Internal revenue collections for the district of New Hampshire, which comprises the states of Maine, New Hampshire and Vermont, for the month ending Dec. 31, 1896, were $27,442.24, showing a decrease from the figures of the corresponding month last year. The collections for the quarter ending Dec. 31 were $82,833.58, a falling off of more than $25,000 from those of the last quarter of 1895.

Knocked Out by Women.

Pawtucket, R. I., Jan. 7.—Peter Turner became involved in a quarrel last night with his wife and a woman named O'Donnell, and he got the worst of it. For some hours he was unconscious from the effects of a blow during the encounter with the women, but after hard work by the doctors he recovered consciousness. Both women are under arrest.

Newspapers For Senators.

Concord, N. H., Jan. 7.—The newspaper question occupied the state senate yesterday afternoon, and was finally settled by allowing each senator two papers of his choice. The senate and house in joint convention canvassed the state votes at the November election, and elected Frank P. Maynard of Claremont commissary general.

Colonel Hall Honored.

Boston, Jan. 7.—Colonel George F. Hall of Charlestown, inspector general of rifle practice of the Massachusetts militia, whose term of office has expired, was honored with the rank of brigadier general by Governor Wolcott, his commission to date from Jan. 1. Colonel Hall served in the Rebellion.

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PROUD OF HIS RECORD.

United States Minister Bayard Replies to Englishmen's Eulogies.

Article Club Banquets American Ambassador.

Cardinal Vaughan's Toast to People of United States Receives Cheers.

London, Jan. 7.—United States Ambassador Bayard was given a magnificent ovation last night by the Article club, the leading commercial organization of England. The members of the club represent an aggregate capital of £1,500,000,000, and are general agents of English foreign colonies, heads of departments and others interested in the commerce of the world. Hotel Cecil was the scene of the gathering.

The Earl of Jersey, who succeeds the Earl of Winchelsea as president of the club, was chairman, and at the conclusion of the dinner he opened the proceedings by making a few remarks in eulogy of Mr. Bayard. Then Sir Robert G. W. Herbert, agent general in London for Tasmania, toasted the colonies, which, he said, were greatly indebted to Mr. Bayard for the settlement of certain questions tending to the federation of the English-speaking peoples. Sir Donald Smith, Canadian high commissioner in London, responded with warm tributes to Sir Charles Tupper, ex-premier of Canada, and Mr. Bayard. He said:

"We have in Canada everything which has made the United States what it is today."

Cardinal Vaughan, archbishop of Westminster, proposed the toast to "The People of the United States" amid prolonged cheers. He said:

"The United States and Great Britain have a common mission of civilization, and Britons have extended to their American cousins the hand of fellowship."

Cardinal Vaughan proceeded with words of praise for Mr. Bayard's tact and kindliness in the recent anxious period growing out of the Venezuelan dispute. The United States, he said, had often chosen worthy representatives in England, but never had a happier choice been made than that of Mr. Bayard.

When Mr. Bayard arose to reply to this toast he received a tremendous ovation from those present. He said:

"I have sincerely tried to be faithful to my trust. We look upon you as our English cousins and you on Canadians as our American half-brothers. There is nothing in the growth of Canada but what will awaken pride in a citizen of the United States. There is not and there ought not to be any just obstruction between the United States, Great Britain and Canada. There should be no divergence by sharp phrases and insult that sting longer than injuries."

Referring in his usual strain to the relations between England and the United States, Mr. Bayard closed by saying:

"I have evoked the displeasure of some because I have sought to preserve amity. I cannot say that I am very sorry. On the contrary, I am rather grateful for the distinction. It is in no spirit of defiance, but in a well considered spirit of gratitude that I reflect that I have been able to bring the hands and hearts of the two countries together. If that is my record I shall carry it away and keep it wherever I go."

The guests all rose in their places at the conclusion of the ambassador's speech, loudly cheering and waving their handkerchiefs. It was the greatest ovation which has been tendered to Mr. Bayard during his career here. He was visibly affected, and he almost broke down once or twice during the course of his speech.

Another Lynching In South Carolina.

Orangeburg, S. C., Jan. 7.—Lawrence Brown, the negro who is generally believed to have been connected with the burning of Robert Wannamaker's barns and stables, at Stillton, last week, was lynched Tuesday night. His body was found yesterday morning hanging from the cross beam of the danger signal at the crossing on the South Carolina and Georgia railroad. It was riddled with shot. Pinned to it was a placard, on which was inscribed the following: "Judge Lynch is in session tonight. Verdict, guilty. The prisoner must die. Warning: We will protect our homes and property, so help us God. No hellish fire fiend shall live. Citizens." Brown had been in jail charged with the crime of arson, but was released yesterday, as Mr. Wannamaker said he did not believe the negro was guilty. There have been a number of incendiary fires in the Stillton community recently.

Consul Springer Arrives.

New York, Jan. 7.—After 30 years' service as United States vice consul at Havana, Joseph A. Springer has returned to this city on a brief vacation. In a day or two Mr. Springer will go to Washington, and after visiting the state department, return to Havana by way of this city. Mr. Springer could not talk of affairs in Cuba on account of his position.

CUBAN WAR NEWS.

Havana, Jan. 7.—General Weyler has issued an edict ordering that all owners, managers and agents in Pinar del Rio, Havana and Matanzas, shall go to the nearest fortified towns and prove their ownership to any and all kinds of property and payment of taxes. Failure to comply will be punished and property confiscated.

The trial of Luis Someillan, a naturalized American, charged with conspiracy, has been set for tomorrow. On demand of the United States, a jury trial has been granted him.

A special dispatch from Dalton, Ga., says: There is little doubt that the Hon. Charles Dougherty, ex-congressman from the Second district of Florida, has been slain in Cuba. Reports have been published from Cuba about the killing there of one Charles Dougherty, an American citizen, who was identified by an autograph upon a gold watch found on his person. Mr. Dougherty left Florida in July to join the insurgents.

A dispatch from Paris explains that the Spanish government postponed the cabinet council on Friday to enable Captain General Weyler to send reassuring news, especially regarding the withdrawal of the press correspondents from Cuba.

ALLISON NOT ON SLATE.

Says He Will Not Be Offered Secretary of State Portfolio.

Canton, O., Jan. 7.—When the 10:26 train arrived from Pittsburg yesterday, Senator Allison and General Felix Agnus, proprietor of the Baltimore American, stepped off and were greeted by Private Secretary Boyle, who had come with the McKinley family carriage to meet them. General Agnus had met the Iowa senator by chance in Pittsburg, although he knew that Mr. Allison was to be in Canton yesterday.

The conference between Major McKinley and Allison was earnest, and from the appearance of both men at its close, was eminently satisfactory to both. Except that they discussed matters of legislation and public affairs exhaustively, nothing in the way of details of their conference was obtainable.

General Agnus lunched with Major McKinley and Senator Allison, after which the general and the major conferred privately for some time. The subject of the conference, it is believed, was in respect to the south for a cabinet portfolio. General Agnus, it is said, is not an aspirant for a place in Mr. McKinley's cabinet, as he has determined to devote all his energies to the management of his paper. He is not interested in the naming of any particular man from the south to a cabinet portfolio, but would like to see a young man chosen. He is also desirous of keeping Maryland in the Republican column and defeating Senator Gorman for re-election to the senate, and put in his place a Republican.

At 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon, Major McKinley, accompanied by General Agnus, left for Cleveland, where the questions touched upon yesterday will be more fully discussed. Mr. Agnus will be the guest of Mr. Hanna, at Windemere, while in Cleveland.

Senator William B. Allison will not be a member of President McKinley's cabinet. The senator so announced last night while passing through Pittsburg on his way to Washington. The senator said he would be glad to accept a portfolio, if offered him, but he knew it would not be offered.

Books Stolen.

Chicago, Jan. 7.—New and startling complications are forthcoming as the result of the National Bank of Illinois failure. Colonel W. V. Jacobs, who conceived the Calumet Electric railway, and was forced out of control in 1893, is unable to push claims against officers of the National Bank of Illinois, because all papers and books relating to his connection with the Calumet Electric railway have been stolen. According to Colonel Jacobs, the crime was committed by one of his confidential clerks, against whom a charge is now pending in the United States court. Claim is made that the theft of the papers in his possession was the sequel of a conspiracy which promises sensational developments.

No Increase In French Population.

Paris, Jan. 7.—The results of the last census, which are just published, show that there is no sign of recovery in the birth rate. The total increase in the population of France since 1891 is only 175,027, while the number of foreigners in France is decreasing. The large towns are growing slightly at the expense of the smaller towns and the rural districts. The inhabitants have increased in 24 departments, and have decreased in 63 departments. The minister of the interior, M. Barthou, notes an increase of emigration, but he is compelled to confess to the marked tendency of the population to remain stationary.

Second Attempt Successful.

Vineland, N. J., Jan. 7.—After failing in her first attempt at suicide, Mrs. Theron H. Forbes of Forest Grove succeeded in killing herself yesterday. Mrs. Forbes' first attempt was eight days ago, when she lay unconscious for 24 hours from a dose of laudanum. During the temporary absence of her attendant yesterday, Mrs. Forbes swallowed a lotion of sugar of lead water and laudanum. She died soon after. Mrs. Forbes, formerly Mrs. Everly, was very popular. She was married about four months ago. Mr. Forbes is 75 years old, and about 30 years her senior.

Banker's Sentences Commuted.

Springfield, Ills., Jan. 7.—Governor Altgeld has commuted the sentence of the Chicago bankers, Charles J. and Frank R. Meadowcraft, convicted of receiving deposits when their bank was insolvent. The sentence was changed from a penitentiary sentence to 60 days in jail. The governor states that both the state attorney and judge who presided at the trial recommended clemency.

Too Many Banks In Kansas.

Topeka, Jan. 7.—State Bank Commissioner John W. Breidenthal predicts that the number of Kansas banking institutions will decrease materially within the next two years, if not be cut in two. He says there are too many banks in Kansas now for the amount of business transacted, and he is advising consolidation in every place where it is feasible.

Bryan's Philosophy.

Lincoln, Neb., Jan. 7.—Nebraska free silver men of all parties held a convention here yesterday and organized a state league. Judge C. R. Scott of Omaha was elected president and James Stockham of Custer county secretary. W. J. Bryan addressed the league briefly, saying it was better to have run and lost than never to have run at all.

Rinehart Dismissed.

Chicago, Jan. 7.—Ex-President Joseph W. Rinehart of the Santa Fe railroad was dismissed from court yesterday in a nolle prosse of the indictment against him. This was done at the conclusion of the afternoon session, when it was shown that the government could not couple Rinehart with the alleged deviation of rates.

National Telegraphers' Ball.

Chicago, Jan. 7.—The first national gathering of telegraphers in Chicago in a number of years will be in the shape of a ball to be held on Feb. 5, at Medinah temple. Over 3000 invitations have been issued to railroad and commercial telegraphers in the cities outside of Chicago.

Engineer and Cook Drowned.

Baltimore, Jan. 7.—Steamer Howard, which arrived yesterday from Boston, collided with the tug Job Wilson of Richmond. Joseph Childres, engineer, and C. C. Chappell, cook, both of the Wilson, were drowned. The tug will prove a total loss.

Candlestone Drops Dead.

Lexington, Ky., Jan. 7. — Bryan McClelland had the misfortune yesterday to lose his fast 2-year-old colt Candlestone, by imported Candlemas, dam Laura Stone. He fell dead at the track.

CAMBLERS ARRESTED.

Connecticut Authorities Determined to Stop Poolselling.

Stamford, Conn., Jan. 7.—A raid was made yesterday afternoon upon the two pool rooms located near the depot, and the managers, Joseph H. Leslie and William Plunkett, with 18 other men, were arrested.

One of the rooms was known as the Eastern News and Money Transfer company, while the second one was managed by a New York syndicate.

The rooms had for a long time been doing a thriving business, the patrons coming mostly from towns between this city and New York.

Governor Coffin's attention had been called to the existence of the rooms, and he had a special term of the superior criminal court called at Bridgeport, when a complaint was prepared and a bench warrant issued.

The detectives met in New York and came here on a train which also bore a number of sports. Ten detectives went to each room, and when they attempted to make the arrests there was pandemonium. Several of the officers were struck, but they immediately pulled their revolvers, and the disturbance ended. The men were later taken to Bridgeport and arraigned before Judge G. W. Wheeler. Bonds were fixed at $3000 in each case, and were furnished by John H. Lee of Stamford and John McDevitt. The former went security for $44,000 and the latter for $10,000. The prisoners are cited to appear in court Jan 16.

The prisoners were accompanied by their counsel, Judge J. B. Curtis and Attorney Kennedy. Judge Wheeler, in fixing the bonds, said: "I propose to fix this bond at a sum which will assure the appearance of the men arrested for trial. The state has determined to put a stop to this practice of pool selling and break it up. The sooner these men realize this the better, for they are to be dealt with as the law provides."

Bowdoin Alumni.

New York, Jan. 7. — The Bowdoin Alumni association held their annual meeting and dinner at the Hotel Savoy last night. Members from this city and vicinity were present to the number of 200. At the business meeting Hon. J. H. Goodenow was elected president, to succeed himself. General J. L. Chamberlain, A. F. Sebley, W. J. Curtis, Dr. W. B. Chase and George E. Moulton were elected vice presidents; L. A. Rogers, corresponding secretary, and Dr. F. H. Dillingham, secretary-treasurer. Then followed the 27th annual dinner, for which an elaborate menu had been prepared. When the cloth was removed a poem by Isaac McLellen of the class of 1826 was read. Speeches by William Dewitt Hyde, president of Bowdoin college; Francis M. Hatch, minister from Hawaii; F. W. Hawthorne, A. S. Ridley, Herbert F. Gunnison and others followed.

Ladies Must Remove Hats.

Pittsburg, Jan 7.—This city will follow the lead of Chicago in the passage of an act prohibiting the wearing of bonnets or hats by ladies in theaters. Councilman Leslie will on Friday introduce an ordinance which already has the approval of the majority of the councilmen, making it a misdemeanor for ladies to either wear hats or bonnets. Enforcement of the law will be placed in the hands of the director of public works. The managers of theaters will be held responsible for permitting any infraction of the law. The fine will not be more than $25 nor less than $5 for each offense, and imprisonment may be imposed for continued disregard of the ordinance.

New York Yacht Club.

New York, Jan. 7.—The nominating committee of the New York Yacht club yesterday announced the officers selected to be voted for at the annual election. J. Pierpont Morgan, and not W. K. Vanderbilt, as was rumored in yachting circles, is chosen commodore. The chief nominations follow: Commodore, J. Pierpont Morgan; vice commodore, S. Cass Ledyard; rear commodore, August Belmont; secretary, J. V. S. Oddie; treasurer, F. W. J. Hurst; measurer, John Hyslop; fleet surgeon, Morris J. Asch; regatta committee, John C. Barrows, Theodore C. Zarega and W. Burton Hopkins.

Quite Enough.

San Francisco, Jan. 7.—The report that Mrs. Emma Spreckels-Watson had deeded back to her father, Claus Spreckels, $3,000,000 worth of property he gave to her before her marriage, is denied by Mr. Watson. He says his wife gave back only $1,500,000, and still has enough to live on.

New Athletic Manager.

Buffalo, Jan 7.—Henry K. Ducker of this city, formerly president of the state racing board, L. A. W., and the originator of the Springfield tournaments, has been appointed manager of the Massachusetts Athletic association, and will leave for Boston at once.

Pops Capture Colorado Legislature.

Denver, Jan. 7.—The 11th biennial session of the Colorado legislature convened at noon yesterday. The Populists and silverites captured the organization in both the senate and house, with the aid of few McKinley Republican members. Edwin W. Hurlbut was elected speaker of the house; Francis Carney (Pop.) was elected president pro tem of the senate. Governor-elect Adams will be inaugurated Tuesday, Jan. 12.

Wales Case Goes to Jury.

Montpelier, Vt., Jan. 7.—On the completion of the arguments in the Wales arson case yesterday, Judge Ross threw out the first three counts of the indictment charging Wales with attempt to set fire to the dwelling house of the janitor at the seminary, and left the case wholly to the judgment of the jury.

Italian Highwaymen Sentenced.

Providence, Jan. 7.—Pietro Marcello, Luigi Leonardo and Luca Marinello, Italians, were each sentenced to 15 years at hard labor at Cranston prison yesterday for highway robbery. They were charged with holding up Dr. Eddy on the road to this city, and robbing him of money and instruments.

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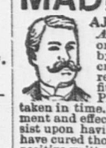
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TELEGRAPHIC.

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THE TOWN STARTLED.

Dynamite Explosions Shake Up the Citizens of Wells.

Investigators Find Big Holes In Ground.

Believed to Be Result of Dropping Explosive From Balloon.

Wells, Me., Jan. 8.—This town is in a ferment of excitement over a number of explosions yesterday which shook everything in the neighborhood. Much speculation was indulged in as to the cause of these startling shocks, and the mystery finally became too great for the staid citizens, and it was decided to find out what was going on.

Late in the day a committee of villagers went to Black Creek, a place near Wells Beach, and about three miles from the railroad depot here, to investigate. They returned with stories of large holes in the earth and on the beach in that vicinity, which they judged were made by charges of dynamite. But they could only conjecture as to the object of the explosions, and by what means they were accomplished.

Postmaster Harley Moulton says that early yesterday morning two men alighted at the Wells Beach station from the Dover train, carrying with them suspicious looking boxes. One man was tall and of dark complexion, the other short, thick-set, with black curly hair; in fact, both men are thought to be Cubans by those who saw them. The men took the road toward Black Creek, three miles away. Two hours later the shock of a big explosion was heard, and excited much curiosity. Explosions were frequent, some of them being less noticeable than others. The same men who were seen early in the morning were again seen when they took a train to Boston. It is said the experiments with dynamite were attempts to demonstrate the feasibility of carrying explosives into the air by means of kites and then dropping them by electrical arrangement when the kite is over the object the destruction of which is desired. These experiments, if they are conducted by means of kites, as it is thought they were, give color to the report that the Cuban insurgents were looking forward to a new and valuable ally in the warfare against the Spanish. It is known that an inventor was in Lynn, Mass., recently, to secure the assistance of an electrician to assist in the dynamite kite experiment, and he had promised his aid.

Newburyport's Strange Visitors.

Newburyport, Mass., Jan. 8.—It was reported here on Tuesday that a party of men, several of whom were thought to be Cubans, were here with the intention of trying dynamite bomb experiments at Salisbury beach, but though search was made for the party, it was later learned that they had left for other fields.

Discredited at Lynn.

Lynn, Mass., Jan. 7.—The report that Lynn electricians were engaged to conduct xperiments with dynamite-carrying kites has not been credited here, but it is stated by an electrician that the experimenters had gone to New Hampshire to test the kite.

FIRST COLORED COUNCILLOR.

Isaac B. Allen of Boston Declared Elected by Legislative Committee.

Boston, Jan. 8.—In spite of every sort of a legal appeal, in the board of election commissioners, the courts, and at last the legislature itself, Isaac B. Allen, the first colored man ever holding such an office, was seated as councillor yesterday by the legislature, and will for the current year be one of Governor Wolcott's advisors. Allen's margin over Sullivan was so small that a recount was at once asked for; but while Sullivan's gain was over 200 votes, it was not enough to elect him. The courts were appealed to, but in vain, and, as a last resort, Mr. Sullivan petitioned the legislature to go behind the returns and count 340 ballots which had been thrown out, and which, he claimed, should have been counted for him.

A special committee of both branches refused to canvass the votes for councillors until the question of Allen's election had been settled. The matter was discussed, and the committee announced its intention of having the ballots produced. Later the committee reconsidered the matter, and decided that it had not the power to go behind the returns, and a majority of the committee reported that the petitioner have leave to withdraw. The Democratic members, however, presented a minority report, claiming that the matter had been too hastily decided.

Both branches adopted the majority report, and the oaths of office were administered to Councillor Allen.

At a subsequent meeting of the council the governor appointed Mr. Allen on three committees, two of them of considerable importance.

"EXPOUND WORD OF GOD."

Evangelist Moody's Pertinent Advice to Ministers of Gospel.

Boston, Jan. 8.—The interest taken in the Moody meetings at Tremont Temple here continues with unabated vigor, and audiences crowd the big auditorium at all meetings, while hundreds are turned away for lack of room. Yesterday he paid his respects to the sensational preachers of the day. Turning to the ministers on the platform he said: "If you want power in your ministry, expound the word of God. Let your word go.

"What do you know of capital and labor? Let it alone. What do you know about Cuba or Armenia? That is all attended to in Washington. Why should you censure Cleveland? I would be in better business than pitching into the President of the United States."

Pomeroy Again Thwarted.

Boston, Jan. 8.—Jesse Pomeroy, the notorious murderer, who has become famous for his many attempts to escape from his cell in the prison at Charlestown, has again been thwarted in an attempt to get out. On Wednesday it was accidentally found that Pomeroy had succeeded in removing stone and brick in his cell to such an extent that his escape woud have been only a question of a few more hours' work.

Massachusetts Republican Committee.

Boston, Jan. 8.—The Republican state committee organized yesterday at its headquarters in this city, and Colonel A. H. Goetting of Springfield was elected chairman. The other officers elected were: secretary, Thomas Talbot of Billerica; assistant secretary, John N. Peterson of Salem; chairman of the executive committee, D. Herbert Woodsum of Braintree, and Calvin D. Page of Southbridge, chairman of the finance committee. Charles F. Stetson of ward 25 of this city was elected a member from the Ninth Suffolk district, in place of George H. Lyman, who has resigned, while Alfred S. Pinkerton of Worcester was chosen to fill a similar vacancy in the Worcester district, caused by the resignation of Colonel Fred W. Wellington.

Value of Condemned Cattle.

Portland, Me., Jan. 8.—The appraisers appointed to set a value on the famous Libby herd of cattle recently condemned by the state cattle commissioners as being tuberculous, have finished their work and place the total market value of the herd at $3380. Of course they represent a much larger sum to Mr. Libby, who has spent a great deal of labor, time and money to bring the herd up to a high grade of excellence. Within a few days it has been ascertained that the infliction was brought into the Libby herd by a few animals added to the herd not very long ago, which came from outside of the state. The condemned cattle are now in quarantine, and will be slaughtered.

Single Tax Meeting.

Boston, Jan. 8.—The Massachusetts Single Tax league held a meeting and dinner last night at the American House. Thomas A. Shearman of Brooklyn was the principal speaker, and advocated the principles of the party as being particularly in the interests of the farmers. Hon. William Lloyd Garrison said that under a single tax law all the building, all improvements and all crops would be saved to the farmers and not be swallowed up by increased taxes. Each speaker was sharply questioned at the conclusion of the address on vital points in the new doctrine.

Tufts College Annual.

Medford, Mass., Jan. 8.—The annual report of President Capen of Tufts college, and the catalogue of the same institution, have been issued. The teaching force remains practically the same, numbering 55. The final registration of students is as follows: College of letters, 251; medical school, 189; divinity school, 35; Bromfield-Pearson school, 6, a total of 472. A new and radical change has been made in the system of requirments for admission. Every candidate for admission to the college of letters is required to pass examinations in two groups of subjects.

Busiel Withdraws From Contest.

Concord, N. H., Jan. 8.—Governor Busiel has announced his withdrawal from the United States senatorial contest. In an interview he reviews his administration of state affairs, and says he will ask the present legislature for electrical road charters. The house of representatives granted the Republican members the use of representatives' hall on Wednesday evening next for the purpose of a caucus in which will be nominated candidates for all state offices and for United States senator.

Dairy Association Officers.

Montpelier, Vt., Jan. 8.—The session of the Vermont dairymen closed yesterday afternoon with the election of officers for the coming year, who are as follows: President, C. F. Smith of Morrisville; vice presidents, H. W. Walker, Woodstock, and F. S. Collins, Burlington; secretary, George W. Pierce, Brattleboro; treasurer, H. W. Vail, Pomfret; auditor, George Aitken, Woodstock.

Gambling In Boston.

Boston, Jan. 8.—The police raided a gambling house in the South End late yesterday afternoon, and an unknown man escaped arrest by leaping from a window to an electric light pole some eight feet distant and sliding rapidly to the ground. The daring feat was witnessed by a large crowd of people, and no attempt was made to detain him.

Gave Himself Up.

Springfield, Mass., Jan. 8.—A man 35 years of age, giving his name as Elmer E. Newcomb, gave himself up to the police last evening, saying that he had embezzled from Charles McFarland, jeweler, of Worcester, two gold watches and an opal ring. He was locked up and the Worcester police were notified.

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WHOLESALE MURDERER.

Sam Cooper, a Negro Outlaw, Takes Four More Lives.

Maysville, S. C., Jan. 8.—Simon Cooper, the negro outlaw who shot and killed another negro and wounded several others at Magnolia a few days ago, and for whom there is a reward of $100 offered by the governor, added more murders to his record yesterday near Magnolia.

Cooper entered the house of Ben Wilson about sunrise and demanded the use of Mr. Wilson's buggy, which was refused. This human monster then picked up an ax and split Mr. Wilson's head open. He attacked Wesley Wilson, the son, and murdered him in a like manner. Cooper then murdered Mrs. Wesley Wilson with the same weapon, after which he struck down a negro, who had approached on hearing the noise, and left the ax sticking in the negro's head. As soon as the news of the shocking tragedy reached Sumter the sheriff organized a posse of men, chartered a special car and came to Maysville, where re-enforcements from this town and the surrounding country awaited him. Word reached the sheriff here that Cooper had been seen within two miles of Sumter. The sheriff divided the volunteers into several posses and sent them out in different directions, but Cooper was not found. The Wilsons were white people of high standing in their community. Ben Wilson was about 80 years of age, his son, Wesley, about 40, and Mrs. Wesley Wilson about 35. Two children have been left orphans by the deed of Cooper. It is almost impossible for Cooper to escape, as the county is being scoured in every direction. If captured his fate will be a most terrible one.

AN ENGLISH WREATH.

Bimetallists Order Flowers For General Walker's Funeral.

London, Jan. 8.—The Bimetallic league has cabled to one of its members, Mr. Forbes, who is now in Boston, requesting him to send a wreath and to attend the funeral of General Francis A. Walker.

An editorial in The Times on the death of General Walker says: His death will be regretted in Great Britain almost as much as in America. He was one of the fairest and most reasonable advocates of bimetallism.

After eulogizing the deceased economist's attainments and writings at considerable length, The Times continues: With all respect it is improbable that had he lived he could have done much to further the avowed object of Senator Wolcott's visit.

Senator Wolcott will be welcomed here. For several reasons Mr. McKinley could not have chosen a more acceptable envoy. But public opinion in England is more hostile than before to bimetallism. Nothing can be hoped from the visit except as a political move and a salve to the silverites. The failure of his mission certain. No public man, whatever his theoretical views, would think the present an opportune moment to move the question, and this opinion will subsist at all events, as long as bimetallism appears to be dropped or revived according to the exigencies of American domestic politics.

Yale-Harvard Negotiations Resumed

New York, Jan. 8.—The Press this morning prints the following special from New Haven: Yale's athletic managers yesterday verified the statement sent out from Cambridge Wednesday night to the effect that negotiations with Harvard looking to a new athletic agreement between the colleges have been taken up with renewed vigor. It has been learned that Walter Camp, who was at the head of the negotiations conducted up to a fortnight ago, has retired as the leader, and that they are now being continued by other prominent Yale advisors. But while Mr. Camp is not at the head of the negotiations, as now conducted, he said yesterday that he was heartily in favor of them.

Fire at Barnum and Bailey's.

New York, Jan. 8.—The World this morning has the following special from Bridgeport, Conn.: Part of the winter quarters of Barnum & Bailey's show was burned last night, and there were many wild and exciting scenes among the animals of the menagerie. Elephants, lions, tigers, bears, and all manner of fierce and strange beasts were taken out of the buildings in safety. Their cries made a thrilling din, and despite the danger of escaping animals thousands of people gathered to witness the scene. The fire started in one of the large barns, where were stored quantities of hay, wagons, chariots and circus material of various kinds.

Sherman's Call.

Washington, Jan. 8.—Senator Sherman received an invitation from President-elect McKinley to go to Canton and talk about the secretary of state portfolio. It is expected the senator will leave here Saturday to comply with the request. There is no doubt the position will be offered the senior Ohio senator. Gossip is busy making up McKinley's cabinet, and among the possibilities mentioned are Congressman Boutelle of Maine for the treasury, Judge Goff of West Virginia for attorney general, and Judge McKenna of California for secretary of the interior.

Invited to Call by Mrs. Cleveland.

New York, Jan. 8.—Commander and Mrs. Booth-Tucker of the Salvation Army left for Washington last night to attend a reception given today in their honor by Mrs. Charles Foster, at her home. Mr. and Mrs. Booth-Tucker have been invited by Mrs. Cleveland to call on her on Saturday morning and explain to her and President Cleveland the methods of work of the army and its success in this country.

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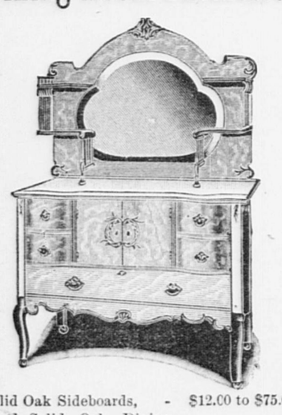
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CITY OF QUINCY.
CITY CLERK'S OFFICE, Dec. 14, 1896.
THE Record of births in any city or town is always more or less unsatisfactory, owing to the fact that the canvasser finds difficulty in getting the necessary information. Names and dates are frequently given incorrectly. The importance of accuracy is shown in many cases where there is a question of descent, or inheritance of property, or collection of life insurance or pensions. The City Clerk's copy of the record is accepted as conclusive evidence in a court of law. While great pains are taken by this office to have the record correct, experience shows that it is necessary that parents themselves should lend their assistance. In fact the law requires that parents shall give notice to the City Clerk of the birth of their children, and provides a penalty for neglect to give such notice for the space of six months.
It often happens that only children or servants are at home when the canvasser makes his call, and the answers to his questions are open to doubt. I therefore request all parents in whose households a birth has occurred in the year 1896, to place upon a paper or card the required information, and keep it in a convenient place until the canvasser appears.
The canvass will be commenced on Jan. 1, 1897.
HARRISON A. KEITH,
City Clerk.
Dec. 14 to Feb. 1. Dec. 19—7w

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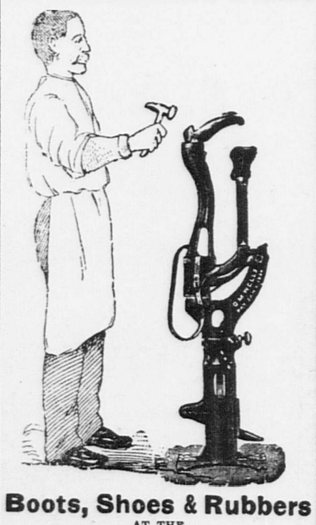
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Two Weeks' Temperature.

	This Week.	Last Week
Sunday	39	19
Monday	54	27
Tuesday	59	40
Wednesday	41	43
Thursday	34	45
Friday	29	35
Saturday	—	42

THE LEGISLATURE should not have done differently than it did in the case of Isaac B. Allen, the colored councillor. It was not a question for the Legislature, which was the best man for the position, or whether Mr. Allen was a suitable man for the office, but to install the gentleman elected, and there is no doubt but Mr. Allen was elected. Those who object to him should be happy that Massachusetts does not elect its State officials biennially. Another argument for annual elections.

IS THE Quincy Hospital a local institution? We are led to this query by the fact that the postal announcements for the annual meeting were printed in Boston. During the year many favors are asked of the local press by the Hospital and those working for the worthy institution, but its officers, for some reason unknown, have their printing done in Boston, which not only cheats the local printer out of his just dues, but also reduces the receipts of the local post office and retards extensions and improvements of the service. Local printers have never been allowed to estimate on the annual reports, and have even been denied the privilege of printing abstracts of the reports at the annual meeting while they were news. It seems a poor policy for the clerk of the corporation, who is a candidate for postmaster, to injure the office as noted above. Postmaster Burke, as a director of the Hospital, might reasonably enter a protest also.

St. John's Officers.

At the meeting of the St. John's C. L. and A. A., held Thursday evening the following were elected as officers for the present year:

President,—Thomas F. Shea.
Vice-President,—Richard J. Gray.
Recording Secretary,—John Ford.
Corresponding Secretary, — William O'Donovan.
Treasurer,—P. Duffy.
Chairman of Dramatic Board,—John Phelan.
Librarian,—William Kingston.
Assistant Librarian,—Christopher Ross.
Superintendent,—John J. Keenan.

Religious Conference.

Every evening next week except Saturday a most important conference is announced to be held in the Presbyterian church on Water street, on the deepening of spiritual life. The general subject will be: "Saved by service," and the following well known Boston pastors are announced to participate: Rev. Scott F. Hershey, Ph. D., Rev. Robert F. True, Rev. Carey W. Chamberlain, Rev. J. A. McElwain and others.

More Constables.

Mayor Adams has appointed the following constables in addition to those named Jan. 4: John T. Hunt, Charles H. Penniman, Peter Josephine, Elijah S. Brown, Jeremiah Lyons, John Downs, Francis K. Damon, George O. Shirley, Michael W. Gerry, Hiram W. Campbell, William Faxon, Daniel O'Connell, Jr., John N. Fox, Henry Chubbuck, Peter J. Williams, Fred W. Austin.

Pony Expresses.

In Lynn the expressmen are licensed. It is said that many do a "pony express business" chiefly as a device for the evasion of the no-license law. The new mayor of the city is to get after these expressmen and believes he will be successful in preventing a large quantity of liquor from being brought into Lynn.

Y. M. C. A. Notes.

Dr. E. R. Johnson will address the men's meeting Sunday afternoon at 3.30 o'clock at the Association rooms.

The Association expects to reopen its reading room on Brook street, Wollaston, the latter part of next week.

TODAY'S COURT.

The continued case of Carmine P. Gardner for the larceny of four sashes from George H. DeHuff was called and the defendent was discharged, as the sashes in question were charged on Beck & Sons' books to Gardner.

LOVE THE FLAG.

Junior Vice Department Commander Present.

Tells Why Flag is Dear to Grand Army Boys.

Installation, Entertainment, Dance and a Good Time.

No signals, grips or passwords were needed at Hancock hall, Thursday evening, to pass the guard, and enter within the portals of Paul Revere Post, 88, G. A. R., for the outer gate was open wide to give welcome to the friends of the Post to whom an invitation had been extended to come and witness the annual installation of the newly elected officers, and to enjoy all that had been arranged for their entertainment. To this invitation a large number responded.

That part of the hall near the platform had been reserved, and at 8 o'clock the comrade on duty at the inner door announced to the officer of the guard that the officers of the Post were without. The door being opened they marched in and took their respective positions, after which the officers were installed by Junior Vice Commander of the Department of Massachusetts, John E. Gilman, assisted by Comrade Flynn of Roxbury as officer of the day:

Commander,—William H. Warner.
Senior Vice Commander, — John D. Williams.
Junior Vice Commander,—Warren Dunbar.
Surgeon,—H. C. Hallowell, M. D.
Chaplain,—Franklin Jacobs.
Quartermaster,—Andrew W. Gardner.
Officer of the Day,—W. B. Munroe.
Officer of the Guard,—Edward Lennon.
Adjutant,—Isaac M. Holt.
Quartermaster Sergeant, — Edward Richardson.

At the conclusion of the installation ceremonies their was a short entertainment which opened with a selection by Thayer's orchestra. Miss Annie Roche then sang "What's in my Heart," and Miss Sadie Smith gave two humorous readings.

Miss Eleanor Carroll, Quincy's talented elocutionist, gave several recitations, the first being "Barbara Fritchie," and for an encore gave "Sheridan's ride." This hardly appeased the enthusiasm of the audience, and Miss Carroll graciously responded by giving Carlton's famous poem "Death Doomed." Miss Carroll never appeared more favorably before a Quincy audience than on this occasion, for she was at her best and the enthusiasm shown must have been very gratifying to her.

The mustering officer John E. Gilman was introduced and in his remarks said in part: How would you friends in the audience like to sleep on the frozen ground all night with nothing between you and the ground but two Virginia rails? Those outside of the Post say to us, why don't you drop the flag? But they do not realize what that flag is to the Grand Army boys. If you pay $10,000 for an article you know how dear it is to you, for you paid for it. But think how much the soldier paid for the flag. He left a good position and went to work for the government for $11 per month and then at $13 per month and that is not all.

Comrade Gilman told of army life, of the muddy coffee and the hard tack that was not only bread but meat as well. Then there were times, he said, when we did not have even hard tack, but had to tighten the belt to better withstand the pangs of hunger. We took our young valuable lives and tendered them to the government, and oh, how many of those lives went out! We went forward in the face of hell fire. Think of these and then wonder why we love that flag, why the old soldier so dearly loves the flag of his country for which he paid so high a price.

Brief remarks were also made by Commander Jones of Post 26, and Officer of the Day Flynn of Roxbury. At the conclusion of the entertainment dancing was enjoyed until midnight.

BEATEN AT HOME

The Quincy League Team Falls Before the Granites.

The McCarthy league team was expected to play at the Gourd alleys Thursday evening with the Granites, but they lost the train and the Costello's team took their place.

The Quincys won the first string by 49 pins and evidently thought they had a snap. While they let up on the second string the Gourd team embraced the opportunity and came out flying with a total of 830 and a lead of 122, which gave them a net lead of 73.

The Quincys reduced this some on the third string but lost the match by 51 pins.

GRANITES.				
Souther,	164	155	148	467
Thomas,	112	170	143	425
Taber,	161	179	147	492
Hodges,	125	151	169	445
Perry,	136	175	187	498
Team totals,	703	830	794	2327
QUINCYS.				
Jones,	121	140	161	422
Lennon,	135	159	155	449
Peverly,	157	118	190	465
Ross,	170	177	143	490
Fratus,	169	114	167	450
Team totals,	752	708	816	2276

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QUINCY BREVITIES.

Notes from Quincy Point, Wollaston, Atlantic, South and West Quincy.

Cool this morning.

The McCarthys will roll the Granites next Monday night.

A child of Cornelius Duggan of Minot street is sick with diphtheria.

H. C. Loverage has moved his family from Botolph street to Boston.

Local weather prophets say that we are to have a heavy snow squall before night.

Rev. Charles Robertson of Vermont is in town for a few days calling upon friends at West Quincy.

Dr. George B. Rice was elected on Thursday to be president of the Massachusetts Homœpathic society.

Ex-Councilman Harry W. Read and Councilman Eugene H. Sprague are in Maine on a fishing trip.

Mr. J. Q. Litchfield, recently of the Quincy school, has moved to Jamaica Plains, where he is now located.

The new Massachusetts Fields school at Norfolk Downs will be opened for public inspection on Saturday afternoon from 2 to 4.

The regular Friday prayer meeting of Calvary Baptist church, Franklin street, tonight at 7 30. Choir will meet at the close of service.

Miss Elva Goding of Livermore Falls, Maine, has been spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. George A. Wardwell of Taylor street, Wollaston.

The St. John's C. L. and A. A. have in preparation a most enjoyable farce which will be produced the last week in January. It is entitled "Captain Jack."

Clerk Kimball of the House has appointed Carl A. Raymond of Westminster second assistant clerk, the position held last year by George W. Penniman.

Councillor Lovell of this district is on five of the Councillor committees—Harbors and Public Lands, Military and Naval Affairs, Railroads, Accounts and Warrants.

The attendance at the week of prayer services at the Presbyterian church, Water street, have been steadily increasing, being nearly double on Thursday night what it was Monday.

Some of the bush hammers reported stolen from the yards of J. E. Qualey & Co. and the Merry Mount granite sheds have been found hid away in an unused shed of the Merry Mount Co.

Representative Thompson was on the committee of the Legislature on Thursday to notify the Governor and Lieutenant Governor that the Legislature was ready for the inauguration ceremonies.

The chiefs of Nahanton tribe of South Braintree were raised up Friday evening by William A. Jordan, D. G. S. and suite of Wollaston. The next council will be held in the new wigwam, which is nearly ready for occupancy.

Quincy people make considerable fun of the Weymouth officer who almost daily parades through Quincy in full uniform. It is all right for him to wear his uniform in his own town but to display it in another town is, to say the least, a little out of place.

Mr. Michael Downey, well-known among the hostlers of this city, died at his home on Brackett street Thursday afternoon. Mr. Downey had been sick since Christmas and what was at first the grippe developed into a complication of serious troubles rendering him for the past few days unconscious. He was about 30 years of age. The funeral will take place tomorrow afternoon.

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READ—In Atlantic., Jan. 6, a son to Mr. and Mrs. Harry W. Read.

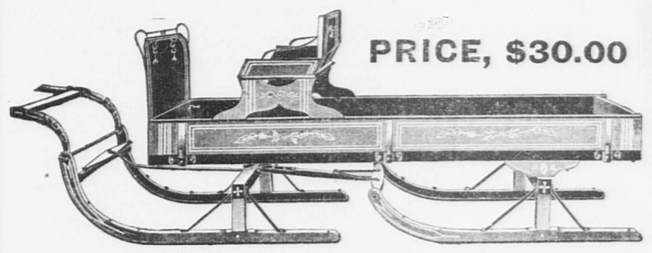
DIED.

DOWNEY—In Quincy, Jan. 7, Mr. Michael F. Downey, aged 30 years.

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White Shirts, Collars and Cuffs, make a most acceptable present. We sell only the best grades.

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WATER IN 1898.

Metropolitan District Reviewed by Governor.

Expect to Make Connections This Year With All Towns.

Park Reservation Recommended Along Shore of Quincy Bay.

Few dailies published in full the portion of Governor Walcott's address relative to the Metropolitan district. It will be of interest to LEDGER readers, as the improvements under way will soon be felt by the taxpayers:

The commission appointed in 1894 to investigate the advisabilty of establishing a general Government with limited powers for the city of Boston and the surrounding cities and towns, generally known as the Metropolitan District, presented its report to the Legislature of last year. The Commissioners note the increasing interrelation of interests within the proposed district in such matters as water supply, sewerage, parks, highways and means of transportation, and recommend that the people of the several cities and towns interested be given an opportunity to vote upon the main question of the establishment of a form of county government for the Metropolitan District. The Legislature of last year referred this important matter to the next General Court, and it will therefore come before you for consideration and action.

It is gratifying to know that the work of supplying adequate facilities for the disposal of the sewage of the large population resident in this district is well advanced and will be soon completed. You will be asked to decide whether, for the purpose of securing unity of ownership and control, it may not be wise for the Commonwealth to take into its possession the main trunk sewer, pumping station and outfall of the Boston system, at a fair valuation.

The Metropolitan Water Board, which was organized in July, 1895, has been actively prosecuting its work during the past season, and has made satisfactory progress. The building of the aqueduct, 12 miles in length, to connect the Nashua River at Clinton with the reservoir in process of construction in Southboro and Marlboro, has been begun, and the work so far advanced to leave little doubt of its completion early in the year 1898. This reservoir will be substantially completed by the close of the present year, and early in the year 1898 the waters of the south branch of the Nashua River can be stored in this reservoir, and be added to the existing supply of the metropolitan district. The larger part of the work of laying one of the two projected lines of 48-inch main pipes from the Chestnut Hill Reservoir has been already accomplished, and it is expected during the present year to complete the connection of all the cities and towns in the district with the Chestnut Hill Reservoir. Much has been done preliminary to the actual building of the great dam at Clinton and the construction of the reservoir on the Nashua River, which is to submerge very considerable portions of the territory of the towns of Boylston and West Boylston.

The fuller investigations have developed no unforseen obstacle to the completion of the great scheme adopted by the Legislature of the year 1895, for furnishing to the city of Boston and the cities and towns within the 10 mile radius an adequate supply of excellent water for many years to come, with ample opportunities for extensions from time to time to provide for the needs of the more remote future. The serious apprehensions occasioned by a light rainfall during the past summer and the approach which several of the cities and towns have already made to the limit of their present possible sources of supply have anew demonstrated the need of this great work—the greatest single enterprise ever undertaken by the Commonwealth.

It is remembered that the cost of construction is to fall eventually upon the various cities and towns constituting the district, and that the Commonwealth will be fully reimbursed by these municipalities for all its expenditures. The latter will, on the other hand, profit by thus obtaining water not only in ample abundance but better in quality and at rates lower than the present cost, and much less than would result if the municipalities were to seek different sources for their growing needs and to construct independent works.

Two important takings of land have been made this year by the Metropolitan Park Commissioners under the boulevard act of 1894, the first being of lands and existing streets for the Blue Hills parkway connecting with the Boston park system at Mattapan square, the other of lands for the completion of the Middlesex Fells parkway. These acquirements provide for easy approaches by broad avenues to each of the great woods reservations of the metropolitan system. Their total length is 8 97 miles.

The reservations acquired under the Park Act of 1893 remain practically the same as last year. The total area of the reservations now under the control of the Commissioners is nearly 7000 acres.

The funds appropriated to the use of this board aggregate, under the Park Act, $3,300,000, and under the Boulevard Act, $1,000,000. This amount, together with all future additions thereto, is ultimately to be apportioned among and borne by the several cities and towns within the district.

The Commissioners recommend the acquisition of additional reservations along the banks of Charles River, upon the shores of Quincy Bay and at Winthrop.

Owing to the increasing population and consequent increasing values of all lands within the district, I think the ultimate territorial limits of the park system should be reached at an early day, and that the several parts of it should be rendered reasonably accessible, and should be made safe by an adequate police force, both against disorderly use and against forest fires. But the magnitude of the present and future cost, the burden of which is not yet felt by the municipalities concerned, may properly suggest moderation in the elaborate and expensive development of the areas reserved.

Final Tributes.

Funeral services over the remains of Mrs. John H. Roberts were held at her late home, corner of Brooks and Safford streets, Wollaston, this afternoon at two o'clock. The services, which were conducted by the Rev. Edward A. Robinson, pastor of the Wollaston Congregational church, where for many years Mrs. Roberts attended, were very simple and appropriate.

The quartette.—Mrs. N. G. Nickerson, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph J. Saxe and Mr. W. M. Wight sang "Abide with Me" and "Rest for the Weary."

The pall bearers were Mr. Howard D. Moore of Somerville; Mr. Joseph G. Spear of Braintree; Mr. Clarence W. Packard of Dorchester; and Mr. Walter S. Gallagher of Charlestown.

The floral tributes from the family and friends were beautiful. The interment was at the Mt. Wollaston cemetery.

Red Men.

Hodenosaunee Tribe of Wollaston received a visit from Deputy Great Sachem, J. Frank Gardner and suite of Campello, Thursday evening. The chiefs elected at the last council and the appointed chiefs were raised to their stumps, after which, corn and venison were enjoyed. The tribe listened to long talks by the deputy and other visitors. Then all present played whist, at which paleface game, F. A. Whittier and A. G. McKinley took first and second prizes.

Don't Do It.

It frequently happens that a person wishes to enclose a postal card in a letter for a reply, and he prefers to trim it rather than fold it. It is against the postal laws however to take from or add to a postal card, and if the mutilation is detected it will cost the one who returns the postal two cents. Don't cut them, but fold them.

Favors a Return.

Governor Walcott in his inaugural address says that under existing legislation there is no authority to impose any tax whatever upon street railways for using the street. He recommends that the authority be granted.

The Magazines.

For 1897, beginning with the January issue, there will be added to the usual departments of Table Talk, in response to a wide demand from its readers, an additional page of menus giving noon-day dinners. A variety of articles on domestic science topics will be given by well-known writers, while no pains will be spared to furnish the best information to housekeepers on all points of social and table etiquette. The marked individuality, freshness of thought and thoroughness, indicative of Table Talk, will continue to be noted features of the magazine.

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—Quite a number of congressmen have given notice that the postmasters in their district who will be appointed under the new administration must be selected by the people using the office by an election, the candidate receiving the largest number of votes being recommended to the appointing powers.

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Russia Is Doing More Than Great Britain to Relieve the Starving Multitudes—The Plague at Bombay Adds Its Terrors. British Aid Will Be Necessary.

The letter of ex-Judge Goodridge, published in The Englishman of Calcutta, points out that the means adopted by the government of India to check the famine are entirely inadequate, declares that thousands of persons are dying from starvation and calls attention to the general apathy on the subject thus far displayed in England. The queen some time ago sent a telegram to the viceroy of India expressing sympathy for the sufferers and promising that they would be assisted, but thus far nothing of consequence has been done by the imperial government to avert the effects of one of the greatest calamities that has ever threatened India.

Comparisons are made in the matter between the attitude of Great Britain and Russia which do not redound greatly to the credit of England. It is known that the czar has several times expressed himself as being deeply concerned in the outcome of the famine, and his interest has taken a practical turn. One of the means adopted by the czar to secure aid for the sufferers was a grand concert, which produced a large sum of money. All the artists who appeared volunteered their services and all the receipts were devoted to the fund for the victims. As the affair was under the direct patronage of the czar and czarina almost the entire court was present, as were also the civic and military officials in St. Petersburg.

The newspapers of Moscow and St. Petersburg continue their earnest appeals for help for the famine sufferers, and in other directions steps are being taken to aid the victims. In some English quarters the opinion obtains that this generous action of the Russians is only a mask hiding some deep laid political scheme, having for its object the raising of disaffection in India against British rule. Some of the Tory papers express their approval of declarations that have appeared in certain Indian papers to the effect that aid from such a source should not be accepted. But they do not urge the government to extend aid to the sufferers, and in the meantime thousands of the natives are dying.

There is no question in the minds of those who are not blinded by hatred of Russia that the Russian movement had its origin entirely in charitable motives and that it was intended as a response to the foreign aid given at the time of the great Russian famine some five years ago. The Russian newspapers point out in their appeals for subscriptions that had it not been for the aid extended to the Russian sufferers by Great Britain and the United States the death roll would have been much larger than it actually was. Quantities of grain have been purchased with the money raised by public subscriptions in Russia, and the Russian government has undertaken to forward the grain to India free of cost.

The Indian government is not able to cope with the situation, and unless imperial aid is extended the famine will prove one of the most calamitous visitations of the kind that has ever affected India.

Advices from Bombay show that the bubonic plague, which is supposed to have been imported into that city from Hongkong, where it raged with great violence about a year ago, is rapidly extending among the natives, who thus far have been the principal sufferers. Thousands of the residents have fled from the city, but their exodus is more than counterbalanced by the arrival of large numbers of victims of the famine who are pouring into the city in the hope of either obtaining work or of at least finding among the charitable relief from the pangs of starvation. These, weakened by want of food, quickly fall victims to the disease, which thus far has baffled the efforts of the physicians to control it.

The sanitary condition of the native quarters also tends to the spread of the disease, but the natives, with their usual fatalism, are not to be taught the benefits of cleanliness in their habitations and accept the plague as a visitation from their gods. It is thought that, unless the sanitary regulations can be enforced by the civil authorities, it will be necessary to call upon the military for assistance in compelling the natives to observe the health laws.—London Cable to New York Sun.

Emblem For Christian Churches.

Rev. Adam Clark of Holland, Mich., a Methodist minister, is agitating a scheme to have the Christian churches of this country unite upon a national Christian emblem or banner, to be pinned on to all Protestant pulpits, carried at the head of funeral processions and in Sunday school parades. The plan is to use the colors red, white and blue—the red to represent the blood of Christ, the white purity and the blue the bruises of Jesus.

Starvation Facing Thousands.

Officials report that the herring fishery at Fortune bay, Newfoundland, mainly undertaken by American vessels, is a total failure and that thousands of people along the barbors in the vicinity of where the herrings are usually caught are threatened with starvation. It is estimated that about 4,000 people are injuriously affected, and that most of this number will become a burden upon the colony.

He Wants Too Much.

An Ohio man has laid claim to the city of Minneapolis and part of St. Paul. This is going too far. The Ohio man ought to be content with the city of Washington.—Chicago Times-Herald.

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Comparison of Women's Feet.

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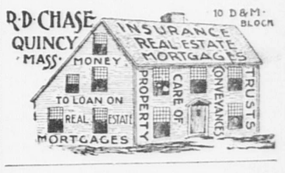
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Leave CITY HALL (10 minutes later from Quincy Point and 22 minutes later from North Weymouth)—5.45, 6.20, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8 50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, 11.20, 11.50 A. M.; 12.20, 12.50, 1.20, 1,50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20 4 50 5.20 (5.30 to East Weymouth car house), 5.50, 6.20, 6.30, 6.50, 7 20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.50 P. M.

Leave EAST WEYMOUTH (20 minutes later from North Weymouth and 30 minutes later from Quincy Point)—6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11, 11.30 A. M.; 12, 12.30, 1, 1.30, 2, 2.30, 3, 3.30, 4, 4.30, 5, 5.30, 6, 6.30, 7, 7.50, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11.30 P. M.

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7 29	a	7 48	8 30	cba	8 49 r
r 7 42	abc	8 00	9 30	cba	9 49 r
r 8 12	abc	8 30	10 30	cba	10 49 r
8 29	a	8 45	11 30	cba	11 49 r
r 8 42	abc	9 00	12 00	(xx)	12 15
r 9 12	abc	9 30	12 30	cba	12 49 r
r 10 12	abc	10 30	1 30	cba	1 49 r
r 11 12	abc	11 30	2 30	cba	2 49 r
r 12 12	abc	12 30	3 30	cba	3 49 r
r 1 12	abc	1 30	4 30	cba	4 49 r
1 46	(xx)	2 10	5 00	cba	5 19 r
r 2 12	abc	2 30	5 15	a	5 32
r 3 12	abc	3 30	5 30	cba	5 49 r
r 4 12	abc	4 30	6 00	cba	6 19 r
r 5 12	abc	5 30	6 15	a	6 32
r 6 12	abc	6 30	6 30	cba	6 49 r
r 7 12	abc	7 30	7 00	cba	7 19 r
r 7 41	abcdefghi	8 07	7 30	cba	7 49 r
r 8 08	abcdef	8 30	8 30	fedcba	8 53 r
r 9 12	abc	9 30	9 30	cba	9 49 r
r 10 08	abcdef	10 30	10 30	fedcba	10 53 r
r 10 34	abcdefghi	11 08	11 00	hgfedcba	11 27 r
r 11 12	abc	11 30	11 30	cba	11 49 r

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6 38	abcdef	7 00	4 05	fda	4 23
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r 9 12	abc	9 30	8 30	(xx)	8 45
r 12 16	(xx)	12 30	9 30	ihgfedcba	9 57 r
1 12	abc	1 30	10 30	ihgfedcba	10 57 r
2 16	(xx)	2 30	11 30	(xx)	11 45
r 3 04	abcdefghi	3 30	12 30	cba	12 49
r 4 04	abcdefghi	4 30	1 30	(xx)	1 45
5 16	(xx)	5 30	4 30	cba	4 49 r
r 6 08	abcdef	6 30	5 00	(xx)	5 15
r 9 08	abcdef	9 30	7 00	fedcba	7 23 r
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THE WEATHER INDICATIONS.

ALMANAC, FRIDAY, JAN. 8.
Sun rises—7:13; sets, 4:30.
Length of day—9:17.
Moon sets—10:34 p. m.
Full sea—3 a. m.; 3:15 p. m.
Forecast for New England: Generally fair, followed by increasing cloudiness this afternoon: variable winds.

Dr. Greene For Senior Vice-Commander.

Concord, N. H., Jan. 8.—Dr. J. Alonzo Greene of Moultonboro announces his candidacy for senior vice commander of the New Hampshire department, G. A. R. General A. S. Twitchell of Gorham is the present junior vice commander, and, following the custom, would be promoted.

Dedham Attachment.

Dedham, Mass., Jan. 8.—A $20,000 attachment was filed in the Norfolk registry of deeds late yesterday afternoon by Charles E. Hellier, a lawyer in Boston, on the property of Miss Ellen W. Duryea of Red Bank, N. J. The attachment was on an action of contract.

Bristol Wants New Jail.

Fall River, Mass., Jan. 8.—The Bristol county commissioners have elected Mr. Saunders as their chairman. The board favors the building of a county jail in this city provided the legislature will authorize the necessary loan, amounting to about $200,000.

Deering Objects to Annexation.

Portland, Me., Jan. 8.—At a meeting of Deering's board of trade last night strong resolutions were adopted against the annexation of that city to Portland, the board of trade claiming that to annex the city would seriously cripple its future progress.

Horsewhipped by Angry Woman.

Willimantic, Conn., Jan. 8.—Mrs. Kate G. Warner, a well-known woman, severely horsewhipped Nelson B. French, a local sewing machine agent, in the latter's store yesterday. Mrs. Warner says French slandered her.

Congregational Chapel Dedicated.

Concord, N. H., Jan. 8.—The new and beautiful crapel of the South Congregational church was dedicated last night with impressive ceremonies. The dedicatory sermon was preached by Rev. H. P. Dewey, the pastor.

More Arrests at Stamford.

Bridgeport, Conn., Jan. 8. — Barney Daily, George Bolles and Joseph Whyland of Greenwich, and John H. Lee and Fred Berg of Stamford have been arrested on charges of leasing buildings to poolsellers.

The Strong Will Case.

Hartford, Jan. 8.—Arguments were made in the supreme court yesterday in the Strong will case. Heirs of the late Theodore P. Strong of Plainville claim that a bequest of $100,000 to the poor is void.

Insurgents' Conditions.

New York, Jan. 8.—A special to The World from Washington says: General Maximo Gomez, commander-in-chief of the Cuban army, has sent through an intermediary to Senor Sagasta, Liberal leader in Spain, the conditions on which the Cuban insurgents are ready to treat with Spain for peace. These conditions are: First, the recall of General Weyler; second, restriction of the present almost autocratic power of the governor general; third, election of all mayors and municipal officers on the island by the people; fourth, a new postal system; fifth, a new system of international taxation; sixth, an increase in the Cuban representation in the Spanish cortes; seventh, an embodiment of these concessions in the form of a treaty with the United States government as a guarantee that they will be carried out after the insurgents lay down their arms.

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AYER'S Sarsaparilla
It was the Only Sarsaparilla admitted At World's Fair.
AYER'S PILLS for the Liver.

MEMORY OF JACKSON.

Democrats Gather In Several Places to Honor Their Patron.

Bryan League Banquet at Chicago.

Leading Silverites Including Ex-Candidates In Attendance.

Chicago, Jan. 8. — William Jennings Bryan was the guest of honor last night at the Jackson day banquet given under the auspices of the William J. Bryan league at the Tremont House.

The occasion was the celebration of "Jackson Day," and the silver wing of the Democratic party was well represented.

The time for the feast was 8 o'clock, and during the hour preceding it Mr. Bryan held an informal reception in the parlors of the hotel, at which nearly all of the 300 guests invited to the banquet called, as well as many others.

The banquet was the first held by the Bryan league, and in point of attendance was fully as representative of the entire state as any similar affair held in years.

Carter H. Harrison, the first president of the league, was at the head of the table, and acted as toastmaster, Mr. Bryan being seated immediately at his right. It was fully midnight when Mr. Harrison rapped for order, and in a few pleasant, well-chosen words, introduced Mr. Bryan. The latter was greeted with great applause when he rose to speak in response to the toast of "Andrew Jackson," and frequently throughout his address he was compelled to pause while his hearers took time to demonstrate their approval of his sentiments.

Mr. Bryan made a characteristic speech, in which he declared the promised prosperity, which was to follow Republican success, has not materialized. He reiterated his arguments on free silver, and declared that free coinage would ultimately triumph.

Following Mr. Bryan came Governor Altgeld, to whom had been assigned the subject, "Character and Mission of a Minority Party." Then came R. M. Ridgely, late postmaster at Springfield, who was recently removed by President Cleveland for "offensive partisanship." He seemed well in touch with his subject, for the reason, as he alleged, that he had lately "been up against it."

Governor Altgeld declared that the three Democratic conventions preceding that of 1896 had been dominated largely by corporation interests, and that the dominations had practically been dominated by the corporations. The convention of last year was, he declared, the first instance where the people had broken away from these influences and made a start for themselves. He predicted a brilliant future for the silver party, and in closing paid an eloquent tribute to Mr. Bryan, who had, he said, made the most phenomenal campaign in political history.

John W. Tomlinson of Alabama was the last speaker on the regular list, and he delivered an eloquent address upon "Memories of Heroic Conduct." After Mr. Tomlinson came a number of local members of the silver Democracy.

In McKinley's Town.

Canton, O., Jan. 8.—The Bryan Free Silver club of this city held last night what Allen O. Myers of Cincinnati, one of the speakers, and an Ohio Democrat of prominence, termed a post mortem over the recent election. It was a banquet intended to do honor to the memory of Jackson.

Covers were laid for nearly 500 guests. The woman's auxiliary to the club assisted in the arrangements, and many women were among the guests.

Toasts were responded to by General A. T. Warner of Marietta, Allen O. Myers of Cincinnati, Congressman-elect J. J. Lent of Columbus, Judge Blandin of Cleveland, and others. Letters from William J. Bryan, Hon. Richard P. Bland, Senator Stewart and J. R. Sovereign, were read during the celebration.

Mr. Bryan's letter said: "If we were right in the position taken during the campaign, we are still right. If our opponents were wrong during the campaign, they are still wrong. Post-election events only confirm me in the opinion expressed during the campaign, that no permanent and general prosperity can be expected under the gold standard. Experience is at least the test of political theories, and we can patiently abide the practical test to which the theories of our opponents will now be put, prepared to take advantage of their failure if they fail."

Jackson Day at Portland.

Portland, Me., Jan. 8.—Today is the 82d anniversary of the battle of New Orleans, and is known as Jackson day. It will be celebrated here by the ringing of bells and the firing of salutes at sunrise, noon and sunset, fireworks and a gathering of the prominent Democrats for speech making and the honoring of the memory of Old Hickory.

New Haven Democrats' Banquet.

New Haven, Jan. 8.—Local Democrats added a laurel wreath to the memory of Andrew Jackson last night, when a banquet was held. Speeches were made by well known men, and a telegram of felicitation was sent to William J. Bryan at Chicago.

Pennsylvania Militia Will Go.

Harrisburg, Jan. 8.—The entire division of the National Guard of this state will go to Washington next March to take part in the inauguration of President-elect McKinley. The official announcement was made yesterday by Adjutant General Stewart. It has been decided by the inaugural committee to assign the states in the column in the order in which they were admitted to the Union.

Baldwin Won't Let Go.

New Haven, Jan. 8.—Philip Hugo, the Democratic candidate for town agent, who by the court recount of ballots was found to have a plurality of 190 over Baldwin, his Republican opponent, yesterday made a formal demand for the office. Baldwin, who is the incumbent, refuses to surrender the office until the court so orders.

Gomez Retaliates.

Key West, Jan. 8.—General Gomez has at last begun work of reprisal against the Spaniards. He has put to death 114 prisoners and announced his purpose to keep up that policy until the Spaniards are brought to a sense of their duty toward humanity.

THREE NEW GOVERNORS.

Wolcott, Powers and Ramsdell Assume Their Official Duties.

Boston, Jan. 8.—Governor Wolcott and Lieutenant Governor Crane were sworn in yesterday, with the usual ceremonies,



ROGER WOLCOTT

including the reading of the gubernatorial message.

Augusta, Me., Jan. 8.—Governor Powers and other state officials were formally inaugurated yesterday morning,



LLEWELLYN POWERS.

which ceremony was followed by the reading of the governor's message to the legislature.

Concord, N. H., Jan. 8.—A large crowd attended the inauguration of Governor



GEORGE A. RAMSDELL.

Ramsdell yesterday, and heard his message read to the legislature.

X-Ray Penetration.

Pittsburg, Jan. 8.—The powerful X-ray machine constructed by Professor R. A. Fessenden of the Western university was on exhibition last night before the Academy of Sciences and Art at Carnegie. Professor James Keeler of the Alleghany observatory, in telling of the wonderful tests which the machine has been put to, said that it had already thrown a ray of light through four inches of solid iron, and he thinks later on it will be developed so that it will pierce six or eight inches, and intimated strongly that it may yet be utilized in inspection of armor plate.

North Dakota Senatorship.

Bismarck, N. D., Jan. 8.—The senate Republicans met in caucus and perfected organization and appointed a committee of two to confer with a committee from the house as to the time for holding the senatorial caucus. The indications are that Hansbrough will succeed himself, but an effort will be made by the Populists to secure the aid of enough dissatisfied Republicans to prevent a caucus, in the hope of helping electing a Republican who will concede something to them for their support.

Illinois' Senatorial Fight.

Chicago, Jan. 8.—The Times-Herald, whose editor, H. H. Kohlsaat, is believed to have the confidence of President-elect McKinley, has an editorial this morning urging the election of William E. Mason as United States senator. It says: "The election of Martin B. Madden would be a menace to the McKinley administration," and concludes with: "Those who are not for us are against us. No friend of President McKinley can vote for Martin B. Madden."

Seeley's Stag Dinner.

New York, Jan. 8.—The police commissioners yesterday began an official investigation of the recent affair at Sherry's, out of which charges against Captain Chapman emanated. The captain entered Sherry's while a dinner given to Herbert Seeley was in progress and found several well-known variety actresses there. It is reported that a well-known dancer performed for the diners in "the altogether."

Printing Added to Prison Industries.

Albany, Jan. 8.—The state prison commission has passed a resolution adding printing to the industries which may be carried on in the state prisons. This had been opposed by the labor organizations of the state, especially the printers' union. They regard it as the first step in the direction of performing in prisons the state departmental printing, which is now let out, and amounts to thousands of dollars annually.

Spectators Arrested.

Poughkeepsie, N. Y., Jan. 8.—Over 40 warrants have been issued for the arrest of the witnesses to the Catskill-Flanagan prize fight at Low Point on Monday last, as a result of which Flanagan is now lying at death's door. Twenty-five men have thus far been arrested and fined $10 each by Justice Abbott of Hughsonville. The balance will be disposed of on Monday.

Bakery Burned.

Haverhill, Mass., Jan. 8.—An overheated oven in the bakery of Chaput & Bugas last night did damage to the extent of $4000.

PERENNIAL CONTEST.

Both Houses of Congress Debating on Pacific Railroads.

Morgan's Proposed Solution of Matter.

Vote to Be Taken In Lower House Next Monday.

Washington, Jan. 8.—Several memorials were presented yesterday by Mr. Cullum (Rep. Ills.) in favor of the recognition of Cuban independence, and one from the Commercial club of Chicago endorsing the policy of the administration regarding Cuba.

Some progress was made on the bill for free homesteads on Indian lands, but a final vote was not reached. Mr. Platt opposed the bill in a lengthy speech, pointing out that it would cost the government a loss of many millions. It was disclosed during the day that Representative-elect Edward E. Robins was the author of the letters from Havana read in the senate Wednesday. The other Cuban development of the day was a joint resolution offered by Mr. Mills (Dem. Tex.), declaring that the power of recognizing a new republic resides in congress recognizing the independence of Cuba, and appropriating $10,000 for a United States minister to the republic of Cuba. Mr. Mills will speak on the resolution next Monday. The senate adjourned until Monday.

Senator Morgan of Alabama introduced a new bill providing a method of settlement of the Pacific railroad debts. It directs the appointment of a board of trustees for the Union Pacific and Central Pacific, and for the funding of the debts of the roads. It authorizes the secretary of the treasury to issue bonds of the United States in such amount as may be necessary for the redemption of the first mortgage bonds of the roads and in exchange for them dollar for dollar, the bonds not to be otherwise sold. The bonds are to run for 30 years, though it is to be optional with the government whether they shall be redeemed at any earlier or later date. The bonds are not to exceed $1000 in denomination, and are to bear 3 per cent interest. They are to be payable to bearer, the title to pass by delivery.

The secretary of the treasury is to take immediate possession of the lines of the road, together with telegraph lines, rolling stock and other property, the roads to be conducted as the property of the United States by a board of trustees composed of nine men, to be nominated by the president and confirmed by the senate. The office of Pacific railroad director is to be abolished. The bond provides for a sinking fund of 1 per cent per quarter of the bonds issued account of the roads, to be invested in government securities, the fund to be used at the discretion of the secretary of the treasury for the payment of the Pacific bonds. It is provided that the Union Pacific and Central Pacific and their branches shall be operated jointly as one through line. The amount of stock is to be reduced to correspond with the value of the property. It is expressly provided that the United States shall not be responsible for other than the bonded debts of the roads. No stockholder is to receive any dividend until the non-bonded debts are paid, nor until the interest on the bonds is paid. There is a declaration that the property is to be held in trust to be administered for the benefit of creditors, to be restored to the stockholders when all the debts are paid.

Senator Morgan also reintroduced, with some modifications, his bill of last session, giving the court of appeals of the District of Columbia jurisdiction over suits brought by the United States to enforce its liens over these roads.

On motion of Mr. Frye (Rep. Me.) the senate took up a number of bills relating to commerce and navigation. The house bill to amend the navigation laws was passed with senate amendments. It deals with the rules which govern vessels at sea and on the lakes and rivers. The bill as passed is a substitute for the house bill, but is essentially the same measure. It provides for shipping commission officers, for the shipment and discharge of sailors; fixes 72 cubic feet as the minimum space to be allowed each seaman on a large vessel, and makes minor changes in the regulation of lights, signals, settlement of seamen's estates, etc. The bill amending the laws relating to American seamen occasioned a long and fruitless debate, which led Mr. Perkins to characterize the talk as a "tempest in a teapot," whereat Mr. Hill protested against calling the senate a "teapot." The bill was finally laid aside, and at 5:30 p. m. the senate held a brief executive session, and soon adjourned until Monday.

The Pacific railroad funding bill, which is considered the most important piece of legislation which will come before congress at this session, came up yesterday in the house under a special order, which allows two days for debate under the five minute rule, with provision for a final vote on Monday next. There was a great deal of interest in the measure, and the members gave all the speakers very close attention. A huge map of the roads, with their feeders, was hung on a frame erected in the area in front of the speaker's rostrum, and served to illustrate many of the points made. There were only four speakers yesterday. Mr. Fower (Rep. Vt.), the chairman of the Pacific Railroad committee, who opened with an exhaustive two-hour argument in support of the bill; Mr. Hubbard (Rep. Mo.), the minority member of the committee who has charge of the opposition, and Messrs. Grow (Rep. Pa.) and Bell (Dem. Tex.), who spoke respectively for and against the measure.

Child Burned to Crisp.

Middletown, N. Y., Jan. 8.—Wilhelm Beerstein, a 4-year-old boy, set fire to his father's barn near this city, and was burned to a crisp. His mother heard him cry and rushed out. She saw the fire coming through the roof, and heard the child in a box-stall and tried to enter, but the fire drove her back. Again she made the attempt, but she was severely burned and forced to desist.

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They have no confidence in themselves, and only too often lose faith in their physicians.

All irregularities, whites, bearing-down pains, nervousness, headache, backache, "blues," distaste for society, sounds in ears, palpitation, emaciation, heavy eyes, "all gone" feeling, dread of impending evil, sleeplessness, etc., should at once be removed and vigorous health assured.

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NORFOLK, ss. COURT OF INSOLVENCY.

TO William L. Ripley, Edward E. Hoxie, Charles S. Ripley, F. E. Pinkham, and John H. Dinegan, all of Quincy, in said County of Norfolk, GREETING:

Whereas, Kimball J. Fenno and Asa P. French, the Assignees of the Quincy Cycle Company, an insolvent corporation having its place of business in said Quincy, have presented to said Court their petition, praying that this Court will declare void and cause to be surrendered and cancelled a certain mortgage of personal property running from William L. Ripley and F. E. Pinkham, doing business under the name of the Quincy Cycle Co., signed by William L. Ripley, as treasurer, to John H. Dinegan for one dollar and other considerations, date 1 Nov. 13, 1895, and recorded with the Records of Mortgagees of Personal Property of the City of Quincy, book 14, page 24, and for further relief as justice may require.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Court of Insolvency to be holden at Dedham, in said County of Norfolk, on the third Wednesday of January next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

And said petitioners are ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to each of you who may be found in said Commonwealth fourteen days at least before said Court; or if any of you shall not be so found, either by delivering a copy thereof to you wherever found, by leaving a copy thereof at your usual place of abode, or by mailing a copy thereof to you at your last known post-office address, fourteen days at least before said Court; and also, unless it shall be made to appear to the Court by affidavit that you all have had actual notice of the proceeding, by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in QUINCY DAILY LEDGER, a newspaper published in said Quincy, the last publication to be seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, George White, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-ninth day of December, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six.

JOHN D. COBB, Assistant Register.

W. W. JENNESS, Attorney, 87 Milk Street, Boston. 1-8-11

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FIELD & WILD.
Quincy, Aug. 13. tf

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He is now Cured, and He Thanks God and P. P. P., Lippman's Great Remedy, For It.

Mr. George Briggs, of Moore, Okla., suffered almost indescribable torment for three long years. Neuralgia held him captive. The right side of his face was so badly affected that the slightest touch would cause the unfortunate man intense agony. For several weeks he could open his mouth just wide enough to be fed with liquid nourishment, and in this manner life was sustained. Read the following extract from his letter: "Truth is stranger than Fiction."

NEURALGIA, CATARRH AND RHEUMATISM COMPLETELY CURED.

George Briggs, of Moore, Oklahoma, writes that P. P. P., Lippman's Great Remedy, cured him of catarrh, facial neuralgia and rheumatism, after three years of intense suffering. The pain lay in his cheek bone and temple, down the right side of his face, along his upper lip, and from the slightest touch he suffered agonies for weeks at a time. Could only open his mouth wide enough to admit a teaspoon, and any acid in his food would put him in torture. He had a consultation of the best physicians in Texas, but all to no purpose.

Catarrh and rheumatism were also causing him much trouble, until he tried P. P. P. He says he is well and will swear that there are no cases of neuralgia, catarrh and rheumatism, no matter how chronic or how old the cases at , that P. P. P. will not make a total cure of.

Mr. Briggs winds up his testimony by saying he thanks God and our medicine, P. P. P., Lippman's Great Remedy, for the great cure.

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NORFOLK, ss. PROBATE COURT.

TO the heirs-at-law and all persons interested in the estate of

ANDREW GRANEY,

late of Quincy, in said County of Norfolk, deceased, testate.

Whereas, Jane Graney, administratrix of the estate of said deceased, has presented her petition for authority to mortgage certain real estate therein described, of the estate of said deceased, to raise the sum of three hundred, nine and 42-100 dollars for the purposes of payment of debts.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Quincy, in said County of Norfolk, on the thirteenth day of January, A. D. 1897, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to each person interested fourteen days at least before said court, or by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the QUINCY DAILY LEDGER, a newspaper published in Quincy, the last publication to be one day at least before said Court.

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Mr. and Mrs. Joseph W. Johnson of Merry Mount road are holding their wedding "at homes" Thursdays during January. The first one was on Thursday and the many friends who called during the afternoon and evening found Mr. and Mrs. Johnson most delightfully "at home."

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The most fashionable color this winter is Florentine bronze, but blue still remains a favorite color.

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The Rev. James E. Bagley was in charge of the regular meeting of the Unity Club, which was held in the vestry of the Wollaston Unitarian church on Friday evening. A paper was read on Louis XIII by Miss Gertrude Sherman; Mr. George W. Bennett wrote a paper on Cornellies, which was read by Mrs. Bennett; and Mrs. Wellington Record read the final paper, which was on Richelieu and Literature. After the intermission, at which cocoa was served, Rev. Mr. Bagley gave a brief review of Ian Maclaren's latest work, and Mr. H. W. Lull spoke on "Quovadis" by Sienkiewicze. Professor Marcean of the Quincy Mansion school, rendered two vocal solos with great spirit.

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Master Brainard D. Feltis has issued invitations to his little friends for his second birthday anniversary, Jan. 20, at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Horace A. Feltis, of Bigelow street.

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The Unitarian Society is unusually social this month with its monthly supper, dramatics and hurdy-gurdy party.

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The Hospital Ten King's Daughters are in preparation for a dramatic entertainment to be given in a few weeks. Popular young ladies are to take the parts and to act as ushers.

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Mrs. Will W. Mayhew and Mrs. G. W. Caldwell of Braintree were among the fortunate ladies who attended the inauguration of Gov. Wolcott.

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The ties to be worn by the winter shirt-waist girl are half the width of those worn in the summer and are of changeable silk or in gay plaid.

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The Daughters of the Revolution in this city are to celebrate the anniversary of their organization on Wednesday January 27 by a Gentlemen's Night and reception at the parlors of The Greenleaf.

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The ladies of our city find The Greenleaf a very pleasant place to hold an afternoon gathering or evening reception. The parlors are large and accommodate large parties besides being as private and attractive as ones own home. The Greenleaf may become to Quincy what that handsome new hotel The Tuilleries has become to Boston.

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Some of ladies in the Unitarian society are planing to give a hurdy-gurdy party at Faxon hall this month. This will be something new for Quincy although they have been very popular and of frequent occurrence in some of the neighboring towns. Mrs. Wilson Tisdale is to arrange for the party.

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The Women's Alliance connected with First church is to give an operetta in the chapel on the twenty-second of January.

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Miss Florence Gilman gave a whist party to the Bachelor Maids at the home of her sister, Mrs. F. A. Smith, of Braintree, Monday night. There were sweet sixteen present. The first prize was won by Miss Mattie Mayhew and the second by Miss Edith Howe of Wollaston. A light lunch was served.

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Hon. and Mrs. Charles Francis Adams and daughters Miss Louise and Miss Elizabeth Adams sailed last week from New York on the Fulda for Genoa. They will spend the rest of the winter in traveling on the continent.

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Mrs. Frank Wrigley has written a charming operetta for children which is soon to be produced in Quincy for the benefit of the Episcopal church. The operetta is taken mostly from the Mother Goose melodies and fairy tales and abounds in bright catchy music.

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Miss Nellie Dyer of Braintree announced her engagement the first of the week.

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Scarcely an imported frock is to be seen without a wide girdle of some sort, and at the dressmaking establishments they have become epidemic. The girdle will not meet the fate of a novelty run into the ground, for all figures cannot wear it.

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Miss C. L. Bliss has returned from her winter vacation.

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Miss Victoria Wilde of Braintree spent the holiday vacation in Washington, D. C. She visited all the places of interest; sat in Tom Reed's chair, and took a trip to Annapolis and Mount Vernon. She gathered much valuable information which she will impart to her pupils in the Jonas Perkins school.

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Mr. James Milne and Mr. W. S. Osborne of this city are singing with the Cadets this year in their new comic opera, "Simple Simon," to be given in the Tremont theatre, the week of Feb. 8-13. Mr. Osborne will also take part in the production of "Pinafore on the half shell," to be given by the Bank Officers Association of Boston, the latter part of this month at the Bijou theatre.

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The engagement was announced New Year's day of Miss Alice M. Tirrell of South Weymouth and Mr. Henry T. Anglim a successful young business man of Brockton.

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Miss Mabel E. Adams, of the School board will read a paper at the annual reunion of the High School graduates on Friday evening next on "The Advantages of a High School to a Community."

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Miss Ruth Randall entertains at whist next Wednesday at her home on Adams street.

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The members of Adams Chapter, D. R., were delightfully entertained on Monday afternoon by Mrs. Henry M. Faxon at her beautiful home on Washington street. The February meeting will be held with Mrs. Lawis Bass, Granite street.

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Brussels net and tulle are much used for evening waists, and are found in all the new evening colors. Liberty gauze, also black mousseline-de-soie spangled is a radient tissue, the serpentine lines being the newest.

—It appears that during the last twenty years the sixteen original slave states have appropriated nearly $80,000,000 for negro schools, and as a consequence of this and the educational facilities afforded by northern capital, at least forty per cent. of the illiteracy of the colored race in the South has disappeared. In this connection it is important to understand, as the Washington Star affirms in the most decided terms, that "the South," though believing in the education of all their people both white and black, "is irrevocably committed to two propositions: First, it is determined to support negro schools by general taxation. Second, it is determined to keep the schools for whites and negroes separated. On these principles alone can the education of the negro in the South be safely and advantageously carried on."

—Representative Baker of New Hampshire has introduced a bill into Congress which proposes to give $30,000 to Prof. Langley of the Smithsonian Institution, $20,000 to James Seldon Cowden of Virginia and $20,000 to the war department for conducting experiments in aerial navigation.

—The gunning season at Silver Lake has closed. Some very good records were made there the past season. The Widgeon Point stand made the best record, 226 geese having been killed. At Lapham's Point 163 geese were brought down, and at Gunners' Point 89. The total being 478 geese killed.

—The counsel for Thomas E. Bram, who was convicted last Saturday of the murder on the barkentine Fuller, have petitioned for a new trial. Asa P. French, associated counsel with James E. Cotter, presented the petition to United States Circuit Court on Tuesday.

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Dance of the Pilgrim Fathers at Atlantic a Social Success.

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The airy gowns of the young ladies present made it a very attractive scene to the many on lookers, who found their enjoyment for the evening, watching the dancers rather than in dancing themselves.

Those present were:

Councilman and Mrs. F. E. Badger,
Ex Councilman and Mrs. H. L. Barker,
Ex-Councilman and Mrs. S. O. Moxon,
Ex-Councilman and Mrs. E. G. Hall,
Dr. and Mrs. D. A. Bruce,
Dr. and Mrs. W. G. Kendall,
Mr. and Mrs. James E. Curtin,
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Mr. and Mrs. John Carver,
Mr. and Mrs. Chas. R. Safford,
Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Cherrington,
Mr. and Mrs. Everett Pope,
Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Jelinek,
Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Reed,
Mr. and Mrs. Phineas Coombs,
Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Woodward,
Mr. and Mrs. G. Walter Gray,
Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Dorman,
Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Wilde,
Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Clare,
Miss Emma Curtin,
Miss Minnie Kolb,
Miss Henrietta Bates, Cohasset,
Miss Gertrude Hall,
Miss Daisy Bemis,
Miss Helen Bemis,
Miss Alice Coe,
Miss Florence Gray,
Miss Maud Gray,
Miss Dora Jewitt, No. Leyme Conn.,
Miss Eva Clare,
Miss Florence Wilson,
Miss Annie Bugbee,
Miss Jennie Ramsey,
Miss Ethel Dorman,
Miss Claudie Sherwood, Dorchester,
Miss Abbie Barnes,
Miss Donovan, Brockton,
Miss Lulu Nelson.
Miss Kate Lockett, Newton,
Miss Laura Hall,
Miss Ruth Bassett,
Miss Eva Bassett,
Miss Alice Whittemore,
Miss Emma Bradshaw,
Mrs. L. Bassett,
Mrs. Young, Dorchester.
Miss May Melzard,
Miss Marcia Wilder,
Miss Sadie Melzard.
Mrs. George O. Melzard,
Mrs. Elliot Wood,
Miss Bertha Richards, Somerville,
Miss Marguerite Hearn, Worcester
Miss Grace Pike,
Miss Grace Battison,
Miss Nellie Ross,
Miss Foote, Boston.
Mrs. Crane, Dorchester.
Frank Coe,
Edmund Hall,
Harry Wilder,
Richard Wilder,
Walter Winlock,
Walter Clare,
Joseph Eaton,
Frank Bugbee,
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Carl Whittemore,
Warren Nelson,
Winthrop Fearebay,
Henry Kolb,
Charles Munroe,
William Munroe,
James Warr, Waltham,
Arthur Warr, Waltham,
William Smith, Brockton,
Warren Weeks, Brockton,
Mr. Bedell, Boston,
Mr Pike,

The next party will be held Jan. 29th.

—Gen. Francis A. Walker, President of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, and one of the most prominent men among political economists, died suddenly early Tuesday morning at his home, 237 Beacon street, Boston of apoplexy. A few hours before his death he played games with his family, was jolly, and appeared in the best of spirits. He leaves a widow, three sons and two daughters.

—By the newly invented multiplex printing telegraph machine an operator can transmit a telegram written upon a typewriter and have it reproduced in typewritten form at the receiving end. In addition he can send over the same wire five or six different messages at the same time in one direction.

—The New England Farmer thinks the injuries to Ex-Governor Brackett from a fall down-stairs will confine him to his home temporarily.

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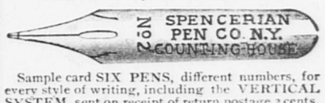
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LOST LIGHT.

I cannot make her smile again,
That sunshine on her face
That used to make this worn earth seem
At times so gay a place.
The same dear eyes look out at me.
The features are the same.
But, oh, the smile is out of them,
And I must be to blame.

Sometimes I see it still. I went
With her the other day
To meet a long missed friend, and while
We still were on the way
Her confidence in waiting love
Brought back to me to see
The old time lovelight to her eyes
That will not shine for me.

They tell me money waits for me.
They say I might have fame.
I like those gewgaws quite as well
As others like the same.
But I care not for what I have
Nor just for what I lack
One tithe as much as my heart longs
To call that lost light back.

Come back, dear banished smile, come back,
And into exile drive
All thoughts and aims and jealous hopes
That in thy stead would thrive.
Who wants the earth without its sun?
And what has life for me
That's worth a thought if as its price
It leaves me robbed of thee?

—Edward S. Martin in Scribner's.

THE RED HOUSE.

It was really a red house, but it acted upon the squire's irascible temperament like the red rag of the proverb, and he never caught sight of it without flushing angrily and bursting forth into a volley of furious epithets against its owner.

If the builder had only chosen a site at the north, where the red house would have been hidden behind the plantation of oaks and beeches, Squire Turnbull would have good naturedly sold him a piece of land for a mere song. But that he should have planted his ugly, staring, modern villa exactly in front of the squire's windows, interrupting his favorite view of the south downs and the sea, was an unbearable piece of impertinence. But this land at the south did not belong to the squire, and his rage was ineffectual.

Now, Mabel Turnbull, the squire's only daughter, a lovely girl of 19, was interested in the young doctor, who was both owner and inhabitant of the red house. This was not only because he was handsome and had quickly won a reputation for cleverness in the neighborhood, but because she had once come upon him in a country lane, and, unseen herself, she had watched him bind up the knee of a little village girl who had fallen and cut herself. He took the greatest pains over the simple dressing, using his own handkerchief as a bandage, and when he further comforted his little patient with a bright silver sixpence and a kiss Mabel Turnbull came to the conclusion that Dr. Gerard Massey was a man worth knowing. But she could not bring her father to her way of thinking. The red house was an intolerable obstruction to Squire Turnbull's cherished view of the south downs and the sea. Dr. Massey owned the red house and lived in it; therefore Dr. Massey was not to be tolerated.

It was not often that the two men encountered each other, and after their first meeting they passed without notice. On that first occasion Dr. Massey had lifted his hat, but the squire had deliberately turned his head aside, and the hint had been taken.

About a month after the doctor had taken up his abode in the red house the squire strolled down to the south gate of his grounds and went out into the road to see his daughter mount her bicycle, and after she had started he strolled along a little way that he might get a better view of her as she swept round a bend of the road. The old man's face glowed with pride and love when she waved her hand to him and vanished, and swinging swiftly round he planted his foot on a round stone which rolled on the hard road and threw him violently to the ground.

"I fear you have hurt yourself. May I help you?" said a voice beside him.

The squire looked up angrily and saw that he had fallen near to the gate of the red house just as Dr. Massey was coming out.

"Thank you, sir! I need no assistance," he said haughtily.

As he spoke he scrambled hastily to his feet and gave a sudden cry of pain as he put his wrenched foot to the ground.

"You have hurt yourself more than you think," persisted Dr. Massey. "Here is my carriage. Let me drive you home."

The squire was white to the lips with pain, but his pride rebelled against accepting a favor from the owner of the red house.

"Thank you!" he repeated decidedly. "I can manage with my stick."

"As you will," replied the other. "Good morning!"

He sprang into his carriage and drove away, while the squire began his slow and painful walk home. Reaching his library, he sank into his easy chair, with great beads of sweat rolling down his pale cheeks.

Having sent a servant for his own doctor, he proceeded to bathe and bandage his foot, and so busily was he engaged in his amateur doctoring that he did not hear the sound of wheels on the gravel without nor the commotion of many feet in the hall.

A sharp knock sounded on the door.

"Come in!" cried the squire, looking up.

Dr. Gerard Massey entered, looking grave.

Mr. Turnbull's face flushed dusky red with anger.

"How dare you come to see me uninvited?" he cried, flaring up passionately.

"Mr. Turnbull," replied Dr. Massey quietly, "I don't know why you hate me so, but you must try to forget it—for your daughter's sake. She has met with a severe accident. Luckily I came upon her as she fell from her machine, and I have brought her home."

"Brought her home?" repeated the squire slowly. "Is she dead, then?"

"No, not dead, and I trust she will not die, but she is in a very critical state and will need great care. Her head has been severely injured, and she is now unconscious."

The old man drew a long breath.

"I ought to apologize. I fear I have been rude, and I must thank you for what you have done," he said. Then he added stiffly, "I have sent for my own medical man, Dr. Travers, to attend to this confounded foot of mine, and I expect him every moment."

"Travers has been called suddenly to town and has left his patients in my care," replied Dr. Massey. "I am sorry, but I fear you must put up with me—for your daughter's sake. I won't trouble you longer than I can help. In the meantime let me put you comfortable."

Without waiting for permission, the young doctor went down on his knees, and in a few minutes his skillful hands had brought comparative ease to the injured foot.

"Now I must go back to Miss Turnbull," he said.

"Thank you. You are very kind," said the squire to the owner of the red house.

A year later Squire Turnbull stood looking gloomily out of his library window. His eyes were fixed on the red house, and he was using bad language under his breath.

Suddenly a smile overspread his face as a pair of bicycles came skimming noiselessly up the carriage drive, bearing his daughter Mabel and Dr. Gerard Massey to the front door. The sound of their laughter was heard in the hall; then there was a knock at the library door, and the young doctor came in alone. His handsome face was flushed, and he crossed the floor and took up his position beside the old man at the window.

"Squire," he cried impetuously, "you know my secret quite well. I needn't tell you how dearly I love your daughter Mabel. Will you let me tell her so?"

"Do you mean that you haven't told her already, sir?" returned the squire gruffly, hiding his twinkling eyes with frowning brows.

"No, I have not told her, but I—I think she knows."

"I dare say. Now, young man, tell me, do you claim her from me as your right because you saved her life?"

"I have no claim but the claim of a true love, and only Mabel's true love for me can respond to it."

"And what if I refuse my permission?"

"I shall wait a year, until Mabel is 21, and then I shall ask her without it," replied the young doctor firmly.

"And you think she would say 'Yes?'"

"Yes, I think she would."

"And so do I, Gerard, my boy, so do I!" cried the old squire heartily. "I don't see that there is any good in my holding out and keeping you both waiting a year for your happiness. But I must make a condition, you know. It's a father's right."

"What is it?" asked Gerard eagerly.

"You must come and live here. I won't get in your way. I only want a couple of rooms. And you must let me pull down that—that—that"—

"Pull down the red house!" cried the young doctor in amazement, seeing that the squire was pointing with a trembling finger toward his home. "Mabel and I will live with you gladly, if she will have me, but why not let the red house?"

"Because I hate it!" roared the squire in a voice of thunder, letting his pent up wrath burst upon Gerard's astonished ears in a single shout. "And I want my view of the sea!"

A sudden light flashed into Gerard's mind, and, with a gleeful laugh, he grasped the squire's hand.

"Agreed!" he cried.

And then he went to find Mabel.

This is how it came to pass that Squire Turnbull tore his red rag to shreds and became a man of peace. In other words, he pulled the red house to pieces. He spent the whole of the solitary honeymoon time in the joyful work of demolition, and when Gerard and Mabel Massey drove up to the door on their return they found the old man standing on the steps, bland and beaming and enjoying to the full his extensive view of the south downs and the sea. —Folks at Home.

The Cripple's Advantage.

This city has a wooden legged burglar that is a puzzle to the police. Every night for a week the mysterious individual has visited from one to half a dozen residences, wrecking larders and carrying off articles of clothing.

His tracks clearly show that he has one wooden leg, and as bloodhounds refuse to follow his trail it is supposed that both legs are artificial.

He has been sighted several times, but each time disappears so suddenly that those superstitiously inclined declare that he goes either straight up or straight down.—Kokomo (Ind.) Letter.

A Silent Club.

After the Comrades of Silence and the Academie Silencieuse of Paris comes an association of Vienna husbands who have organized the Club of Silent Ones. The members meet every Monday evening and dine in absolute silence. The least infraction of rules, a single word spoken, costs a bottle of champagne. That which cannot be made intelligible by signs the taciturn diners may write on the menus. Silence is also imposed upon the waiters who serve the dinner, and the steward may not even announce the wines. He merely suggests them by signs.

A Successful Club.

The "question box" of St. Bartholomew's Girls' club in New York is a plan employed by the club to gain general information. All sorts of questions are dropped into the box by such of the 600 members as feel the need of enlightenment on any topic, and once in every fortnight the president and vice president of the club meet with it, and the questions are read and discussed. This is one of the most successful working girls' clubs in New York city.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR.

Topic For the Week Beginning Jan. 10. Comment by Rev. S. H. Doyle.

TOPIC.—Spiritual power—whence it comes and how to get it.—Phil. iv, 4-13.

Spiritual power is power from God. It comes from the Holy Ghost. The disciples were told that they should receive power after the Holy Ghost had come upon them, and when the Holy Ghost descended at Pentecost they received power, spiritual power. The one thing that is needed above all others in our church life today is the power of the Spirit. There is too much of a tendency to depend upon human means and human agencies, societies, bands and organizations. God's work cannot be done by these alone. The Spirit works through them, and it is only when He does that the best results are accomplished. Spiritual work needs spiritual power. Not by night, nor by power, but by My Spirit, sayeth the Lord." "Paul may plant Apollos water, but God giveth the increase." After all the blessing, if it comes, must come from God. Spiritual things are not only spiritually discerned, but also spiritually accomplished. God's work must be done by God's power.

Spiritual power comes from God. How may we get it? It is a matter of satisfaction that it does come from God because we are assured that we may get it. God withholds not any good thing from them that love Him. Above everything else He is willing to give us power through the Holy Ghost.

1. We may get spiritual power by prayer. It comes from God. We get things from God by asking Him for them. "Ask and ye shall receive" is the command and promise. And how willing He is to give His Holy Spirit if we ask—more willing, Jesus says, than earthly parents are to give good gifts to their children. If we really want spiritual power, we should pray to God for it, pray earnestly and unceasingly for the outpouring of His spirit upon us. If we get a baptism of the Holy Ghost, we will have spiritual power.

2. We may get spiritual power by obedience. God gives power to those who serve Him. He gave the spirit to the apostles because they obeyed His command to tarry at Jerusalem until He gave them the power. Obedience is necessary to spiritual power. If we give ourselves up to the will of God, His will will possess us and He will work through us.

3. We may get spiritual power by using what we have. All spiritual power is from God. If we possess it to the smallest degree, it may be increased by use. Physical exercise is profitable. It strengthens and increases the power of the man. Spiritual exercise has the same effect exactly. It adds power to power until the Holy Ghost has complete control of us.

Bible Readings.—Isa. xl, 28-31; xlii, 1-4; lxii, 1-4; Mic. iii, 8; Zech. iv, 6; Luke v, 17; xxiv, 45-53; John i, 11, 12; Acts i, 8; vi, 1-8; viii, 9-25; Rom. xv, 17-19; I Cor. v, 3-5; II Cor. xii, 9, 10; Eph. i, 15-23; II Tim. i, 7; Rev. ii, 26.

The True Christian.

Christian love is not the dream of a philosopher sitting in his study and benevolently wishing the world were better than it is, congratulating himself, perhaps, all the time on the superiority shown by himself over less amiable natures. Injure one of these beaming sons of good humor, and he bears malice, deep, unrelenting, and refuses to forgive. But give us the man who, instead of retiring to some small, select society, or rather association, where his own opinions shall be reflected, can mix with men where his sympathies are unmet and his tastes are jarred and his views are traversed at every turn and still can be just and gentle and forbearing. Give us the man who can be insulted and not retaliate, meet rudeness and still be courteous—the man who, like the Apostle Paul, buffeted and disliked, can yet be generous and make allowances.—Presbyterian Banner.

For the Happiness of Others.

Wealth being the gift of God, it must not be used contrary to the wishes of the Benefactor. It is proper that a fitting token of gratitude be made to Him and that His example of well doing unto others be emulated by those who have themselves benefited by the exercise of this attribute. Hence proceeds an entirely different understanding of the uses of wealth. It is laden with responsibility. It demands unselfishness in its administration and requires that it be used not recklessly, not tyrannically, but for the happiness of all.—Jewish Exponent.

Missionary Campaigning.

A certain society of Christian Endeavor in the country had given nothing to foreign missions for two years, says The Golden Rule. A company of student volunteers, working as a missionary extension committee of the county union, made them a visit, and now 15 persons have taken the Fulton pledge and the society has voted money for missionary literature. Such are the results of active union missionary campaigning.

A First Mortgage.

The devil has a first mortgage on the sinner's soul, body and worldly possessions and is only waiting for a good chance to close it out.—Christian Instructor.

Evening Hymn.

The day is past and over.
All thanks, O Lord, to thee!
I pray thee now that sinless
The hours of dark may be.
O Jesus, keep me in thy sight
And save me through the coming night!

The joys of day are over.
I lift my heart to thee
And ask thee that offenseless
The hours of dark may be.
O Jesus, make their darkness light
And save me through the coming night!

The toils of day are over.
I raise the hymn to thee
And ask that free from peril
The hours of dark may be.
O Jesus, keep me in thy sight
And guard me through the coming night!

—Christian Herald.

A QUEEN ON SKATES.

LITTLE MISS MABEL DAVIDSON IS ASTONISHING LONDON.

As Graceful as a Bird on the Ice—Does Serpentines, Ringlets, Grapevines and Figure Eights With the Utmost Ease. She Is the Lady Champion Skater.

There is an American girl in London who can probably perform more wonders on skates than any other girl living. In fact, there are very few men who can equal the feats and the feet of Miss Mabel Davidson on the ice. At present she is performing—if a pleasure may be called "performing"—at the National Skating palace. She is a veritable "queen of the ice" and is a constant marvel to the Londoners. Never a fairy had lighter feet than this slender miss. She appeared last week before a crowd numbering thousands, and for an hour or more the Johnny Bulls and their wives and sweethearts were dumb with amazement.

Miss Davidson claims the title of the "champion lady skater of the world," and she certainly seems to deserve that honor. She swayed and turned and whirled and pirouetted and waltzed with amazing rapidity and grace. All her figures were cut so rapidly that few but expert skaters themselves could follow the changes.

Probably the tricks that were most applauded were a foot over foot movement and a forward and backward run in a sitting posture, one leg being kept straight out in front of the body. Miss Davidson appeared in a bright Scotch plaid frock, with a skirt that barely reached to the tops of her high boots.

Once upon the ice, she did not delay her performance a moment. She began by skating swiftly backward around the big rink. There was nothing particularly artistic in this. Many an English girl could have done the same thing.

Stopping suddenly, Miss Davidson reversed and came gliding around in the sweeping outside edge movement so familiar to all. The outside edge backward was more difficult and elicited a storm of applause. At the same time there were many who discounted Miss Davidson's work, apparently because it was so easily done.



MABEL DAVIDSON ON HER ICE BICYCLE.

Just when the spectators had made up their minds that the skater was rather ordinary Miss Davidson began to surprise them. She began with the cross roll forward, or the "foot over foot," as the English call it. Then the spectators changed their minds as to her ability. When she did the same thing backward with the ease and grace of a swallow in the air, their enthusiasm knew no bounds. They rose in their seats and ripped their gloves with applause.

When she had finished the foot over foot business, Miss Davidson began to cut fancy figures. First there was a huge figure 8, which she cut with her tiny skates with mathematical exactness.

A spread eagle forward carried her half around the rink. A spread eagle backward took her in the other direction.

Then came a grapevine so intricate and yet so well defined that the Englishmen could almost see the grapes on it.

"It's all right but the fruit!" yelled a man with mutton chops.

"I'll make the fruit for you," said the skater.

Then, with an indescribable twist of her body and a flash of skirts, she went whirling around so rapidly that the eye could scarcely follow her. She whirled on her heels, on her toes, on one foot and on both feet with the utmost ease, until the spectators were dizzy.

Pivot circling came next, and in this Miss Davidson is certainly the premier. There is probably no movement on skates so graceful and charming as that circling whirl. It is too difficult, however, for most skaters.

Miss Davidson then went back to the foot over foot figures which had so captivated the Englishmen. After a few minutes of this she began "sledding" around the rink—that is, sitting down while going at full speed and holding one leg straight out in front.

The skater concluded with a bewildering series of cross foots, serpentines, loops and ringlets that put the rink in an uproar. When she had finished, there was a loud volley of "Bravos!" and everybody went away convinced that Miss Davidson deserved the lady championship.—New York Herald.

He Was Short In Weight.

Frank Taggart, the young man who applied for a place on the New York police force and was a few pounds short of the requisite weight for his great height, 6 feet 11½ inches, is now said to weigh 211 pounds, or six pounds more than is required. He will try the examination again next spring, and if he succeeds he will be the tallest policeman in America and probably in the world. He has a brother on the Broadway squad, and the whole family are uncommonly tall and large.—New York Sun.

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Two Weeks' Temperature.

	This Week.	Last Week
Sunday	39	19
Monday	54	27
Tuesday	59	40
Wednesday	41	43
Thursday	34	45
Friday	29	35
Saturday	28	42

OUR ATTENTION has been called to the fact that the meeting of the Hospital corporation was called by the secretary of the trustees, although the name of the clerk of the corporation is signed. Whether this is legal, is not for the LEDGER to decide. In a measure it frees Mr. Adams from the comments yesterday, that he was working against the local post office and local printers, unless it be that he should not have attended to the business of his office. The fact remains, however, that the postals were purchased out of town and printed out of town.

SUBTERRANEAN STREAM.

Jury in a Court Case Recognize It at Foxboro.

An interesting litigation over water privileges involving the question of the subterranean stream which is supposed to run southerly through East Massachusetts, came to a conclusion yesterday in the Norfolk County Supreme Court, a jury deciding that the evidence showed the existence of such a stream.

The case arose over the suit of the Hollingsworth & Vose Paper Company against the Foxboro water supply district, the plaintiff claiming that the defendant had infringed upon its rights to water privileges in the upper reaches of the Neponset River in Norfolk County.

The paper company for many years has obtained its water under a special act, but lately the supply has diminished. The company laid the blame of the diminution on the water company and sued for damages. The defence of the water company was that its supply was in no way derived from the Neponset River, but from artesian well of great depth, which tapped the underground stream.

Through Cars to Hingham.

Commencing on Monday, Jan. 11th, through cars from Quincy to Hingham will leave at 7.20, 8.20, 9.20, 10.20, 11.20, 12.20, 1.50, 2.50, 3.50, 4.50, 5.50, 6.50. Return at 7.27, 8.27, 9.27, 10.27, 11.27, 12.27, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7.

After this date, only one car, instead of two, as has been the custom, will leave Quincy for North Weymouth at 5.20 P. M.

MOUNT WOLLASTON BANK. At the annual meeting of the National Mount Wollaston Bank, held on Tuesday last, the following gentlemen were elected directors for the ensuing year: Charles A. Howland, Walter T. Babcock, Horace B. Spear, Abner B. Packard, George L. Miller, H. F. Doble, Fred. L. Badger, Fred. B. Rice, George H. Field. At a subsequent meeting of the directors, Charles A. Howland, Esq., was elected president.

—The Pawtucket Gazette says, President McKinley's inauguration suit will be woven by an American factory from American grown wool, and his policy will be just as thoroughly American as his clothes.

—The general trend of Massachusetts cities now seems to be charter revision in the direction of one board form of government. The Waltham Free Press says the change is a wise one.

—There is one Maine minister who evidently does not work for pay. The Rev. L. C. Putman drives forty miles every Sunday to West Phillips, preaches three times, and receives just $2 for doing it.

—The Boston Home Journal says the laboring man will always have the sympathy of all right-minded citizens so long as in seeking his own rights he is careful to respect the rights of others.

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A GOOD VICTORY.

Quincy Bottle Pin Team Wins from McCarthys.

Now Tied With Three Clubs in Number of Games Won.

An Average of 2225 Pins for the Twelve Games.

The Quincys had a picnic last night in the City bowling league. They played the tailenders, the McCarthys, and won by nearly 200 pins.

The match was bowled on the McCarthys alleys, and the home team won the first string by 39 pins. The Quincys did some fine work in the second string, rolling up 804 to 616 for their rivals. This gave the Quincys a lead of 149, and they increased it by 23 in the last string.

The full score:

QUINCYS.

Bowler.	1	2	3	Total.
Wheeler,	150	149	136	435
Lennon,	144	175	138	457
Fratus,	137	185	170	492
Ross,	125	133	134	392
Peverly,	136	162	127	425
Team totals,	692	804	705	2201

MCARTHY.

Hall,	144	140	152	436
Harvey,	121	118	117	356
Manning,	138	112	143	393
Fossa,	147	115	142	404
Gateley,	181	131	128	440
Team totals,	731	616	682	2029

The Quincys who were tied for seventh place, are now tied for sixth with the Prospects and South Bostons, while they have won as many matches as the Rexfords who are number five in per cent.

In total pins the Quincys are about 2000 pins behind the leaders, paving a total of 26,705 for 12 matches, an average of 2225.

The standing in games and pins follows:

	Won.	Lost.	Points.
Carruth,	11	1	28,738
Boylston,	10	2	28,834
Sherman,	10	2	28,752
Meyers,	9	3	27,725
Rexford,	6	5	24,318
Prospect,	6	6	26,765
South Boston,	6	6	23,207
Quincy,	6	6	26,705
Shawmut,	5	7	26,926
Jameson,	4	8	26,520
Murray & Irwin,	4	7	23,606
Roxbury,	3	9	25,962
Columbia,	2	10	26,283
McCarthy,	1	11	21,435

BRAINTREE.

The concert given Thursday night in the Town Hall, under the auspices of the Braintree Brass Band, was indeed a big success. The boys have been in earnest and have worked hard, not only in their practice, but in their efforts to make the concert one to be remembered. They said they would give a good concert and they did it. They said they would fill the hall and they did it.

Mr. W. E. Dow moved into his new house on Thursday.

A new hydrant has been put at the corner of Ask street and Monatiquot avenue.

Mrs. N. R. Procter, Mrs. John H. Rogers, Mrs. John H. G. Robinson, Mrs. W. M. Morrison and Miss Ellen Dugey prepared the supper served in the chapel of the First church, Wednesday night.

Master Haven Belcher met with a very painful, and what might have been a very serious accident Tuesday afternoon about one o'clock. He fell from a wagon, striking on his back, and when he reached school it was noticed that he was not looking well. He was sent home where he immediately became unconscious and remained so for several hours. Careful medical attendance however brought him out of danger and he is getting along as well as could be expected.

Miss Eveline Hayward one of the oldest residents of Braintree is quite ill at her home on Tremont street.

Mr. Will Morrison is serving on the jury at Dedham.

Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Mischler are celebrating their silver wedding today.

The South church was crowded last Sunday evening to hear the Jubilee singers.

Benjamin Sidney Rudderham has been appointed station agent at South Cohasset. He will begin his duties next week.

Mr. and Mrs. Learned and others living at Five Corners have asked the Committee to lease them the West street school house, to be used for religious and social purposes.

The School Committee and teachers held a meeting Friday evening at the Monatiquot building where they listened to an address by Prof. Kipley, the author of the natural system of teaching music in the public schools. Mr. A. P. Soule, representing the publishers spoke on methods.

There is something significantly in favor of vertical writing in the fact that a large Boston college has sent out its calenders written in a vertical hand. This same college only a year ago pronounced the system a fad.

The Union Choral society had a very satisfactory rehearsal Wednesday night and arrangements are nearly completed for the concert to take place on the evening of the 13th in the Town Hall. The chorus will be assisted by a male quartette, a ladies' quartette, Miss Lottie Mae McKay of Boston, soprano soloists, and Miss Alice Thaxter Reed of Boston, reader.

OUR NEW YORK LETTER.

Mrs. Abbey's Generous Act — Underground Trolley For the Metropolis. The Rapid Transit Problem.

[Special Correspondence.]

There is a popular delusion that the stockholders of the Metropolitan Traction company spend the greater portion of their time in clipping coupons and drawing enormous dividends. That this was a mistake recent developments showed beyond the possibility of doubt. One of the lines, the Broadway, is an enormous money winner, but most of the others are nothing to brag of. The elaborate system of transfers which now prevails on the many lines of this company makes necessary an expenditure of only 5 cents, where formerly 10 and sometimes even 15 cents was necessary. As a result, while the traffic is said to have increased greatly, the receipts have not grown in proportion. Besides this there are the fixed charges in the way of guarantees to the former owners of the leased lines, all tending to limit the dividend earning capacity so dear to the street railway owner.

The Day of the Horse Past.

It has been pretty well demonstrated that the day of the horse as a motive power is past. The faster a car travels the greater its possibilities. The only point at issue with the Metropolitan traction people has been the exact motive power to be adopted. The cable, while quite successful on Broadway, is not cheap and is besides so apt to get out of order and cause vexatious delays that it was decided that it would not do. The compressed air motor cars have been given a trial by one of the companies and appear to have worked satisfactorily, but the Metropolitan has determined to use the underground trolley, similar in most respects to that at present employed on their Lenox avenue branch, which most people do not seem to think has exactly filled the bill. This fact leads to the supposition that a number of improvements must be in contemplation, for the lines on Fourth, Sixth and Eighth avenues will all be equipped with the underground trolley as soon as possible, which means that the work will be inaugurated in the spring, and that we shall have a long period of torn up streets.

The Rapid Transit Problem.

The interesting feature of this determination on the part of the Metropolitan Traction, however, is that the problem of reasonably rapid surface transit seems no nearer a solution now than it was five years ago. Another is the tempting opportunity offered to persons of an inventive turn of mind to devise the scheme which, when perfected by those who understand the technical part of the work, will result in the betterment of the present transportation facilities in large cities. To any one who may succeed in accomplishing this a fortune is certain to come within an incredibly short space of time. Naturally the knowledge of this fact has prompted hundreds to cudgel their brains systematically for the solution, but, as they have not yet found it, there is still room for others, especially since the history of inventions shows that the greatest are credited to people who had no remarkable technical knowledge of the subjects on which they labored and succeeded in making better.

Mrs. Abbey's Goodness of Heart.

It so seldom occurs in this selfish world, where almost everybody is engaged in the mad race for wealth, and where money is the god which so many worship, that one can be found who voluntarily does what is common justice that the fact is worth recording. When Henry E. Abbey died, a short time ago, as was expected his estate had practically no value, owing to recent disastrous theatrical speculations, with the resultant failure which immediately preceded his demise. His widow, from whom he had separated only a short time before, and to whom he had agreed to pay a certain sum per annum, of course suffered with the rest. Still she had a quantity of furniture, said to be worth $25,000, to say nothing of some very valuable jewelry acquired during the days of her husband's greatest prosperity. Mr. Abbey left a daughter by his first wife. This child had been reared in luxury, and the expense of continuing to give her all that she had been accustomed to, or even a tithe of it, would have been very great. Still there was no legal means of accomplishing that end. At this juncture the nobility of Mrs. Abbey's character asserted itself.

Back to the Stage.

Without any solicitation she came forward with an offer to turn over to the daughter of her husband's first wife half of what she had saved from the wreck, the interest on the amount of money realized from the sale of these effects to be applied toward the education and support of Miss Abbey. This deed was all the more commendable by reason of the fact that the young lady could not be said to be in dire need, as Messrs. Schoeffel and Grau, the surviving partners of her father, had made sufficient provision for her reasonable wants. What remains to Mrs. Abbey will not nearly suffice for her maintenance, but this plucky woman has no fear for the future. Prior to her marriage she was an actress known on the stage as Florence Gerard, and she feels confident, as she is still young and handsome, that she will be able to secure remunerative employment in her profession. It is even said that she has already succeeded in doing so, and it is to be hoped that the rumor is correct, for if ever a woman deserves prosperity it is this self sacrificing woman, whose act has been applauded wherever it has been mentioned outside of theatrical circles as well as within them.

JOSEPH RUSSELL.

Cricketers of Philadelphia are preparing for an invasion of England next June. They expect to meet all the crack teams of the other side. A schedule of 15 matches has been arranged.

COUNTY BUSINESS.

Real Estate Transfers, Probate, Insolvency and Court Cases.

During the year 1896 there were 28 petitions of insolvency filed in the Norfolk registry, five less than last year. There were three female judgment debtors. Of the insolvents last year two had no business.

During 1896 the number of new wills, administrations and all other cases recorded in the Probate registry was 772, or about the same as in 1895.

The number of criminal cases brought and entered in the Norfolk superior criminal court was 139.

The number of libels for divorce entered in the courts of Norfolk county was 36.

The number of actions entered in the Superior civil court was 482, an increase over 1895.

The number of equity suits entered in the Supreme court for Norfolk county was 21, and the law suits in the same court, 3.

The number of attachments received and recorded in the Registry of Deeds was 547, a small increase over 1895.

The number of petitions filed with the county commissioners was 11, or about the same as last year.

The transfers of all kinds in the Registry of Deeds for 1896 were 11,848 or 367 greater than in 1895. The year just closed makes this showing by months: January, 1078; February, 762; March, 819; April, 1105; May, 1091; June, 1260; July, 1146; August, 807; September, 896; October, 1053; November, 931 and December, 900. The number of transfers in 1895 was 11,481; in 1894, 9651; in 1893, 9591, and in 1892, 9711.—*Dedham Transcript.*

County Appointments.

The County Commissioners for 1897 have made the following appointments:

Physician at Jail and House of Correction,—Dr. Francis L. Babcock.

Inspector of Court House,—Albert F. Daniells.

Chaplain at Jail and House of Correction,—Rev. Edward W. Virgin, formerly of Quincy.

Engineer at Court House,—Charles F. Ingalls.

Librarian of Law Library,—Albert F. Daniells.

Engineer at Jail and House of Correction,—Charles F. Tingley.

Assistant Engineer,—Martin V. B. Merritt.

TODAY'S COURT.

Augustus Bowman and Elizabeth Bowman were arraigned for assault on their daughter, Margaret E. Bowman, at North Weymouth. Case continued one month.

The continued case of Nellie Baker and Nettie Teakles for the larceny of a certain quantity of household goods from Oliver Teakles, at Braintree, came up for hearing.

—The report that the Melville Gardens at Downer Landing are to be closed to excursion parties is confirmed.

—Caliente, Call., has a newspaper edited by a woman, which is written entirely with a typewriter and issued twice a month.

—There is a 100 year-old lady in England who does her own housework, cares for an invalid nephew and plants and digs potatoes to sell.

—A new electric road in Maine will carry passengers from 6 A. M. to 12 P. M., and freight between midnight and morning. The electric current makes little noise, but it's a hustler.

Summary of News.

The salary list of the bank of England, including pension, aggregates $1,500,000 per annum. There are 1,100 employes in the bank.

The Mahometans of India use the solar year, and in virtue of that fact are now nine years behind their brethren of Turkey and Arabia.

The woman with the longest hair is Miss Asenath Philpott of Gainesville, Tex., whose "crowning glory" measures 10 feet and 7 inches.

Louis McDonald of the lobster house at Portland pier, Me., has an albino lobster preserved in alcohol. It is the only specimen known.

An average of three British seamen lose their lives every day by drowning, and 300 British steamers and sailing vessels are lost yearly at sea.

It has been calculated that on a steamer like the Campania and Etruria more than 3000 articles of glass and china are broken on every voyage.

Sleep

Induced by the use of coca, opiate or narcotic compounds is bad, decidedly bad. They undermine health and shatter the constitution and the patient is steadily growing into a worse condition—often resulting in the terrible slavery and misery of the cocaine and opium habit. Sleep induced by the use of Hood's Sarsaparilla does not perhaps come as quickly, but it comes more surely and more permanently through nature's great restoring and rejuvenating channel—purified, vitalized and enriched blood. This feeds the nerves with life-giving energy and builds up the system and constitution from the very foundation of all health and life—the blood—pure, rich, red blood.

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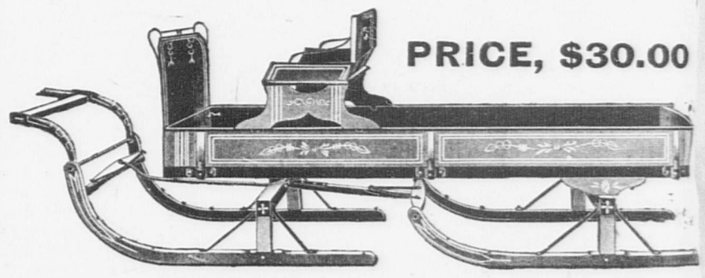
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If you see it in the paper over our name—it's so. If you doubt it, come and peep at the prices and the articles under them, and you'll see the truth that is stranger than fiction to our competitors. We claim to be the LEADING SHOE STORE, and invite an inspection of our stock, as a convincing argument to our claim.



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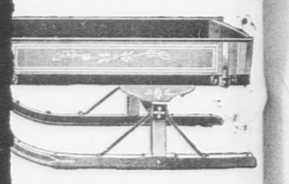
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The Granite City Club Rooms in Durgin & Merrill's Block.

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These are very desirable rooms, warm and pleasant in winter, and cool and airy in summer. Clubs or societies looking for good quarters will do well to look at these rooms.

Mr. Durgin or Mr. Merrill will be found upon the premises to show any one through the building who may call.

Quincy, Jan. 1.

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Match games may be arranged.

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Very Low Rent Enables Us to Undersell all Other Dealers.

Goods bought in connection with the other Guy stores. 50 carloads of goods last the combined stores but a short time. Goods bought at much lower prices than other dealers pay, therefore sold at much lower prices. Compare the quality and prices with any first-class store in Boston.



Please look at our new improved Oil Stoves. Balance of stock will be sold at $3.75. This is much under prices.

100 new Chenille Portieres, regular price, $6.00 per pair. We offer them while they last at $1.00 each.

200 rolls of Straw Matting, $3.50 per roll.

700 yards of remants of Linoleum Border, 9 inches wide, 5 cents per yard.

Hundreds of yards of Wilton Velvet Border, 9 inches wide, regular price, 75 cents; now 15 cents.

Hundreds of yards of Fine Sash Curtains at one-half price.

Fine Drapery Tassels, former price 15 cents; now 1 cent.

The Acorn, Magee, Hub and Household are the Queen Ranges. We have the largest line of Ranges from $7.50 up to be found in Quincy. Only a small payment needed to buy any one of them.

Chamber Sets, Parlor Suits, Lounges, Easy Chairs, and all kinds of upholstered goods at such low prices as you ought not to expect in the spring. Our stock is big and we wish to reduce it.

We continue to furnish outfits for housekeeping, all nice goods for 1$0.00 cash and $10.00 per month.

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Fair and warmer Sunday.

The music today is a quick march "Valiant."

Mary A. Whitcher, whose son was in the war, has been granted a pension.

The weather last night and today is of the kind that makes the ice men smile.

A story, music, Christian Endeavor column and other Saturday features in today's issue.

Chief Engineer Williams who has been ill for the past two weeks is reported as improving.

The newly elected officers of Merrymount lodge, A. O. U. W., will be installed next Tuesday evening.

An engine off the track at South Boston last night about 6 o'clock delayed all outward trains nearly an hour.

The City Auditor and City Treasurer will make their annual statement to the City Council on Monday.

The will of Miss Elizabeth Phelps, which left a bequest of $1,000 to Sailors' Snug Harbor, may be contested.

The new school building at Norfolk Downs will be open for public inspection this afternoon from 2 to 4 o'clock.

The sixth annual ball of the Milton Fire department will be held at the Milton Town Hall, Friday evening, Jan. 15.

There is considerable speculation as to the make up of President Bryant's committees which will probably be announced next Monday evening.

The installation of the officers of Manet Encampment, I. O. O. F., to have taken place last night did not take place as the deputy did not put in an appearance.

The Rev. William Clements, Mrs. Clements and their children, of Buxton Centre, Maine, are visiting relatives in Quincy for a few days. Mr. Clements will preach in the First Presbyterian church, Water street, Sunday evening.

Thomas M. Johnson of this city as grand deputy installed the officers of Clan McLeod, No. 101, O. S. C., of Hyde Park on Monday evening. He was accompanied by clansmen from this city. A fine entertainment followed the ceremonies.

The arrangements for the important religious conference next week in the First Presbyterian church have been completed by securing the Rev. C. S. Dewing, D. D., as the speaker for Tuesday evening. The opening address on Monday evening will be given by the Rev. Carey W. Chamberlain, pastor of the Dorchester Baptist Temple, and he will speak upon "Earnestness in Seeking Perfection," from the text, "Work out your own Salvation with fear and trembling." A cordial invitation is extended to the public to attend these meetings.

—A verdict for the defendant was given in the Superior court, at Dedham, yesterday in the water case of Hollingsworth & Vose Company vs. Foxborough Water Supply District.

Rheumatism is a Foe which gives no quarter. It torments its victims day and night. Hood's Sarsaparilla purifies the blood and cures the aches and pains of rheumatism.

Hood's Pills are the best family cathartic and liver medicine. Gentle, reliable, sure.

—The annual reunion of the Massachusetts Press Association will be held in the United States Hotel, Boston, on Monday next. The banquet will be served at 3 o'clock. The guests will be Governor Wolcott, Curtis Guild, Jr., Mrs. M. A. Ward, president of the New England Women's Press Association; and J. O. Hayden, president of the New England Suburban Press Association. Music will be furnished by the Highland orchestra of Woburn and Miss Florence Wood, soprano, of Newton. In the evening the party will be the guests of the Boston Theatre.

—A grand musical treat is promised at the Braintree Town Hall next Wednesday evening when the Union Choral Society of 150 voices will give its first concert. The chorus will sing "The Wreck of the Hesperus" and there will be soloists, quartettes, a large orchestra and other features.

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YOUTHS' DEPARTMENT.

The Little Lamb and the Lamb's Skin. Ships of the Desert—The Ostrich's Song—The Presidents.

"Baa, baa, baa, baa!" which meant, of course, in lamb language: "Oh, what shall I do? Please, mamma, come back to your little lamb."

The old mother sheep was dead, and the poor little lamb was feeling dreadfully sad and lonely without its kind mother, especially when it saw all the other little lambs in the field playing with their mothers so happily. What was to be done?

"Baa, baa, baa, baa!" which meant, of course, in sheep language: "Oh, what shall I do? Please, little lamb, come back to your mother."

In this case a mother had lost her little lamb. It was dead, and its poor mother was feeling sad and lonely, especially when she saw all the other mother sheep playing with their lambs so happily. What was to be done?

By and by the kind shepherd came along to look at the flock. He felt so sorry when he found the mother sheep so sad without her lamb, and a little farther on the little lamb so sad without its mother. At last he thought of this plan:

"Old mother sheep," he said, "just you come along and take care of this little lamb, as your own is dead." And when he came to the lamb he said: "Poor little fellow! Your own mother is gone. Be a good little lamb to this poor sheep, which is very lonely."

But, although the little lamb seemed willing, the old sheep would have nothing to say to the little stranger. It still called and called for its own little lamb.

The shepherd did not know what to do at first, but he soon thought of a remedy. What do you think it was?

He went away and fetched the coat of the little dead lamb and came back with it and put it on the little live lamb, and then he shut the sad mother sheep up with the sad little lamb dressed in the dead lamb's coat.

The old mother sheep was not long before she began to smell her own lamb's coat. She seemed to know it. Yes, it was the coat of her own little lamb. That was enough for her. What did it matter about the rest? If it was not her lamb's head and tail and legs, it was her lamb's coat, and she did not worry about the rest.

The old mother sheep and the little motherless lamb were soon the best of friends, and the last time I saw them they were living together very happily. A true story.

Ships of the Desert.

The Arabs very often move from one place to another, and in going from their old pasture to a fresh one they have usually to cross some part of the desert. Now, the desert is a terrible place to cross for those who are not supplied with camels, food and water, and unless the caravan is a large one robbers will often swoop down upon it and carry off everything. For this reason, when the night comes, the camels are formed into a ring, and all the women and the baggage are put inside, while the men take it in turns to watch.

Camels are called the ships of the desert. Their large, soft feet do not sink into the sand. They can carry great loads and go for 10 or 12 days without either food or water, for they have a curious sort of bag inside them, called a fifth stomach, in which they can keep a nice store of water. The man who possesses several camels is considered very rich. Some of the camels are trained to be so fleet that they can go 100 miles a day for several days over the burning desert.

The Ostrich's Song.

"Bromming" is a term applied in some sections to the unearthly sound that the ostrich imagines to be song. Here is what a writer in Bow Bells has to say about "bromming:"

When I first heard it, I actually mistook it for the trumpeting of a distant fog horn. In the desert it might well be a fit answer to the roar of the lion. So peculiar is the sound that I took pains to ascertain exactly how it was produced. The process, after all, is simple. The bird inflates his long neck till it looks like a big bag. He then lets the air out again in three installments. He blows thrice thus in succession, making nine roars in all. The performance is then over for the time being. Bromming is occasionally heard by day, but more usually breaks the silence by night and is probably meant as a challenge. Two of the herd are always on guard while their companions sleep. They take turns in this duty.

The Twenty-four Presidents.

Washington first of the presidents stands;
Next placid John Adams attention commands.
Tom Jefferson's third on the glorious score,
And square Jimmy Madison counts number four.

Fifth on the record is plain James Monroe,
And John Quincy Adams is sixth, don't ye know?
Next Jackson and Martin Van Buren, true blue,
And Harrison ninth, known as Tippecanoe.

Next Tyler, the first of the vices to rise,
Then Polk and then Taylor, the second who dies;
Next Fillmore, a vice, takes the president's place,
And small Franklin Pierce is fourteenth in the race.

Fifteenth is Buchanan, and following him
The great name of Lincoln makes all others dim.
Next to Johnson comes Grant, with the laurel and bays,
And next after Grant comes Rutherford B. Hayes.

Next Garfield, then Arthur, then Cleveland, the fat;
Next Harrison, wearing his grandfather's hat—
Adroit little Ben, twenty-third in the train—
And last in the list, behold Cleveland again.
—Ram's Horn.

Baked Sweetbreads.

Lard and parboil 2 heart sweetbreads. Place them in a baking dish. Baste well with butter. Add a half cupful of stock. Bake slowly. Baste almost constantly for a half hour. When covered with a rich glaze, dish and serve with hot peas.

SHED AND QUARRY.

A Prosperous Year Anticipated in the Granite Business.

This week the granite firms of the city started up their plants after a shut down of two weeks, although none of them have put on their full compliment of men as yet. Orders for spring delivery are coming in fairly well, although most of the orders are for medium sized work. The general feeling among the granite men is that business this year will be much better than for the past three years.

Prices as yet remain low and competition in trade is as sharp as ever, but with the increase in business the tendency of prices will be to increase, so that taking the situation as a whole the year of 1897 looks like one of prosperity.

Joss Bros. Co. report that considering the season of the year that they can not complain. They are booking quite a number of orders for spring delivery, and they are also shipping considerable finished work. Among the latter was a large sarcophagus of dark Quincy granite, the base of which is 6x3x2, and the whole was surmounted by a figure of "Memory." The members of this firm are hustlers and there are but few quiet days at their works.

C. H. Hardwick & Co. have recently opened up a new vein of rich very dark blue stock at their quarry, which is very handsome and takes a fine polish. The vein is in sheets 90 feet thick and 60 feet wide. They have also uncovered a large sheet of dark medium stock which is 200 feet long, 90 feet wide and from 6 to 11 feet thick.

Birnie & Diack started up this week with a few hands and will increase their force very soon.

Among the new work recently booked by A. Marnock & Co. are two square monuments of dark Quincy stock, the monuments are to be surmounted by largeu rns.

Prout Bros. Co. are fitting up a new office at their works and are getting ready for a rush.

The land and buildings of W. E. Turner at South Quincy were sold at mortgage sale yesterday by Auctioneer Crane. There were a few granite men present at the sale but they did not bid on the property and it was bid in by Herbert T. Whitman for $1,500. There were two mortgages on the property and these with unpaid taxes, expenses, etc., amounted to about $3,000.

McDonnell & Sons have booked a few orders for spring delivery. One of their new orders is for a sarcophagus memorial to be elaborately carved and surmounted by a figure of Christ. The bottom base is 7x5.

The Merrymount Granite Co., is very busy at its quarries, and orders are coming in faster than they can fill them. One of their new orders is for a nearly all-polished square monument of dark Quincy stock, the base being 6x6x1-6.

Among the new work booked by Joseph Walker of the Aberdeen Granite Works is a cottage monument with an all polished die and a sarcophagus job with the second base and die polished.

Fuller, Foley & Co. started in the new year with a fair amount of spring orders on their books.

Burns & McCormick report having secured a fair amount of spring work, mostly of medium sized work.

S. Henry Barnicoat has also booked a number of spring orders, among which is a square monument composed of alternate rock face and polished surfaces. It is to be of Quincy granite and the base will be 5x5.

Fred Barnicoat has no less than a dozen men at work cutting statues, which means that he has a dozen statues under way. He also has orders for nearly as many more upon his books and is busy.

Swingle & Falconer report that their volume of business in 1896 was a number of thousands of dollars more than in 1895, and they expect year 1897 will be the busiest they have ever had, as they have a book full of orders and are taking more every day.

T. F. Mannex reports that he has a fair amount of new orders, all of which is for medium sized work.

McIntosh & Son have cleaned up all of their old work and have started in this week on their orders for spring delivery, and they anticipate a busy season.

—Edwin P. Boggs has been reelected commodore of the South Boston yacht club for the fifth year.

HOOD'S PILLS cure Liver Ills, Biliousness, Indigestion, Headache. A pleasant laxative. All Druggists.

—That the Hon. B. Johnson of Mound Valley, Kansas, was duly elected to the legislature in that state last November was generally conceded at the time, but now he writes to "the hon. secrety of state topeka" and desires to know the "reasons whie" he "has received no certificait of election according to law."

MARRIED.

LORING—SHEEHAN—In Woburn, Dec. 30, 1896, by Rev. L. W. Slattery, Mr. Charles W. Loring, Jr., of Braintree, to Miss Ora L. Sheehan, of Woburn.

STODDARD — DUTTON — In Boston, Dec. 30 1896, by Rev. E. S. Wheeler, Mr. Edward G. Stoddard to Miss M. Etta Dutton, both of Braintree.

DIED.

HAGBERG—In Quincy, Jan 8, Erick E., son of Mr. John A. and Mrs. Annie J. Hagberg, aged 5 months and 6 days.

PRAY—In Weymouth, Jan. 8, Miss Alberta R., daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Pray, aged 11 years.

BLAKE—In Milton, Jan. 8, Mrs. Elizabeth, wife of Mr. James Blake of Capen street, aged 30 years, 1 month and 23 days.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS.

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" three days .....50 "
" one week .....75 "

Additional lines will be charged for pro rata. Seven words equal a line. Long term rates furnished on application.

LOST.

LOST—On Wednesday night, a black Fur Robe, green lined, between the City Hospital and Dr. Thomas Dion's house, corner Crescent and Cross streets, via Adams, Common and Cross streets. A suitable reward will be given by returning to DR. DION, or LEDGER office. jan7-tf

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FOUND—In Quincy, a Fox Terrier Dog, with collar. Apply at 27 Chestnut street. 8-3t

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—The very desirable House Lot No. 177 Wollaston Park, on the southerly side of Willow street, being the fourth lot from Elm avenue. It contains 5,250 square feet, is in a good location and less than one minute from electric cars. As the owner has made such a change in his business location as to make it useless for him to build on, he will make a very liberal discount from its cost to effect an immediate sale. G. W. TISDALE & SON, 178 Devonshire street, Boston. d29-12t

TO LET.

TO LET WITH BOARD—At Hotel Greenleaf, one suite of three front rooms, suitable for a family, also several bedrooms, all at very moderate rates. CHAS. A. HAYDEN. jan9

TO LET—House on Spear street, next to Public Library. Apply to G. W. MORTON. Quincy, Sept. 28—mws tf

TO LET—A Square Piano in good condition. Terms reasonable. Address W., LEDGER office. Quincy, Jan. 7. *3t

TO LET—Furnished room with furnace heat and bath. Rent reasonable. 29 Chestnut street, Quincy. Quincy, Jan. 1. tf

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New Year. New Prices.

Every thing at very low prices in order to make room for summer stock.

All Wool Shirts, 35 cts.
Gloves, worth 50 cts., only 19 cts.
Caps only 19 cts.
Sweaters, 70 cts.
Heavy Driving Jackets, 70 cts.
Men's Working Pants, 75 cts. up.

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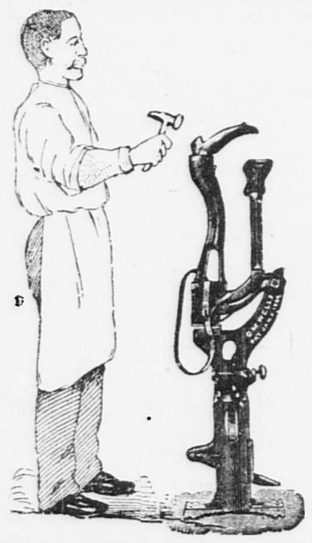
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Arctics, worth $1.25, 75c.; Rubbers, 50c, Rubber Boots at lowest figure; Felt in Rubbers, $2.00.
Repairing neatly done while you wait.
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FIRST WEEK OF YEAR.

What Bradstreet's Review Says of Business Conditions.

General Dullness Reported From Most Sections.

Almost a Record In Number of Failures For the Week.

New York, Jan. 9.—Bradstreet's today says:

With the exception of reports from a dozen South Atlantic coast and Gulf state cities, jobbers at nearly all distributing centers say business is dull and without new features. Demand has improved at Chicago and St. Louis for hats, hardware, shoes and dry goods, but trade in these lines is fair only. Colder weather has stimulated purchases of clothing at some points. Little general recovery from holiday dullness is reported as yet. At most centers salesmen are just starting out. Collections are reported unsatisfactory, but in many instances merchants express themselves as hopeful of a good spring business.

December bank clearings reflect the quiet condition of trade in that month. Total clearings at 68 cities for the month aggregate $4,689,043,000, a decrease of nearly 7 per cent from a year ago, but a gain of 2.3 per cent over January, 1896, the heaviest month's total in that year. Compared with December, 1894, the increase is 9.3 per cent, and with December, 1893, more than 15 per cent. Two groups of cities show increases for December over a year ago—the New England group 3 per cent, and the southwestern with a gain of 5.5 per cent. The heaviest decrease is that shown in the middle states, 9.7 per cent. For the calendar year 1896 total clearings at 68 cities aggregate $51,068,382,909, a decrease from 1895 of 3.9 per cent. Every group of cities shows a greater or less decrease. Of 75 cities, compared with a year ago, 25, or one-third, report gains and 50 report losses.

Total bank clearings for the week ending Jan. 7 (one day short), amount to $1,145,000,000, an increase over the total in the preceding week, also one day short, of 29 per cent, an extrordinary heavy gain. Clearings for the past week are also noteworthy for being only 7 per cent less than the corresponding total in the first week of January, 1896, which included six full business days. As contrasted with the first week in January, 1895, this week's clearings show a gain of 10 per cent, and they are nearly 14 per cent larger than in the corresponding period of 1894, while only 14 per cent less than the very heavy total in the like week of 1893, five months before the panic in that year.

There is no change in the wool market, manufacturers declining to buy until they receive orders for goods. More strength has been shown by boots and shoes since the first of the week. Iron and steel have been disappointing, as consumers evidently anticipate a further reduction in prices, and refuse to place orders. The week has been marked by exceptionally heavy orders of southern pig iron for export. Cotton goods remain as depressed, and the market is as unsatisfactory as heretofore, with lower prices reported.

Total stocks of available wheat, both coasts, United States and Canada, Jan. 1, are the smallest for any like date for five years, and supplies of wheat afloat for and in Europe on Jan. 1 are similarly the smallest (except for Jan. 1, 1895) for five years. The past six months of the cereal year shows a net increase of wheat stocks, United States and Canada, of less than 15,000,000 bushels, the smallest like increase since these records have been compiled, only one-third of the total net decrease in this country and Canada during the first six months of 1896. Earlier wheat crop reports by northwestern interests, that the export surplus of American wheat would be exhausted by Jan. 1, 1897, for the cereal year ending June 30, 1897, are met by the recent announcement that the export surplus, including reserves for July 1, next, amount to 100,000,000 bushels, and that wheat continues to go abroad weekly in spite of the calculations and estimates that we have no more to spare.

Exports of wheat (flour included as wheat) from both coasts of the United States this week amount to 3,108,683 bushels, as compared with 2,707,000 bushels last week, 3,471,000 bushels in the corresponding week of 1895, 2,409,000 bushels in the like week of 1894, and as contrasted with 3,308,000 bushels in the like period of 1893. Total exports of Indian corn this week, amounting to 4,819,261 bushels, constitutes the largest week's aggregate shipments reported. Last week the total was 2,742,000 bushels, and in the week one year ago it was 2,626,000 bushels. In the first week of January, 1895, the aggregate was 1,067,000 bushels, and in the like week of 1894 it was 1,570,000 bushels, while in the corresponding week in 1893 the total was 824,000 bushels.

The week's total of business failures throughout the United States is 488, one of the largest ever reported. This is contrasted with 329 in the last week of 1896, with 446 in the first week of 1895, 405 in the corresponding week of 1895, and with 486 in the like portion of 1894.

Dun's Review.

New York, Jan. 9.—R. G. Dun & Co., in their weekly review of trade, say:

The year 1897 begins with one clear advantage; the past year has swept out of the way a great number of unsound concerns which in any time of activity would have been dangerous to business. Of the 15,286 commercial and banking failures in 1896, with liabilities of $276,815,749, a large share represented crippling losses in previous years, or the violence of speculative storms in 1895 or the first half of 1896, while thousands more resulted from the fury of the political tornado last fall. Banking failures amounting to $50,718,915 during the year averaged $256,156 each, and were 145 per cent larger than in 1895.

Commercial failures amounted to $226,096,834, a little over $1,000,000 having been added by the last day of the year, but the average of liabilities, $11,992, was smaller than in some years of great prosperity. The failures of brokerage and "other" commercial concerns averaged $58,418 each, increasing 183 per cent over 1895, while manufacturing failures averaged $28,808 each, and increased 34 per cent, and trading failures increased net 18 per cent and averaged only $9606 each. Over four-fifths of the increase in manufacturing and trading failures was in lumber manufacturing, 170 per cent; dry goods, 50; woolen manufacturing, 161; clothing trade, 20; shoe trade, 87; leather and shoe manufacturing, 167; grocery trade, 33; machinery, 70; milling, 117; furniture, 90, and printing 97 per cent. In 10 other branches the increase was moderate in amount, and in five, with the unclassified manufacturing in trading failures, the liabilities were smaller than in 1895.

While banking failures have not ceased at the west, apprehension about them has almost wholly subsided, and no serious influence upon general trade is now expected.

Wheat rose to 92 cents on Monday, but has declined again to 89.25 cents, while Atlantic exports, flour included, were 2,037,900 bushels, against 2,337,936 last year. The trade accounts indicate a great quantity in farmers' hands, enough to permit more than 100,000,000 bushels to be exported in the remaining six months. Cotton started up a shade, but receipts from plantations are still too large for low estimates, and the condition of the cotton mills foreshadows curtailment rather than large consumption. The market for goods is extremely slow, as many infer that the unprecedented stocks of print cloths indicate a similar surplus of other goods. The logic is bad, but in many branches the mills have doubtless manufactured goods anticipating a demand which has not come. It is now proposed to relieve the market by selling quantities of print cloths abroad or by locking up 2,000,000 pieces until the market improves. The only change in quotations is ¼ cent reduction in some bleached goods.

Stocks of wool Jan. 1, not owned by manufacturers or farmers, are 123,558,080 pounds domestic and 26,844,000 foreign, according to the Boston Commercial Bulletin, and the official estimate of production shows a decrease of 20 per cent in three years, but sales are only 3,885,000, against 6,694,300 in 1896. In woolen goods the only change is a reduction of 7½ cents in clay worsteds and mixtures, and orders are not more frequent. Orders for boots and shoes have almost ceased, except for a few qualities, which have been advanced only 2½ to 5 cents in price, but jobbers are buying a little more as stocks run low. Leather is stiff and hides a shade stronger.

PILOT NOT CALLED.

Supposed Important Testimony in Bram Case Left Out.

Halifax, N. S., Jan. 9.—There is considerable conjecture in he minds of many Halifax people who are following the Bram case as to why the pilot who brought the Herbert Fuller into Halifax was never called as a witness at the trial. He was the first person to board the ship from the shore, and was therefore the first person outside the crew with whom the principal persons in the case held any conversation relative to the murders. Pilot White was informed when he boarded the barkentine off the harbor of what had taken place, and he was told more or less of the circumstances of the affair.

Before the pilot boarded the barkentine he noticed that the vessel was acting strangely. After standing in for the port for some time she suddenly put about on her course and stood off again. The morning was clear, and the action of the vessel was strange. The pilot went alongside and was informed from the rail that there had been mutiny and murder on board. The pilot signalled to the pilot boat to keep the barkentine company for a short distance in case he required help.

Pilot White's conversations with Monks, Spencer, Brown and Bram should be most important. The condition of the ship and many other things might be elicited from a competent cross-examination. The pilot having sailed the vessel for several miles, might also give expert testimony as to lashing the wheel. It is regarded at a little singular that the prosecution in the case failed to call so important a witness.

It may be further stated that a well known captain in Halifax who was aboard the Herbert Fuller very early on her arrival, had an important interview with both Brown and Bram while they were in irons.

MINISTER TAYLOR

Gives Spanish Govern ment Advice on Cuban Affairs.

New York, Jan. 9. — A Washington dispatch to The Journal says: Secretary of State Onley has received a dispatch from the American minister, Hannis Taylor, in Madrid, announcing that the Spanish minister of foreign affairs, the Duke of Tetuan, has formally invited him to give an opinion on the Porto Rico reforms as a practical measure of self-government for Cuba

Mr. Taylor declared the scheme to be worthless.

The Duke of Tetuan then asked Mr. Taylor his opinion of the greater reforms for Cuba promised in the preamble to the declaration of Porto Rico reforms.

The American minister replied that the reforms were too vague to inspire any confidence in America. He urged the Spanish government to make a definite declaration of its purpose to grant full local self-government to Cuba coupled with economic reforms, as a basis for negotiating peace.

Secretary Olney was delighted at the news that Spain had at last officially recognized the consultative rights of the American government in the settlement of the Cuban war. He at once laid Minister Taylor's message before the president. After a conference with Mr. Cleveland, Secretary Olney cabled to Minister Taylor, saying: "Your opinions emphatically indorsed," and instructing the minister to urge upon the Spanish government the necessity for prompt action.

The importance of ths news can hardly be exaggerated. It s the first step toward the acceptance of American mediation.

Millions Brought Unhappiness.

Los Angeles, Jan. 9.—W. C. Creede, the millionaire miner for whom the town of Creede, Colo., is named, has been separated from his wife. They have agreed to dissolve at once, as far as possible, without legal process, the marital bonds. A stipulation was drawn and signed several days ago by which Mrs. Creede accepted $20,000 casn in hand and surrendered all further claim upon her husband, at the same time voluntarily withdrawing from his home in this city.

Died From Eating Strychnine.

Farmington, Me., Jan. 9.—Johnny Dobbins, who accidentally shot himself with a rifle while climbing over a fence last Saturday, is dead. He was 12 years of age, and considered one of the brightest pupils in the senior class at the grammar school.

GOLD BUG DEMOCRATS.

Celebration of Jackson Day at Chicago Auditorium.

Speech of Editor Watterson of Louisville.

Warhorses of Old Democratic Party Gathered at Banquet Table.

Chicago, Jan. 9.—The Auditorium was filled to overflowing last night with national Democrats from the middle west, northwest and south. The occasion was the annual celebration of Jackson day.

Fully 500 men attended, and the banquet was in many respects a notable affair of its kind. Letters were received from President Cleveland, Secretary Morton and Senator John M. Palmer, and a large number of Democrats throughout the country sending messages of regret.

The parlors of the hotel were crowded early in the evening, while a general reception was held until the doors of the banquet hall were thrown open at 7 o'clock.

Behind the head of the table at which sat Franklin MacVeagh, the toastmaster of the evening, was arranged a beautiful effect brought by the skillful draping of a number of American flags. It was over two hours after the banquet hall was opened before the toastmaster rose to address the assemblage.

Mr. MacVeagh congraulated all present and "all true Democrats upon this significant gathering, because it is a timely testimony and a distinguished testimony to the permanence of Democratic principles, and the occason fits the day. Those whom we represent have a right to Jackson's day, for it has been given to them as it was given to him, to defend both the fortunes of the nation and the principles of the Democratic party."

As Mr. MacVeagh took his seat, Mr. Watterson, who was to address the company upon "The Future of Democracy," rose to his feet. The ringing cheers that greeted him made it impossible for several minutes for the eloquent Kentuckian to proceed with his remarks.

Mr. Watterson said in part: "If Old Hickory were alive, and could look in upon us at this moment, I have an impression that he would conclude that the Democracy, of which he was the embodiment, is not only not dead, nor sleeping, but that it lives and moves and has its being, and is scheduled to stay! Let us assume that he is here; that his spirit hovers over us, and likewise the spirits of all the Democratic sages, from Jefferson and Tilton to that bravest of the brave, that incomparable cavalier of the Old Bay state, who gave up his young life that Democracy might live, on the very threshold of the last battle for honor, country and truth. During one night at least let us consecrate this noble theater as a temple of Democracy, of Democracy unterrified and undefiled; the only kind of Democracy which Jefferson taught and Jackson practiced!

"It was said during the political campaign which closed Nov. 3 last that what we call American institutions were on trial; and, in a sense, it may be said that what we call government is, more or less, always on trial. If, in the creation of the world, God had meant to make anything perfect, He would have begun with man, whom we are assured He designed after His own image. But man, at once the source and resource of government, is, among living things, most fallible, and, as nothing can raise above its own level—except Populism and protection—human institutes are apt to sink somewhat below that level. The strife to fix it high or low arises out of divergencies in opinions among the combatants. My reading of history, however, is wholly at fault if the good of man be not the final result of every conflict; for I truly believe that, in the long run, truth is mighty and will prevail."

Mr. Watterson referred to the patriotism of Americans, which he said was exemplified in the late campaign, when millions of citizens who did not believe in protection voted for McKinley and millions voted for Bryan, who had no thought of striking at public order or repudiating a dollar either of public or private indebtedness. "As far as I am concerned, and no man's Democracy can go back of mine—though I got it of Jefferson, and not of Tillman and Altgeld—whenever good morals against bad morals, good money against bad money, government against the mob, are the issues, I shall go with that party which stands true to the public credit and order, no matter where it takes me. But, following this law of my being in the campaign just ended, I surrendered none of my original, individual opinions. To my mind one issue absorbed all other issues. The public credit was at stake, and, with it, the pubic order. The defeat of Mr. Bryan, the election of Mr. McKinley, for the time being, secures us both."

The speaker reviewed the history of political parties in America, and said: "In the late campaign the Chicago platform stood for 'organizing anarchy,' the Republican platform for 'organized capital. On this latter platform, can the vote that elected Mr. McKinley be held together? If I thought so I would not be here tonight. I do not think so. On the contrary, I think that vote will go to pieces if it be not cemented by something more cohesive than the protective theory of tarff legislation and a Republican fiscal policy, which, to say the best that can be said of it, is yet but a spectre bridegroom at the marriage feast."

Assistant Secretary of the Treasury Hamlin followed Mr. Watterson and talked on "Our National Administration." He was warmly received. His speech was full of praise of Andrew Jackson, President Cleveland, Simon P. Buckner, John M. Palmer and Secretary Carlisle.

Letters from President Cleveland, Secretary Morton and John M. Palmer were read and enthusiastically greeted.

General Buckner received an ovation when he arose to speak for the state of Kentucky.

John P. Irish of Californa spoke for the far west. Other speakers of the evening were Virgil P. Kline, who responded for Ohio: Washington Irving Labb, who was charged with messages from the gold Democracy of Iowa: T. J. Mahoney, who replied to the toast of "Nebraska;" J. McD. Trimble, who represented Missouri; Daniel W. Lawler from Minnesota and Hugh Ryan from Wisconsin. All these speakers told of the condition of the gold Dmocracy in the states from which they had come, and all made enthusiastic promises of the future prospects and usefulness of the party.

DOCTOR CONVERTED.

Discards Materia Medica for Christian Science.

New York, Jan. 9.—Christians rejoice at the conversion to their doctrines of Dr. Frank W. Haviland of New York, an allopathic physician of 15 years' standing, who has packed away his medicines and surgical instruments and added the words "Christian Scientist" to his shingle.

Whatever be Dr. Haviland's motive in making the change, it hardly can be ascribed to a desire to increase his practice, for his fellow physicians are holding up their hands in horror, and his patients are dropping away as fast and chillingly as hailstones.

The doctors cannot be blamed for the view they take of it, for Dr. Haviland, with the enthusiasm of a new convert, says:

"Nine-tenths of all the cases of sickness that a regular practicing physician is called to treat would get well without any medicine and without any professional attention whatever. But the physician takes the responsibility of the case and gets the credit of curing the patient, and so he builds up his reputation, knowing that he does not deserve half the praise that his patients give him.

"This very fact makes the physician skeptical regarding what he hears about Christian science healing, but he is drawing conclusions from an absolutely wrong premise, for the fact is that nine-tenths of all cases that go to the Christian Scientists for treatment are those that have been pronounced incurable by the medical doctor, and when we come to realize that the majority of all those cases are perfectly and permanently healed we can form some idea of the wonderful workings of the science."



DR. FRANK W. HAVILAND.

Dr. Haviland was graduated from Long Island college in 1881 and served his time in the New York hospitals. Much of the large practice he has acquired has been surgical.

He says he has been studying Christian science for nine years. When his attention first was called to it, he was interested in medical jurisprudence and finished works he had mapped out in that line before taking up the study of divine metaphysics.

Years of study and attendance upon lectures and meetings of the Christian Scientists at last decided him to try the treatment upon some of his patients.

In every case that has come under his observation, Dr. Haviland says, with one exception, a case of a peculiar nature, the treatment has been successful.

Asked to define Christian science as he understood it, Dr. Haviland explained that it differed from hypnotism, faith cure, mind cure and many other "isms" in that it was an absolute science, capable of demonstration.

"It is what Christians lived and practiced for 300 years after Christ," he said. "It is what the church lost through the union of church and state.

"The shortest answer to the question, 'What is Christian science?'" continued Dr. Haviland, "is: It is truth. It is what Jesus Christ taught and commanded his followers to practice. It is the science of mind. It is the practical application of truth and the solution of all problems of life. It is the searchlight by which all the lost treasure of ancient days is brought to view."

Workingmen Testified.

Washington, Jan. 9. — Workingmen played the principal parts in the tariff hearing yesterday by the ways and means committee. Delegations of operatives from the big organizations of glass blowers, flint and lime glass workers, the bottle and window glass blowers of Illinois and Pennsylvania, and the potters of Trenton and East Liverpool, O., spoke. All told the same story of decreased wages, mills running on short time and general distress under the operation of the Wilson law. F. L. Bodine of Philadelphia spoke for the manufacturers of cylinder window glass and Congressman Taylor of Ohio for the potters, gave interesting illustrations of ruinous competition from Japan. F. C. Patridge of Rutland, Vt., presented a schedule agreed upon by all the marble interests, and minor interests were also represented.

Turkish Troubles.

Constantinople, Jan. 9.—Owing to the refusal of the Turkish authorities to admit the dragomans of the embassies to be present at the trial of Mazhar Bey, French and Italian ambassadors have recalled their dragomans and have strongly protested to the porte demanding the transfer of the trial of Mazhar Fey, who is accused of being responsible for the murder of Father Salvatore, an Italian priest, who was killed in the convent of Jenidjekale, at Marash, in 1895, by Turkish troops commanded by the bey. The ambassadors insist that the latter shall be tried by a competent and impartial tribunal here, instead of at Marash.

Five Children Drowned.

Plato, Mo., Jan. 9.—News has reached here of the drowning of five children on Saturday, the 2d, as a result of the floods in Texas county. Thomas Wilson, accompanied by his daughter, Mrs. Kinnery, and her five children, attempted to ford Prairie creek, which was very high, as a result of recent rains. The team became unmanageable, and soon lost their foothold. The wagon, weighted with its human freight, sank, and the side boards floated away, throwing the entire party into the water. Mr. Wilson and Mrs. Kinnery succeeded in getting to shore, but the children were drowned.

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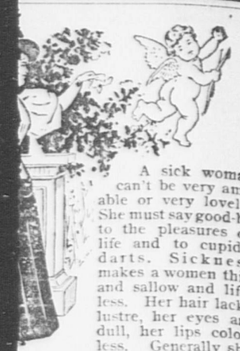
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Prof. Dixi Crosby, M. D., LL. D., who for thirty-two years was at the head of Dartmouth Medical College, belonged to the famous Crosby family of physicians, which for several generations has furnished more distinguished medical men than any other family in America. His father was Dr. Asa Crosby, of Dartmouth, who procured the charter of the State medical society, of which he was for thirty years a conspicuous member; one brother, Dr. Josiah Crosby, invented the invalid bed and the method of making extensions of fractured limbs by adhesive strips; another brother, Dr. Thos. R. Crosby, was chief surgeon in Columbian College Hospital during the war, and later professor of animal and vegetable physiology at Dartmouth College; while Dr. Dixi Crosby himself was the inventor and discoverer of various important improvements in medicine and surgery, including a new and unique mode of reducing metacarpophalangeal dislocation, opening of abscess at hip-joint, etc., etc.

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HEARST DENOUNCED.

Sensational Speech of Congressman Johnson of California.

Members of House Surprised at Vituperation Used.

Cooper of Wisconsin Unmercifully Scores Huntington's Man.

Washington, Jan. 9.—It is a long time since there has been such bitter debate over any measure which was not strictly political in character as that which is going on in the house of representatives over the Pacific railroad funding bill, which is to be voted upon on next Monday, and the fate of which will determine the course of the administration.

The intense feeling of the partisans on both sides of this measure, which divides all parties in the house, culminated yesterday in an extraordinary attack by Representative Grove Johnson of California, a friend of C. P. Huntington, upon W. R. Hearst, whom he characterized in language not often heard in the house of representatives. He was not called to order, as he would have been if he had used such language about an official or a member of either house.

He described Mr. Hearst and Mayor Sutro as men who were terrorizing the Pacific coast members and made statements concerning the former which led Mr. Cooper (Rep. Wis.) to characterize it later as the most disgraceful attack in the legislative annals of the United States. The members, who had been listening attentively to Mr. Johnson's remarks, as he always is one of the most entertaining speakers in the house, were thunderstruck at the length to which he went. Once at the last session, Mr. Johnson denounced Mr. Hearst, but on that occasion he was called to order by Mr. Maguire of California. Yesterday he completed his phillipic without interruption.



W. R. HEARST.

When Johnson concluded his speech there was an ominous silence on the floor. Mr. Arnold of Pennsylvania made a brief speech for the measure, but the house was still buzzing with the sensation created by the California member. When Mr. Arnold finished, Mr. Cooper (Rep. Wis.), one of the strongest foes of the Pacific Railroad bill, now as in the past, took the floor. About the first words that fell from his lips intensified the situation.

"In view of what has been said by the gentleman from California," he said, "about the editor from California—in view of the exhibition which we saw here—is, I think, one of the most disgraceful known in the annals of the legislative history of the United States, the attacking of a man absent from this place, in a manner only known to cowards, blackening his name, ruining it (if it were in the power of the gentlemen from California to ruin anybody who has ever had any reputation at all) to the best of his ability, I feel it proper for me to say at least a few words."

Mr. Cooper then paid high tribute to Mr. Hearst and the hard work he had done to build up his papers, and declared that he did not think that anything he had done entitled a member to attack him as the gentleman from California had done. Mr. Cooper turned to Mr. Johnson and continued: "Let the galled jade wince. The gentleman was in a Republican district. He boldly championed the funding bill, and he is buried under a majority of 5000.

"The gentleman from New York whom he so infamously and wilfully maligned is not responsible for his defeat. It is the knowledge that the people of the state of California have that the power of the Southern Pacific Railroad company, whom the gentleman from California presumes to be championing here on the floor in the face of the people, has been used to their detriment. They know of the manner in which that corporation has for years past treated the people of that state.

The people of California have been treated more shamefully by this corporation than any commonwealth in the history of the United States has been treated by any other corporation, railroad or otherwise. They have destroyed or crippled enterprises, they have destroyed the business of individuals, they have dictated to the merchants how they should conduct their business, imposed hardships upon farmers, business men, merchants, dry goods men, lumbermen, merchants in every class of business, and made to feel their heavy hand all those who undertook to ship their freight in opposition to this company.

"The Republican party repudiated the funding bill. Why? Because they did not want to aid the tyranny of the Southern Pacific over the taxpayers of California."

Mr. Cooper then calmed down and continued his arguments. Throughout his reply to Mr. Johnson the latter sat quietly in his seat at the rear of the hall. He made no response.

General debate closed yesterday. Today the bill will be taken up for amendment under the five-minute rule. Those who spoke yesterday were Messrs. Patterson (Dem., Tenn.), Johnson (Rep., Cal.), Arnold (Rep., Pa.), and Hepburn (Rep., Ia.) in favor of the measure, and Messrs. Harrison (Dem., Ala.), Boatner (Dem., La.), Swanson (Dem., Va.), McCall (Rep., Mass.), Wheeler (Dem., Ala.), Cooper (Rep., Wis.), Shafroth (Rep., Ia.), Bell (Pop., Colo.), Parker (Rep., Ida.), against it. Mr. Harrison gave notice of a substitute he should offer to provide for a commission to consist of the secretary of the treasury, secretary of the interior, and attorney general to negotiate the settlement of the debt.

GENERAL F. A. WALKER.

Funeral Services of Late Educator Held in Boston.

Boston, Jan. 9.—The funeral services, simple to a marked degree, in comparison with the distinguished career of the late General Francis A. Walker, were held in Trinity church at noon yesterday. Those in attendance included men of letters from all over the country, statesmen, and students who had gathered to pay their final tribute of respect to their late colleague and instructor.

The church was unadorned and somber, and the capacity of the building was taxed to its utmost by the large number present. No eulogy was pronounced, but the impressive burial service of the Episcopal church was delivered by Rev. E. Winchester Donald, the rector.

The body was borne from the house at 11:45 and was taken to the church under escort of students of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology.

The honorary pallbearers were Governor Wolcott, representing the state; Mayor Quincy, representing the city; Professor Asaph Hall, representing the National academy; William Endicott, Jr., of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology corporation; Professor J.D. Runkle, M. I. T. faculty; President M. E. Gates, Amherst college; Professor G. J. Brush, Yale; President Charles W. Eliot, Harvard; Colonel J. G. Hazard, Loyal Legion; Colonel Henry Lee, Museum of Fine Arts; Hon. Samuel Green, Massachusetts Historical society; John C. Ropes, Military Historical society of Massachusetts; Solomon Lincoln, St. Botolph club; Colonel Thomas L. Livermore, M. I. T. executive committee. The body bearers were students from the Institute of Technology.

MAN AND WIFE TORTURED.

Aged German Farmer and Wife Gave Night's Lodging to Two Thieves.

Chicago, Jan. 9.—Christopher Wartenburg, an aged German farmer, and his wife, who live on a farm near Lace, Du Page county, about 35 miles from this city, were tortured by robbers on Tuesday night, and are now dying.

The couple were found at their home late on Wednesday, bound, gagged and with their feet frozen in tubs of snow.

The Wartenburg farm is remote from the public highway, and it was only by the chance call of a neighbor that the condition of the old couple was discovered.

Mr. Wartenburg was revived sufficiently to tell his story. Two strangers, he said, giving their names as Clark and Heinke, and their residence as Chicago, called at the house on Tuesday night and asked for a night's lodging, offering payment. They were accommodated, and retired.

At midnight the farmer and his wife were aroused by the men, who presented revolvers and demanded to know the whereabouts of a large sum of money supposed to be concealed about the premises.

The old couple protested that the had no money. Mrs. Wartenburg was then seized and bound and her feet thrust into a tub filled with snow. Her suffering and her husband's pleading failed to move the robbers, who, presently, treated the aged man in a similar manner.

WIFE'S TERRIBLE FIND.

Her Husband Killed and Body Dragged Long Distance.

North Duxbury, Mass., Jan. 9. — The mutilated and dead body of Jay Augustus Hawkins was found by his wife in front of their home in this town yesterday morning. The man had fallen from his seat on the wagon in which he was returning from Kingston, and had been caught in the wheel. It was evident he could not extricate himself from his position, and the horse started to walk home and crushed every rib in his body. After this the unfortunate man had been dragged along the road for a long distance, the horse having finally halted at its master's home.

Hawkins went to Plymouth to transact business, returning later in the day to Kingston, and hitched up the team. On his way home he stopped at a friend's house and drank some cider. Later this friend found Hawkin's hat on the road. From marks near this spot, it is thought Hawkins stopped his team and attempted to alight to get his hat, when the fatal accident happened.

Medical examiner Hill of Plymouth rendered a verdict of accidental death. Mr. Hawkins was 46 years of age, and left a widow and two children.

Flood Sufferers.

Quincy, Ills., Jan. 9.—Farmers who have been down from the Indian Grove district report that the water in the flooded portion, 15 miles above here, is subsiding very slowly, and that there is much suffering among the water-bound families and their stock. Several men went to the aid of the sufferers, and after cutting their way through the ice, reached four families, who had been calling for help for two days, and part of whom had lived on parched corn for three days. The Quincy Humane society is also taking an active part in relieving the washed-out and water-bound families.

Steamer to Be Sold at Auction.

Mystic, Conn., Jan. 9.—The executors of the estate of the late Samuel S. Brown of this place have given notice of their intention of disposing of a part of the property of the deceased by auction. In the estate are two fine menhaden steamers, the G. S. Allen and the Samuel Brown, the estimated value of each being about $35,000. The steamers will be sold at auction in New London, Jan. 19, and it is reported that sympathizers with the Cuban insurgents are prepared to buy the two steamers.

Prisoner Prefers Death to Idleness.

Sing Sing, Jan. 9. — Frederick Hoffman, a convict in the prison here, attempted to commit suicide here, because of depression from lack of employment. He threw himself over the railing of a gallery, where he was taking exercise, to the floor, 75 feet below. He was fatally injured. Hoffman, who was a printer, told Warden Sage last night that he feared his mind would give way unless he had some work to do. Prison labor was abolished in all the penitentiaries of this State Jan. 1.

Carriage Opening at Amesbury.

Amesbury, Mass., Jan. 9.—The week of Feb. 22-27 was selected yesterday as the date for the annual carriage opening here which has been a feature of the trade in New England for nine years past. Ten thousand finished carriages will be shown and thousands of visitors from every state in the Union are expected to be present.

FATHER OF THE HOUSE.

Speaker Reed Will Add This to His Other Distinctions.

The father of the present house is old Judge Culberson of Texas, who entered the Forty-fourth congress in 1875 and has served ever since. He will not be a member of the Fifty-fifth congress, another Democrat, John W. Crawford, having been elected to succeed him. Mr. Reed began his service in the Forty-fifth congress in 1877 and has never missed a re-election. He will therefore be the oldest member of the next house in point of continuous service. Congressman Harmer of Philadelphia entered congress in 1871 and would be entitled to the distinction so long held by Judge Kelley of Philadelphia were it not for the fact that he failed of election to the Forty-fourth congress.

General Bingham of Philadelphia began his congressional career in 1879, two years later than Speaker Reed, and will share with Benton McMillin of Tennessee the distinction of being the oldest member on the floor of the house. Uncle Joe Cannon of Illinois came to Washington as a member of the Forty-third congress in 1873, thus antedating Mr. Reed, but Cannon's constituents refused to re-elect him to the Fifty-second congress because of an alleged vulgar remark which he made in a speech during the exciting debates of the stormy Fifty-first session. Galusha A. Grow of Pennsylvania will be the only member of the next house who can boast that his congressional record began 46 years ago. There is a hiatus in his legislative career, however, as he skipped from the Thirty-seventh to the Fifty-third congress. But as the indications are that Speaker Reed will be re-elected as presiding officer of the next house, although not without some show of opposition, through the death of Charles F. Crisp, Mr. Grow will be pointed out to visitors as the only living ex-speaker of the house of representatives now in congress, having presided over the deliberations of the lower branch of the Thirty-seventh congress.

A well known Republican congressional leader, whose attention was called to Speaker Reed's double distinction, declared that it will be the first time in the history of congress, so far as he knew, where the title of "father of the house" has been held by a speaker.—Washington Cor. Philadelphia Inquirer.

NEW EXPRESS CAR.

Michigan Central Uses a Portable Arsenal to Guard Its Train.

"The western roads which are now and have been bothered with train robbers may decide to adopt a style of car now being used on the Michigan Central between Chicago and New York," said a railroad official. "This car is a regular man-of-war on wheels and has given great satisfaction. It is attached to the express leaving Chicago every evening. The 'guard' car is lined inside with steel, as also are the doors and floor. Midway on each side of the car is a steel box projecting from the sides about six inches and about three feet in length and a like width. There are portholes in front and on each side, and through these a rifle can be operated. A man with a repeating rifle can get a full sweep of either side of the train, front or rear.

"A like arrangement is built on each side of the roof of the car, to reach which a platform is built inside. A man can stand on the platform and shield his head in the steel box and can range his rifle to bear upon objects either on top or along the sides of the train.

"Arranged on racks in the car is a small arsenal in the way of shooting arms, and everything else connected with the car indicates that if bandits attempt to get into the car they run a great risk of being hurt. Had one of these cars been attached to the train recently held up in Blue cut, Messenger Frier could, unaided, have given the band a warm reception."—Chicago Record.

MOON A MILE AWAY.

Wonderful Telescope to Be Shown at Paris In 1900.

One of the many wonders of the great Paris exposition of 1900 is to be a telescope of gigantic power. We hear from Paris that the object lens is to be 51 inches in diameter and that the huge instrument will bring the moon within an apparent distance from us of one mile. To accomplish this, however, the telescope must embody other new features than merely gigantic size, as reports from leading astronomical centers in the country show.

For comparison's sake the diameters of the object glasses of the greatest telescopes in the world are here given: The largest in existence is the Lick, whose object glass is 36 inches across. The second largest is at Pulkowa, Russia, with a glass of 30 inches. The third is at the University of Virginia, its glass being 26 inches. Harvard has the fourth largest, with a 24 inch glass, and the fifth in size belongs to Princeton college. The famous Yerkes telescope glass, the latest of the celebrated productions at Cambridge, Mass., is rated at 40 inches diameter.—New York Herald.

Corn Is Legal Tender.

The following notice is published in several Kansas county newspapers and referred to editorially: "Corn is legal tender. We have a large amount due on subscription. We will allow 20 cents a bushel for corn on both old and new subscriptions. Bring on your corn." One newspaper in northern Kansas has been forced to build several cribs as a result of this notice.

Alix to Trot Again.

Jack Curry has arranged with Morris Jones of Red Oak, Ia., to train and drive Queen Alix, 2:03¾, next season. Mr. Jones gave her long, gradual work the past season, which hardened her cords so that she took fast work without flinching in the fall.—Trotter and Pacer.

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On and after Friday, Jan. 1, 1896, cars will make trips on week days as follows:

Quincy and Neponset.

Leave CITY HALL for Neponset—6.00 A. M., 6.15, 6.30, 6.45, 7.00, and every 15, 30, 45 and 60 minutes past the hour until 7.00 P. M., then every half hour until 10.50 P. M. Cars leaving Quincy on the hour via. Norfolk Downs, except 6.00 P. M.

Leave NEPONSET—6.22 A. M., 6.37, 6.52, 7.07, 7.22, and every 7, 22, 37 and 52 minutes past the hour until 7.00 o'clock, then every half hour until 11 P. M.; last car for Quincy at 11.15 P. M. Cars leaving Neponset 22 minutes past the hour via. Norfolk Downs.

Quincy and East Weymouth.

Leave CITY HALL (10 minutes later from Quincy Point and 22 minutes later from North Weymouth)—5.45, 6.20, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, 11.20, 11.50 A. M.; 12.20, 12.50, 1.20, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20 4.50 5.20 (5.30 to East Weymouth car house), 5.50, 6.20, 6.30, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.50 P. M.

Leave EAST WEYMOUTH (20 minutes later from North Weymouth and 30 minutes later from Quincy Point)—6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11, 11.30 A. M.; 12, 12.30, 1, 1.30, 2, 2.30, 3, 3.30, 4, 4.30, 5, 5.30, 6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11.30 P. M.

Quincy and East Milton.

Leave CITY HALL, 5.55, 6.25, then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 8.55 P. M., then at 9.50 and 10.50 P. M.

Leave EAST MILTON, 6.30, 7.00 A. M., then on the hour and half hour until 9.30 P. M., then at 10.20 and 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and Holbrook.

Leave QUINCY for SOUTH BRAINTREE and HOLBROOK at 6.10 and 6.40 A. M., and every 10 minutes past and 20 minutes of the hour until 10.10 P. M. Last car leaves at 10.50 P. M. On Saturdays the last car leaves Quincy at 11.50 P. M.

Returning cars leave HOLBROOK for SOUTH BRAINTREE and QUINCY at 5.55 and 6.25 A. M., and every 25 minutes past and 5 minutes of the hour until 9.55 P. M. Last car leaves Holbrook at 11.30 P. M.

☞ On Sundays on the Weymouth route cars will leave Quincy on the hour and half hour and East Weymouth at quarter past and quarter of the hour.

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r 7 12	abc	7 30	7 30	cba	7 49 r
7 29	a	7 48	8 30	cba	8 49 r
r 7 42	abc	8 00	9 30	cba	9 49 r
r 8 12	abc	8 30	10 30	cba	10 49 r
8 29	a	8 45	11 30	cba	11 49 r
r 8 42	abc	9 00	12 00	(xx)	12 15
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r 12 12	abc	12 30	3 30	cba	3 49 r
r 1 12	abc	1 30	4 30	cba	4 49 r
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r 4 12	abc	4 30	6 00	cba	6 19 r
r 5 12	abc	5 30	6 15	a	6 32
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r 7 12	abc	7 30	7 00	cba	7 19 r
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r 9 12	abc	9 30	9 30	cba	9 49 r
r 10 08	abcdef	10 30	10 30	fedcba	10 53 r
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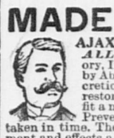
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r 4 04	abcdefghi	4 30	1 30	(xx)	1 45
5 16	(xx)	5 30	4 30	cba	4 49 r
r 6 08	abcdef	6 30	5 00	(xx)	5 15
r 9 08	abcdef	9 30	7 00	fedcba	7 23 r
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*The letters in the same line as the figures stand for different stations and indicate that trains stop, as follows:

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EAST MILTON—William Clark's periodical store and his carriers.

EAST WEYMOUTH—George H. Hunt.

WEYMOUTH LANDING—W. E. Cunningham.

NO. WEYMOUTH—B. F. Thomas.

THE WEATHER INDICATIONS.

Sun rises—7:13; sets, 4:31.
Length of day—9:18.
Moon sets—11:36 p. m.
Full sea—3:45 a. m.; 4 p. m.
Forecast for New England: Fair; warmer; northeasterly winds.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

Church services are inserted in this paper without charge, but none will be accepted to run until further order. A notice should be sent each week even though it is but a renewal. Give subject and special services when possible. Let all churches be represented—EDS.]

1ST SUNDAY AFTER EPIPHANY.

UNITARIAN CHURCH—Rev. Ellery C. Butler, pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Preaching by the pastor. Sunday School at 12 M.

BETHANY CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, junction Hancock and Chestnut streets—Rev. E. N. Hardy, pastor. Morning service at 10.30 A. M. Subject: "The Gift." Bible School at 12 M. Junior C. E. at 3.30 P. M. Young People's meeting at 6.15 P. M. Praise and preaching service in auditorium at 7.30 P. M. Subject: "Miscalculation." Church prayer meeting Friday evening at 7.30.

UNIVERSALIST CHURCH—Rev. W. H. Preble pastor. Morning service at 10.30 A. M. Preaching by the pastor. Sunday School at 12 o'clock.

FIRST UNITED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH—Orangeman's Hall, 110 Hancock street. Rev. W. W. Dornan will preach Sunday morning at 10.30. Subject; "Security in Christ." Sunday School and Bible class at the close of the morning service. Christian Endeavor society at 6.30 P. M. Preaching at 7.30 P. M. Subject: "Why gaze into heaven?" A cordial invitation and royal welcome to all.

CHRISTADELPHIAN CHURCH — At 7 P. M. the subject will be "How to be made like unto the angels."

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, WATER STREET—Rev. Robert Westly Peach, pastor. Morning service, 10.30 o'clock. Subject: "Put yourself in the Hottennot's Place." Sunday School at 11.45 A. M. Y. P. S. C. E., 6 P. M. Evening service at 7.30. The Rev. William Clements of Buxton Center, Maine, will preach. Prayer meeting, Thursday, 7.30 P. M. All always welcome.

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH, Franklin street,—Rev. C. A. Parker, pastor; residence, 18 Gay street. Preaching at 10.30 A. M. Bible school at 12 M. The special service at 3.30 P. M. will be discontinued until further notice. Evening service at 7 o'clock. Every one is welcome to all of these meetings.

WOLLASTON UNITARIAN CHURCH—Rev. J. E. Bagley, pastor. Service at 10.45 A. M. The pastor will preach. Text: "The Son that was not the Prodigal." Sunday School at 12 M. Guild of the Good Shepherd at 6.30 P. M. Subject: "Confucius." Rev. Blanche Pentecost Bagley will speak.

UNION CHAPEL, Rawson road, Wollaston Park. Services at 3 P. M. conducted by Rev. James E. Bagley of Wollaston. Sunday School at 4 P M. All are invited.

WOLLASTON CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH—Rev. Edward A. Robinson, pastor. Morning service at 10.45. Subject: "Christianity and other Faiths." Sunday School at 12 M. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6.30 P. M. Evening service at 7.30. Subject: "Value of the Scriptures."

Fall of Babylon.

Thegreat historical painting by Georges Roschegrosse, "The Fall of Babylon," now on exhibition at Masonic Temple, Boston, is creating as pronounced a sensation in art circles as it did among the art-loving Parisians when it was shown in that city as a Salon picture in 1891. The scene in the palace of Babylon's king on the morning following the great feast given by Belshazzar has been depicted with a faithfulness and realism that challenge the criticism of the most captious art lovers. The magnificent architectural effects, the marvellous lights and shades made by the mingled day-light and the flickering torches of the night's revelries, and the wonderful groupings of those who have partaken of the feast, are all brought out in a startling fashion by the artist. The picture is an artistic treat to the eye and can be studied with profit by all who appreciate the beautiful. It is to be exhibited daily for a limited period only.

DEATHS IN BRAINTREE IN 1896.

The following is a list of deaths reported to the Town Clerk as it will appear in the town report for 1896:

DATE.	NAME.	BIRTHPLACE.	AGE Y.	M.	D.
Jan. 13,	Susan A. (Holbrook) Hunt,	Holbrook,	74	9	25
13,	Lizzie Daisley,	Nova Scotia,	59	7	13
15,	May E. (Lewis) Folsom,	Boston,	59	0	18
16,	Mary (Slattery) Hickey,	Ireland,	61	—	—
20,	David Grant,	Scotland,	72	—	—
20,	Perley Stedman,	Sidney, Me.,	91	2	1
29,	Michael Decoste,	Nova Scotia,	22	—	—
31,	Carolyne A. (Bartlett) Foster,	Wells, Me.,	49	4	7
Feb. 2,	—— ——Newcomb,	Braintree,	0	0	0
3,	Ruth A. (Bowditch) Gardner,	Braintree,	87	7	15
4,	Joseph H. Hobart,	Milton,	58	3	3
6,	Nathaniel White,	Braintree,	71	1	29
7,	Geo. Eastwood,	England,	68	3	15
9,	Lillian A. Sherman,	Braintree,	—	1	2
10,	John H. Coneton,	Boston,	27	3	3
28,	Daniel W. Bills,	Braintree,	1	4	—
29,	Isaac M. Tilden,	Belmont, Me.,	76	10	11
Mar. 1,	Harold J. Hull,	Braintree,	—	—	3
6,	Mary (Branley) Smith,	Ireland,	78	—	—
7,	Alice M. Hennessey,	Braintree,	—	—	14
8,	Mary Tupper,	Novia Scotia,	18	4	8
17,	Michael Keeley,	Braintree,	—	—	1
18,	Lucy (Thomas) Spear,	Camden Me.,	66	11	0
22,	Hermon F. Doane,	Wareham,	48	4	—
22,	May A. (White) Ware,	Pittston, Me.,	62	1	12
24,	William McDonnell,	Ireland,	51	10	—
25,	Annie M. (Horton) Holbrook,	Holbrook,	24	9	22
April 1,	Stephen Ellis,	Plympton,	69	4	—
9,	Richard S. Storrs,	Boston,	43	6	25
9,	—— ——Call,	Braintree,	0	0	1
15,	Clifford W. Bangs,	Everett,	3	11	26
17,	Clarissa B. (Penniman) Minchin,	Braintree,	84	6	4
18,	Unknown,		40	—	—
30,	S. Augusta Crane,	Braintree,	49	0	19
May 3,	Rockwood D. Sjoberg,	Braintree,	1	5	6
4,	Thomas P. Owens,	England,	62	5	5
7,	Freda M. Pace,	Braintree,	—	7	17
8,	Benjamin C. Perry,	Searsmont, Me.,	46	6	2
13,	Henry M. Reviere,	Braintree,	1	7	22
13,	Honora (Burke) King,	Ireland,	68	0	0
14,	D. Dexter Fisk,	Vermont,	62	2	0
17,	Roger A. Gorham,	Braintree,	5	3	0
20,	Samuel W. Thorndike,	Boston,	60	2	27
26,	Annie J. Landry,	Braintree,	1	7	19
26,	Judah A. Loring,	Braintree,	74	8	24
29,	Stephen F. Pratt,	Marlboro,	4	7	7
June 4,	Dennis Cautcher,	Canada,	94	1	20
5,	Mary (Quinn) McAuliffe,	Ireland,	65	10	23
6,	William P. Bird,	Braintree,	60	6	28
6,	John Divett,	Braintree,	0	0	7
10,	Patience W. (Sampson) Burnham,	Kingston,	70	2	8
10,	Henry Sutton,	Ireland,	61	0	0
13,	Orrin R. Richards,	Braintree,	0	6	19
24,	Russell Forbush,	Boston,	2	11	0
25,	—— ——Damstra,	Braintree,	0	0	0
July 5,	Harold J. Merrill,	Braintree,	1	9	16
8,	Melvin Thayer,	Charlestown,	74	3	9
12,	Charles L. Henderson,	Pepperell,	53	5	25
15,	Henry J. Holbrook,	Randolph,	64	0	29
19,	Amanda (Dobson) Teakles,	N. B.,	57	—	—
22,	Grace L. Coverly,	Somerville,	0	6	11
23,	Clarence W. Calloway,	Quincy,	1	0	18
Aug. 1,	Mary A. French,	Braintree,	40	11	0
3,	Noah D. Cole,	Boston,	59	11	—
10,	Julia E. Gammon,	Braintree,	0	0	1
11,	Julia E. Horgan,	Braintree,	0	7	0
12,	Frank E. Reed,	Weymouth,	41	10	4
13,	Francis E. Cahill,	Braintree,	0	1	9
13,	Joseph E. Holbrook,	Braintree,	62	0	19
16,	Elisha Savil,	Braintree,	77	4	3
19,	John E. Smith,	Scotland,	77	0	0
24,	Abijah Allen,	Braintree,	74	4	28
26,	Susanna B. (Spear) Fogg,	Braintree,	74	11	23
27,	Geo. B. Davis,	Hingham,	1	0	22
30,	Alexander F. Durell,	Braintree,	0	2	17
31,	Randall Lawless,	Braintree,	0	0	7
Sept. 4,	Ruth M. Hollis,	Braintree,	0	10	17
7,	Stephen A. White,	Beverly,	72	0	0
7,	—— ——Gooch,	Braintree,	0	0	1
7,	Michael Quinn,	Ireland,	58	0	0
10,	Susan H. (Silver) Bertram,	Salem,	59	8	0
10,	James W. Thayer,	Braintree,	56	7	3
12,	Josephine (Parker) Thayer,	Quincy,	53	0	10
18,	Joseph H. Penniman,	Braintree,	77	1	16
20,	Richard F. Loring,	Dorchester,	48	2	8
23,	Melvin French,	Hingham,	67	6	11
Oct. 10,	Fanny H. (McCullock) Gallagher,	Ohio,	51	6	15
16,	—— ——Dyer,	Braintree,	0	0	0
27,	Sarah S. S. (Arnold) Thayer,	Braintree,	78	5	13
29,	James F. Moran,	Rockland,	26	9	1
Nov. 6,	Horace Abercrombie,	Pelham,	69	0	2
8,	Hazel C. Warburton,	Braintree,	0	1	21
17,	Thomas Dugan,	Braintree,	30	11	0
18,	Charles E. Hay,	Braintree,	0	4	2
21,	Marion M. Burnham,	Braintree,	6	0	18
24,	Edward F. Wilder,	Weymouth,	14	10	28
26,	Mary J. (Kendall) Cooper,	Reading,	41	2	16
Dec. 2,	Chester S. Kane,	Rockland,	23	0	23
9,	Luther Thayer,	Braintree,	78	8	0
9,	—— ——Donahue,	Braintree,	0	0	0
13,	Charlotte A. Leonard,	Braintree,	3	0	21
21,	John O'Conner,	Quincy,	29	4	16

Keith's Theatre.

It is not often theatre goers are given an opportunity to hear grand opera singers at popular prices, but that is the principal feature of the entertainment at Keith's the coming week, and it is safe to say that no such vocalists have ever been heard beneath the roof of a vaudeville theatre previously. The artists are Signor Alberti, the great baritone of the Mapleson company, and Mme. Orlandi, one of the best soprano vocalists with the same organization. They will sing selections from French and Italian opera, and will undoubtedly draw large crowds to the popular vaudeville theatre. It is also announced that the Biograph, the latest and most improved motion-picture invention is to succeed the cinematographe. The views in this machine are almost as large as the side of a house, very clear and steady.

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Castle Square Theatre.

The operatic performances at the Castle Square continue to have the most liberal support from the music-loving public, and are attended by audiences as notable for their enthusiasm as for their numbers. The selection of works made by Director Jaxon evidently meets the approval of the public, for each week sees an increase in the number of regular subscribers to the performances. The attraction for the coming week is "Maritana," which has not had a hearing this season. This delightful old opera is well suited to the company at the Castle Square and an excellent presentation of its many beauties may be confidentialy anticipated. "Maritana" will be cast as follows: Charles II, of Spain, J. K. Murray; Don Jose, W. H. Clark; Don Cæzar, Richie Ling and Martin Pache; Captain, John Read; Alcade, Robert Perris; Marquis, Dick Jones; Maritana, Clara Lane and Laura Millard; Lararetto, Hattie Belle Ladd; Marchioness, Bertha Wilson. "Maritana" will be followed on Monday, the 18th inst., by "The Gondoliers."

—Many undertakers are now using coffins pressed out of paper pulp. When polished and stained such coffins look almost as well as those of wood. They last longer in the ground than coffins of wood or metal, and they can be hermetically sealed better than heavy metal ones.

New Books.

A new set of Thackeray's works has been added to the Public Library. The following is the list with correct shelf numbers:

	Shelf. No.
Adventures of Philip. Prefixed, Shabby genteel story. Catherine, 2v.	252 41, 42
Ballads,	524 10
Same. *In his* Christmas books,	in 252 43
Barry Lyndon. *See* Memoirs of Barry Lyndon.	
Book of snobs. *With his* Samuel Titmarsh,	in 252 51
Burlesques,	105 40
Catherine. *With his* Adventures of Philip,	in 252 42
Christmas books of Mr. M. A. Titmarsh,	252 43
Denis Duval. *With his* Memoirs of Barry Lyndon,	in 252 45
Dr. Birch and his young friends. *In his* Christmas books.	in 252 43
English humorists. *With his* Four Georges,	in 434 29
Fatal boots. *In his* Memoirs of Mr. C. J. Yellowplush, Published also under the title "Stubb's calendar."	in 252 46
Fitzboodle papers. *With his* Memoirs of Mr. C. J Yellowplush,	in 252 46
Four Georges. English humorists. Sketches and travel in London,	434 29
Great Hoggarty diamond. *See* Samuel Titmarsh.	
Henry Esmond,	252 44
Irish sketch book, and Character sketches,	124 27
Jeames's diary. *In his* Burlesques,	in 105 40
Journey from Cornhill to Cairo. *See* Paris sketch book.	
Kickleburys on the Rhine. *In his* Christmas books,	in 252 43
Legend of the Rhine. *In his* burlesques,	in 105 40
Little travels and roadside sketches. *In his* Memoirs of Mr. C. J. Yellowplush,	in 105 40
Lovel, the widower. *In his* Vanity fair, vol. 2,	in 252 53
Memoirs of Barry Lyndon. Denis Duval, Memoirs of Barry Lyndon is published also under the title "Luck of Barry Lyndon"	252 45
Memoirs of Mr. C. J. Yellowplush. Fitzboodle papers. Wolves and the lamb. Stories and sketches.	252 46
Men's wives. *With his* Samuel Titmarsh,	in 252 51
Mr. Brown's letters. *See* Sketches and travels in London.	
Mrs. Perkins's ball. *In his* Christmas books,	in 252 43
Newcomes: memoirs of a most respectable family, 2v.	252 47, 48
Novels by eminent hands. *In his* Burlesques, Published also under the title "Punch's prize novelists."	in 105 40
Our street. *In his* Christmas books,	in 252 43
Paris sketch book of Mr. M. A. Titmarsh, and Eastern sketches: a journey from Cornhill to Cairo,	123 35
Pendennis. 2v.	252 49, 50
Rebecca and Rowena. *In his* Burlesques,	in 105 40
Rose and the ring; or, the history of Prince Giglio and Prince Bulbo: a fireside pantomine for great and small children,	260 50
Same. *In his* Christmas books,	in 252 43
Roundabout papers. [Also] Second funeral of Napoleon, and Critical reviews,	105 41
Samuel Titmarsh and the great Hoggarty diamond. Men's wives. Book of snobs.	252 51
Second funeral of Napoleon. *With his* Roundabout papers,	in 105 41
Shabby genteel story. *In his* Adventures of Philip, vol. 1,	in 252 41
Sketches and travels in London. *With his* Four Georges, The Sketches here have been published as "Mr. Brown's Letters."	in 434 29
Vanity fair: a novel without a hero, and Lovel the widower. 2v.	252 52, 53
Virginians: a tale of the last century. 2v.	252 54, 55
Yellowplush papers. *See* Memoirs of Mr. C. J. Yellowplush.	

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NOTICE TO PARENTS.

CITY OF QUINCY.

CITY CLERK'S OFFICE, Dec. 14, 1896.

THE Record of births in any city or town is always more or less unsatisfactory, owing to the fact that the canvasser finds difficulty in getting the necessary information. Names and dates are frequently given incorrectly. The importance of accuracy is shown in many cases where there is a question of descent, or inheritance of property, or collection of life insurance or pensions. The City Clerk's copy of the record is accepted as conclusive evidence in a court of law. While great pains are taken by this office to have the record correct, experience shows that it is necessary that parents themselves should lend their assistance. In fact the law requires that parents shall give notice to the City Clerk of the birth of their children, and provides a penalty for neglect to give such notice for the space of six months.

It often happens that only children or servants are at home when the canvasser makes his call, and the answers to his questions are open to doubt. I therefore request all parents in whose households a birth has occurred in the year 1896, to place upon a paper or card the required information, and keep it in a convenient place until the canvasser appears.

The canvass will be commenced on Jan. 1, 1897.

HARRISON A. KEITH,
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Mortgagee's Sale of Real Estate.

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"A certain lot of land containing one-fourth acre of land, more or less, together with all the buildings thereon, situated on the easterly side of Marsh street in said Quincy, and being bounded and described as follows, viz.: Commencing on Marsh street and being bounded about northerly on land of John Brooks; thence turning and bounding easterly on the line of the Old Colony Railroad, to land of Jonathan Tanner; thence bounded about southerly on the land of said Jonathan Tanner; and thence bounding about westerly on Marsh street to the point of beginning, as the fences now stand." Being the same premises conveyed to said Robert B. Courtney by Lewis Bass, Executor of the will of Mary Gallagher, by deed dated September 12, 1887.

Said premises will be sold subject to any unpaid taxes and assessments. One hundred dollars of the purchase money to be paid in cash at the sale, the balance within ten days thereafter. Further terms at sale.

THOMAS E. FURNALD,
Assignee and present holder of said Mortgage.
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gagee's Sale of Real Estate.

rtue of a power of sale contained in rtain mortgage deed given by Robert ney to Caroline S. Furnald, dated er 19, 1887, and recorded with Norfolk, libro 596, folio 49, duly assigned Furnald to George Monk and duly by said Monk to the undersigned, h of the condition of said mortgage he purpose of foreclosing same, will public auction on the premises, on N, the twenty-fifth day of January, three o'clock P. M., all and singular ses conveyed by said mortgage and scribed as follows, to wit:
rtain lot of land containing one- re of land, more or less, together e buildings thereon, situated on rly side of Marsh street in said nd being bounded and described s iz.: Commencing on Marsh stree bounded about northerly on la brooks; thence turning and bound- ly on the line of the Old Colony to land of Jonathan Tanner; nded about southerly on the land nathan Tanner; and thence bound- westerly on Marsh street to the ginning, as the fences now stand. same premises conveyed to said Courtney by Lewis Bass, Executor of Mary Gallagher, by deed dated 12, 1887.
mises will be sold subject to any es and assessments. One hundred he purchase money to be paid in sale, the balance within ten days Further terms at sale.
THOMAS E. FURNALD,
gnee and present holder of said Mortgage.
Mass., Jan. 1. 3t 2-9-16

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TELEGRAPHIC.

3 O'CLOCK.

For Latest Local and Vicinity News See Inside Pages.

MOODY AND SAM JONES

Their Work Said to Be Harmful, by Rev. Thomas Van Ness.

Converts Lapse Again Into Paths of Sin.

Newspaper Reports of Meetings as Injurious as Court Scandals.

Boston, Jan. 11.—Rev. Thomas Van Ness of the Second church, in his sermon yesterday, criticized the work of Evangelist Moody and Revivalist Sam Jones in rather forceful terms.

In the course of the sermon he treated both sides of the question, and said that the revivals, although productive of some temporary good, were not of great permanent value in bringing souls to God. The pastor spoke of Herbert Spencer's theory of undulations, of the ribbon-like motion of nature, that no storm comes not followed by a calm, and that every calm is followed by a storm.

"This truth applies to religion as well as to nature," said Rev. Mr. Van Ness, "and the thought occurred to me as I thought of the religious revivals now being held in Boston; of the work of Mr. Moody, the evangelist, and of Sam Jones, the revivalist.

"I think they do supply a want. The soul cannot live on bread alone any more than the body.

"Mr. Moody reaches people, and for the time lifts them and leads them out from their narrow coarseness into a broader, grander life. If nothing more than that is accomplished is not some good done?

"Not being hampered by society or some clique of society, men like Moody can speak freely against the shams and the follies of society. The newspapers give much prominence to their words, and give an added weight and influence.

"But there is another side. Critics of this form of religious revivals are not altogether wrong.

"Revivalis's take no account of heredity nor of nature. They ignore the fact that nature never forgave sin.

"The so-called conversions are obtained by working on the feelings of men. After the excitement is over and things have returned to their normal condition then temptation comes.

"If I had my way I would not allow anyone under 20 years of age to attend these meetings.

"The same amount of harm is done, I believe, by these teachings through the reports in the newspapers, as by scandal cases in the courts.

"In the headlines the name of God is used without due respect and a general tone given to religion that is very misleading and harmful."

BIDS CONGREGATION FAREWELL

Dr. Conaty of Worcester Says Good Bye to Old Friends.

Worcester, Mass., Jan. 11.—Very Rev. Dr. Thomas J. Conaty, the newly appointed rector of the Catholic university, bade farewell to his people of the Sacred Heart church in this city yesterday, and the occasion was the cause of a remarkable demonstration.

The church was filled to overflowing by Catholics from all parts of the city, and many Protestants, among them Mayor Sprague and other distinguished citizens, who assembled to hear the reverend doctor's farewell sermon.

A pontifical mass was celebrated by Bishop Beaven of Springfield, and after the gospel Dr. Conaty delivered his farewell, many people in the congregation shedding tears as he bade them goodby, while the speaker himself was visibly affected at times, his voice quivering so that he had to stop speaking.

In the afternoon the children of the Sunday school gave him a farewell reception, and in the evening the parish farewell reception was given him, the church being filled as it was in the morning. The exercises consisted of addresses from the charitable and benevolent societies of the church by John Timon, from the Young People's societies by Andrew J. McCarron, and from the parish by Mathew B. Lamb, who presented to Dr. Conaty, as a testimonial from the parish, a check for $2000.

No Trace of Murderer.

Shelburne Falls, Mass., Jan. 11.—Who it was that so brutally took the life of Mrs. Hattie E. McCloud, by strangling, on Friday evening, is still unknown, notwithstanding the fact that State Detectives Fred Rhodes of Malden, Daniel Hammond of Haverhill, Moses Pease of Lee and Brunson Munyon of Haydenville, have been hard at work on the case. Every thread of evidence has been carefully traced, and the scene of the tragedy on lonely West Mountain was visited by hundreds yesterday. Mrs. McCloud was last seen alive at 7 o'clock Friday evening by Frank S. Tatrean, a local carpenter. He heard the clock in the village tower strike at the time, and as Frank Turton, aged 14, and little Alberta, the daughter of the dead woman, passed along the road by the scene of the murder about 7:30, it seems that the murder was done in this half hour. The body was found about 70 feet from the road, and the chances are that the murderer stood behind a large tree by the roadside and seized and strangled his victim as she passed. That the assailant had another motive than robbery now seems probable. The officers believe the crime was committed by some one living in the town, and will offer a reward of $500 for the arrest and conviction of the murderer.

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Want to Change Counties.

Portland, Me., Jan. 11.—One of the petitions that will be presented to the legislature early in the present session will come from Brunswick, and will, it is claimed, bear the signatures of the heaviest taxpayers of that town, asking that Brunswick be set off from Cumberland county and annexed to Sagadahoc. The petitioners claim that Brunswick, one of the largest towns in Cumberland county outside of Portland, does not receive its share of expenditure of the public funds, and another argument, which is not stated in the petition, is that the politicians do not receive their share of the county offices. Then, it is claimed that Brunswick is geographically situated nearer Bath than Portland, and as these places are the shire towns of their respective counties, it would facilitate public business in Brunswick to be joined to Sagadahoc, and tend to equalize the valuation and population of the two counties, now entirely out of proportion. This move on the part of Brunswick will be fought desperately by the delegation from the western part of Cumberland county.

Kicked Wife In Abdomen.

Worcester, Mass., Jan. 11.—Christian Gray, 27 years old, was found Saturday night in her home, 2 Belknap street, where she had been confined 10 days, unable to walk. With her were two small children. She was taken to the city hospital, where she told her story. She stated that her husband, John Gray, beat her about the shoulders 10 days ago, and kicked her in the abdomen, and then left home, and she has not seen him since. For three days she could not leave the bed, and there was no fire in the house. Since then she has managed to crawl from the bed to the stove, and, with the help of one of her children, keep up the fire. Neither she nor the children have had anything but bread and water, and were almost starved when found. The Grays came from Scotland, where Mrs. Gray says she incurred her parents' displeasure by her marriage. They came here 10 weeks ago from Willimantic, Conn., where Gray worked as a telegraph lineman. Mrs. Gray is unable to walk, but the physicians think she will recover.

Will Remain In Parish.

Pawtucket, R. I., Jan. 11.—Rev. Henry F. Kinnerney, pastor of St. Joseph's church, has received a message from the Right Rev. Bishop Harkins, which proved a surprise to himself and his parishioners. The bishop notified him that St. Joseph's parish had been constituted an irremovable rectorship, and that he had appointed him the first irremovable rector. Father Kinnerney made the announcement from the pulpit yesterday. St. Joseph's is the seventh irremovable rectorship of the Providence diocese and the second for Pawtucket, St. Mary's being the other. Father Kinnerney has been pastor of St. Joseph's for 23 years, and served about two years as pastor of St. Peter's parish, Sandwich, Mass., from 1872 to 1874. He represented the Providence diocese as theologian at the third plenary council at Baltimore in 1884.

Kate Field's Ashes Buried.

Cambridge, Mass., Jan. 11.—A small copper box, containing the ashes of Kate Field, the writer, was buried at Mount Auburn cemetery yesterday afternoon. The box was placed in a grave beside the remains of the mother of the deceased. There was no ceremony. The only person present at the interment was a relative, George Riddle of Cambridge, the reader. The ashes came all the way from California. Miss Lillian Whiting brought the remains from Chicago, and arriving at the Hotel Brunswick, Boston, Saturday afternoon, the ashes, which were carried in a handbag, were given in charge of an undertaker. The bag was filled with choice flowers, contributed by friends in Chicago. Several bouquets were also sent to the grave yesterday.

Two Doctors Indicted.

Manchester, N. H., Jan. 11.—The indictments found at this term of court by the grand jury have been made public by County Solicitor Tuttle. There are 85 of them. In the list is included one against Dr. C. M. Dodge of this city, for murder in the second degree. He is charged with having caused the death of Mrs. Carrie Maloon of Raymond, whose body was found in his office some time last October, death supposed to have resulted from a criminal operation. Another indictment is against Dr. L. C. B. Massacicutt of Wilton, charged with manslaughter in the second degree.

Stabbed Twelve Times.

South Framingham, Mass., Jan. 11.—A Frenchman named Douglas, aged about 30 years, was set upon by Fuciarelli Giovanni, an Italian, yesterday afternoon, and stabbed 12 times. Giovanni and Douglas had been drinking, and became involved in a row. Giovanni stabbed Douglas with a small knife, and boarded an electric for Milford. Douglas was cut badly on the head and body, the worst cut being in the back. A knife with blood on the blade was found on the person of the Italian.

Well-Known Bath Physician Dead.

Bath, Me., Jan. 11.—Dr. A. J. Fuller, one of Bath's best known physicians, and the first vice president of the American Medical association, is dead, aged 74 years. Among the offices he had held was that of president of the board of trade for 18 years.

GLAD THEY'RE LIVING.

Three Americans Who Went to Cuba Narrowly Avert Death.

Thrilling Escape From Spanish Soldiers.

Swore to Serve the Queen If Permitted to Return Home.

Philadelphia, Jan. 11.—James Maguire of this city, Jeremiah Bonds of New York and Charles W. Allen of Stamford, Conn., have just reached this city after a thrilling experience in Cuba, in the course of which William Barry of New York, who had accompanied them, was shot and killed by Spaniards.

On Sept. 10 last the trio mentioned, in company of Barry, started for Cuba to join the forces of the belligerents, and arrived in Havana Sept. 21. Here they fell in with Josef Ruiz, a Cuban patriot, who volunteered to guide the quartet to the retreat occupied by the Cuban commanders. They headed for the Pinar Del Rio district, and when near Mariel, in the Guanajaz district, were surprised by a body of about 50 Spaniards. They were taken prisoners, searched, and finding papers confirming suspicions on Ruiz held a consultation and decided to kill all the prisoners. The conversation was carried on in Spanish, but Ruiz interpreted their remarks for his American friends. Recognizing the desperate situation in which they had placed themselves the quartet decided to risk their lives in a vigorous effort to escape, rather to wait and be shot.

Maguire rolled over to Ruiz, and the young Cuban used his teeth with such skill that he soon had Maguire's bonds cut through. Maguire then took a penknife and liberated his companions. It was dark, but the moon shed light sufficient to illuminate the ground for some distance. With a rush the five men ran to the spot where they noticed some machetes and guns. They armed themselves each with a machete and revolver and belts full of ammunition. Then they attempted to get away, but the Spaniards pursued, firing a deadly volley after them. Barry fell, shot through the heart at the first fire, and Bonds' right arm was perforated by a bullet. The surviving four succeeded in out-distancing their pursuers. They made every effort to get back and recover Barry's body, however, but were unsuccessful, and were compelled to make their way further into the mountainous regions of Pinar Del Rio, and after a tortuous and wearisome journey they arrived in the region of San Cristobal. A few days afterward they were recaptured by a band of Spanish patrolers.

Their hands were tied behind their backs and they were compelled to march for a distance of over 10 miles, when they were thrown into a prison. The next day they were forced to march again until late in the afternoon, when they were put into another prison, and so they were marched from prison to prison until Havana was reached. Here they were thrown into a well-guarded prison, where they were separated.

On Dec. 23 the three Americans were brought before some commanding officer, whose name they did not learn, but it is presumed by them that it was General Weyler. They were told that Ruiz, the young Cuban, had committed suicide by shooting himself with a revolver which he had snatched from one of the guards. The three friends said nothing, but they discredited the suicide story, and were firmly convinced that the young Cuban had been murdered.

The trio of Americans were offered their liberty and passage home if they would sign a paper swearing allegiance to the Queen of Spain, and promising on oath to do all they could against the Cuban cause in the United States. This they agreed to, and the three were released.

Marquis of Apezteguia's Departure.

Havana, Jan. 11.—There was a notable demonstration of sympathy for the Marquis of Apezteguia yesterday on the occasion of his departure for Spain. The marquis embarked on the steamer San Agustin. Captain General Weyler, on account of the immense crowds, made his way to and from the wharf of La Machina from the marine palace on foot. Upon the arrival of General Weyler at the wharf the band played the royal march, and the crowds cheered for Spain, for General Weyler and for the Marquis of Apezteguia. The military governor, Generals Ahumada, Arolas and Prats, the generals of artillery and of the engineers, the government secretary, the Marquis Palmerola and Governor Porrua, with the national committee of defense, the chiefs and his family.

The wharves all the way from La Machina to Caballeria and La Punta were crowded with many thousands of spectators, all cheering for Apezteguia.

General Arolas has captured near Cayajabos the insurgent leader Calzadilla, and two privates, who were court-martialed for complicity in the burning of Charco Hondo, near Guanajay, and were hanged on Jan. 7 at Artemisa by the volunteers.

Senator Perkins' Fight.

Sacramento, Jan. 11.—Partisans of Senator Perkins now claim a victory for him tomorrow on the first ballot for United States senator. The illness of Assemblymen Moultrye, Shanahan and Burnett, will reduce the number necessary to a choice from 61 to less than 60, and as 60 members are bound by their caucus pledges, there seems little doubt that the claims are correct. Even if Messrs. Burnett and Shanahan should recover sufficiently to be present, the absence of Mr. Moultrye seems at this time unavoidable.

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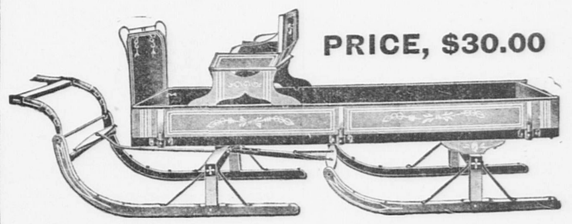
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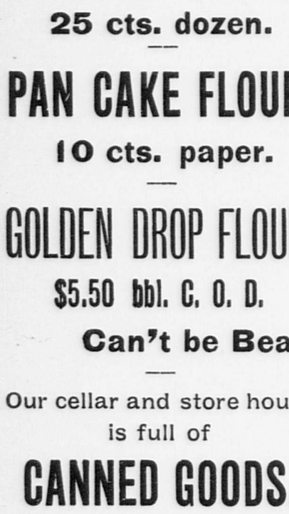
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Monday	42	54
Tuesday	—	59
Wednesday	—	41
Thursday	—	34
Friday	—	29
Saturday	—	28

TITLE VIII of Chapter 417 of the Acts of 1893, "an act to codify and consolidate the laws relating to elections," makes interesting reading at this time. The statements of the treasurers of the Republican and Democratic City Committees have been made, and although meagre may cover the law. But how about statements from other committees and persons.

Section 231 requires all committees of three or more, to make statements, and Section 234 reads:

SECTION 234. Every person who, acting otherwise than under the authority and in behalf of a political committee having a treasurer as hereinbefore provided, receives money or the equivalent of money, or expends or disburses, or promises to expend or disburse money or its equivalent, to an amount exceeding twenty dollars, for the purpose of aiding or promoting the success or defeat of a political party or principle in a public election, or of aiding or taking part in the nomination, election or defeat of a candidate for public office, shall file such statement as is herein required to be filed by a treasurer of a political committee, in the city or town in which he is a legal voter, and shall be subject to all the requirements of this act, the same as a political committee and the treasurer thereof; but no person other than a legal voter of the Commonwealth shall receive, expend or disburse any money or equivalent of money, or promise to expend or disburse the same, for either of the purposes above-named, except for personal expenses as is herein provided, or under the authority and in behalf of a political committee.

SIX OF the eight teachers of the new Gridley Bryant school are graduates of the Quincy High school. This together with the fact that several of the new teachers of the Massachusetts Fields school are Quincy young ladies, shows that the School Committee and Superintendent Lull believe in giving home talent the preference.

The Holy Ghost.

A large congregation was present at Bethany Congregational church Sunday morning to hear Rev. E N. Hardy preach on "The Gift of the Holy Ghost."

Taking as a text Acts 2:38—"Then Peter said unto them, repent and be baptized every one of you in the name of Jesus Christ for the remission of sins, and ye shall receive the gift of the Holy Ghost," he gave a strong doctrinnal discourse on the personality of the Holy Spirit.

The subject was treated entirely from a scriptural standpoint. The speaker said the subject was like looking upon Niagara, the more one examined it the more wonderful it seemed.

So many erroneous views were held by many in the church that it seemed essential, just as the subject was to be taken up in the Sunday school lessons that all should understand clearly what the Bible teaches on the subject.

First comes the question, "What is the Holy Spirit?" Many persons hold to the idea that the Holy Spirit is simply a spiritual influence emanating from God. But the the word of God solves the difficulty. John's gospel gives again and again the testimony of Christ to the personality of the Holy Spirit. If one refuses to accept this testimony, then he must naturally refuse to believe in the personality of the Father and the Son. The relationship of that spirit to the God head is analogous to a human being, who has a body, mind and spirit.

The testimony regarding the Holy Spirit is not confined to the New Testament, for beginning with Genesis, we can trace the Holy Spirit's work throughout the different dispensations. Peter tells us that "Holy men of God spake as they were moved by the Holy Ghost." The present dispensa- is peculiarly that of the Spirit. His work is to make known the life of Christ to our hearts.

We should be careful not to resist the Holy Spirit or quench Him, which is blasphemy against the Spirit, but should be led by him to a higher Christian life. He is the Paraclete, which means our Comforter and near helper.

—The will of the late Edward Avery of Braintree contained no public bequests.

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The Massachusetts Fielde School Regarded as a Model Building.

The new Massachusetts Fields school building at Norfolk Downs was thrown open for public inspection on Saturday afternoon between the hours of 2 and 4, and many of the residents of that section as well as other parts of the city took advantage of the opportunity to inspect this model building.

Superintendent Lull was on hand as master of ceremonies, as were also the several teachers employed in the building, who received the callers in their rooms, while the janitor held forth in the basement.

The entire building was thrown open and there were none but admitted that it is as good a building as any in the State. It is well built, and nicely but not extravagantly finished, and is certainly a credit to the city.

The rooms are all well lighted and have the sun for the greater part of the day. The windows are fitted with slat shades and the walls are tinted in a shade calculated not to be trying to the eyes.

Tho building is so arranged that the children enter the building through the basement and before they reach the cloak rooms must pass over no less than four floor mats so that a large amount of mud is removed from their shoes.

The cloak rooms are all open and so arranged that if pupils enter with damp clothing it is warm and dry when they get ready to leave. Each pupil has a hook for clothing and a box for rubbers.

The principal has a private office fitted with a desk and book case, and there is also a teachers' room provided with tables, a couch, and a closet with lock for each teacher. There are also numerous closets for storage purposes.

The children depart from the building on the east side and here the doors are so arranged that if the wind is blowing strong toward the main door they can be let out of the side door or vice versa.

Among the visitors Saturday were Commissioner and Mrs. Knowlton, Councilman Parker, ex-Councilman Moxon, Mr. Austin W. Green, the principal of the new Gridley Bryant school, and several of the principals and teachers of other school buildings in the city.

Gridley Bryant Teachers.

The Gridley Bryant school will be opened for school on Monday, Jan. 18, with the following teachers:

Grade VIII—Austin W. Greene.
Grade VII—Mary H. Atkins.
Grade VI—Adeline A. Cashman.
Grade V—Annie E. Burns.
Grade IV—Gertrude A. Boyd.
Grade III—Margaret F. Talbot.
Grade II—Augusta E. Dell.
Grade I—Catherine McGovern.

Of the new corps of teachers, Mr. Greene comes from North Weymouth, Miss Atkins, Miss Cashman and Miss McGovern are transferred from the Willard school. The following are graduates from the Quincy High school: Miss McGovern, '90; Miss Dell, '90; Miss Talbot, '93; Miss Boyd, '93; Miss Burns, '93; Miss Cashman, '93.

Against Professionals.

It is not surprising that the Quincy bowling team in the City league has lost half the games played, but that it should have won so many, for professionals have played in the rival teams.

The Associated Cycling Clubs of Boston and vicinity has taken up the matter, and has decided to sustain the rules of the Massachusetts league, and declare that hereafter no club should play a man in the A. C. C. tournament who bowled in the City league or against professionals.

The rules have been violated by such club members as have competed against professionals in the City league. Fourteen who have bowled in the City league are also in the A. C. C. tournament.

Sodality Officers.

The following young ladies were elected as officers of the sodality of the St. John's church at the last meeting:

Prefect,—Miss Margaret Meaney.
Assistants,—Miss Mary Garrity and Miss Elizabeth Sullivan.
Secretary,—Miss Julia Duffy.
Treasurer,—Miss Ellen M. Greaney.
Sacristan,—Miss Annie L. Roche.
Council,—Miss Margaret Garrity, Miss Jane Welsh, Mrs. M. Cotter, Miss Margaret O'Hara, Miss Mary Bruce and Miss Margaret McNally.

Annual of Hull Club.

William H. Crane was on Saturday re-elected commodore of the Hull Yacht club, with William Avery Cary as secretary. The club has 294 members and a bonded debt of $12,000. The measurement rule of the Massachusetts Yacht Racing Association for all yachts under 30 feet water line, except knockabout, was adopted.

Rink at Wollaston.

Wollaston boys and girls have been enjoying some good skating on the once famous rink, which as all of the older "boys" will recollect is located at the end of Brook street. It seems a trifle odd that this place, which was once a famous resort for Wollaston skaters, after years of disuse, should be again flooded and used as an ice skating rink.

—Messrs. E. H. Wood and F. E. Whiting have resumed the management of the Boston Herald, and will, it is said, make it a Republican tariff paper.

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Stock of News in "City of Presidents" Above Par.

Direct Wires from Wollaston, Atlantic South and West Quincy and Point.

City Council tonight.

Threatening weather today.

A snow squall this morning.

School Committee tomorrow night.

High school reunion Friday evening.

Probate court for Norfolk County will be held in this city Wednesday.

The Bethany Church Bible School was on Sunday the largest in its history.

Mr. George H. Page of Park street, Wollaston, is quite ill with typhoid fever.

The Otah Literary and Debating club has leased apartments in Farnum's block.

The new house of Michael Martin on Rustic place is all ready for the plasterers.

Jules Johnson has commenced work on the new house of H. E. Crane on Elm street.

The Rev. Rufus B. Tobey preached at the Wollaston Congregational church on Sunday.

The Old Colony Grocers' Association will hold its annual meeting and banquet in Boston on Wednesday.

The Massachusetts Fields school rejoices in a flag presented to the school by the residents of that section.

There was a marked change for the better reported in Mrs. Edward A. Robinson's condition on Sunday evening.

The South Bostons and Quincys who are tied in the City Bowling league will meet at Costello's alleys on Friday evening.

Large crowds of young people enjoyed the skating on Butler's pond Saturday night, the ice being in excellent condition.

There will be one union meeting only this week at Wollaston and that is to be held on Tuesday evening at the First Baptist church.

Mr. C. Herbert Snow will address the Board of Trade Tuesday evening on "Sewerage Assessments," a vital question at this time for the city and the tax payers.

Mrs. Washington I. Godfrey of Wollaston who has been passing the winter with her daughter, Mrs. George Merrifield of Helena, Arkansas, is expected home this week.

The Boston Music Trade Association, of which organization Mr. Chandler W. Smith is secretary, held a meeting and banquet at Hotel Brunswick, Boston, Saturday evening.

Commodore Pettengill will not be a candidate for reelection at the annual meeting of the Quincy Yacht club and Vice-Commodore John W. Sanborn is prominently mentioned for the office.

The installation of the officers of Merrymount lodge, A. O. U. W., announced for Tuesday evening will not be held until Jan. 26. The regular meeting will however be held tomorrow evening.

The Benevolent society of the First Baptist church, Wollaston, meets on Wednesday afternoon and evening of this week. Tea will be served at seven o'clock, to which all those who attend the church are invited.

An item in a Boston Sunday paper stated that Quincy Perley of this city was afflicted with the glanders and that the case was being watched by the State Board of Health. This was evidently an error as the local Board of Health and Inspector know nothing of the case.

At the Bethany Congregational church this evening the regular session of the Training School will be held. The lesson will be conducted by John O. Hall, Jr. Instead of a lecture the monthly Round Table, subject "The Bible School," will be conducted by E. S. Hathaway of Hyde Park. It is hoped that there will be a large attendance of those interested in Sunday School work.

They All Come Back

"There are fads in medicine as well as in other things," said a busy druggist, "but the most remarkable thing about Hood's Sarsaparilla is that customers who try other remedies all come back to Hood's, and this is why the enormous sales of this great medicine continue the whole year round, steady keep up and as a clock.

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NOTICE TO PARENTS.

CITY OF QUINCY.

CITY CLERK'S OFFICE, Dec. 14, 1896.

THE Record of births in any city or town is always more or less unsatisfactory, owing to the fact that the canvasser finds difficulty in getting the necessary information. Names and dates are frequently given incorrectly. The importance of accuracy is shown in many cases where there is a question of descent, or inheritance of property, or collection of life insurance or pensions. The City Clerk's copy of the record is accepted as conclusive evidence in a court of law. While great pains are taken by this office to have the record correct, experience shows that it is necessary that parents themselves should lend their assistance. In fact the law requires that parents shall give notice to the City Clerk of the birth of their children, and provides a penalty for neglect to give such notice for the space of six months.

It often happens that only children or servants are at home when the canvasser makes his call, and the answers to his questions are open to doubt. I therefore request all parents in whose households a birth has occurred in the year 1896, to place upon a paper or card the required information, and keep it in a convenient place until the canvasser appears.

The canvass will be commenced on Jan. 1, 1897.

HARRISON A. KEITH, City Clerk.

Dec. 14 to Feb. 1. Dec. 19—7w

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Reliable, Low Priced House Furnishers,

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They Tell Their Friends

About the bargains they get at our store. People who buy from us are our best advertisements, but for fear that you'll not hear of the Boots and Slippers we are selling this week, we will tell you about them. They are what is left of many lines we wish to clean out before February stock-taking. We quote no prices but invite an inspection of our bargain tables as a proof of a genuine cut in prices.

GEO. W. JONES,

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WILLIAMS' JEWELRY STORE.

WALTHAM WATCHES.	BOYS and GIRLS Seven Jewels, **$5.50.**
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Rooms Single or En-suite.

The Granite City Club Rooms in Durgin & Merrill's Block, Possession given Feb. 1st, 1897.

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Quincy, Jan. 1.

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Handkerchiefs.
We have secured great bargains for the Christmas shoppers. Silk Initial Hdkfs, 15, 25 and 50 cts. Extra fine Letter Linen Hdkfs, 10, 15, 25 cts.

Mufflers,
Cardigan Jackets, Sweaters all specially selected for the Christmas trade.

Men's Fancy Shirts,
White Shirts, Collars and Cuffs, make a most acceptable present. We sell only the best grades.

Children's Suits,
$2.00 to $5.00. Knee Pants, 25c. to $1.00.

UMBRELLAS.
English twilled, close roll case and tassel, silver trimmed $1.00, $1.25, $2.00.

Night Robes,
FANCY TRIMMED.
50c, 75c., $1.00.

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Each pair in a glass covered box.

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IT TOOK MONEY.

The Democratic City Committee Report Large Liabilities.

John A. Avery, treasurer of the Democratic City Committee has filed his return of the receipts, expenditures and liabilities of the recent municipal election, which showed that the receipts were $227; the expenditures $225.09, while their liabilities amount to $320 20.

In detail they were as follows:

RECEIPTS.

W. T. Shea, chairman of Finance Committee, $155; John Federhen, $25; Thomas Drake, $2; John Curtis, $5; P. J. Williams, Walter Fagan, James White and John H. Burke, $10 each; total, $227.

EXPENDITURES.

Carriages, $28; hall rent, $2; stationery, postage, etc., $13 09; expense at polls $180; total, 225.09.

LIABILITIES.

Lighting, rent of hall, coal, etc., $57.85; carriages, $143 25; expenses at polls, $27 75; printing, advertising, etc., $90.60; total, $320.20.

First Presbyteriam Church.

There was a very large congregation Sunday evening, and the practical sermon of the Rev. William Clements, on the text, "The people had a mind to work," was followed with the closest attention. The preacher complimented the choir upon its excellent singing.

The Christian Endeavor society used the new hymn-book for the first time. It is a collection which has found great favor in other places. Next Sunday the new library books will be ready for the Sabbath school. There was an attendance of 211 at the school Sunday, the largest in months.

The Rev. Carey W. Chamberlain will preach in the church tonight at 7 30 upon the text, "Work out your own salvation with fear and trembling." His theme will be, "Earnestness in Seeking Perfection." Mr. Chamberlain, an old friend of the pastor, is now the minister of the Dorchester Baptist Temple. He is an able and devout man.

Tuesday evening, the Rev. C. S. Dewing, D. D.; subject announced tomorrow. The conference will continue all the week except Saturday evening. The public is cordially invited. The subject is not "Saved by Service" but "Saved to Serve."

After the meeting Wednesday evening, a meeting of the corporation will be held to decide upon the new pews.

Surprise at Wollaston.

A surprise party was tendered Miss Georgia M. Miner, at her residence, 19 Old Colony avenue, Wollaston, on Friday evening of last week. There were 25 young people present. The evening was passed in games, a collation, and the presentation of an opal ring to the hostess. Friends were present from Milton, East Milton, Atlantic and Wollaston. Among those present were Miss Jessie Copp, Miss Lillian Sparrow, Miss Alice Hirtle, Miss Lillian Miner, Miss Eliza Miner, Miss Florence Carrington, Miss Alvaia Hirtle, Miss Susie Dorety, Mrs. A. G. McKinley, Miss Georgia Miner, Mrs. E. E. Bullock, Miss Emily Hirtle, Miss Anna Hayden, Mr. William Lawton, Mr. Clarence Edwards, Mr. Herbert Carter, Mr. Allen McKinley, Mr. Charles Hamilton, Mr. A. C. Woodward, Mr. John De Coster, Mr Clarence Seaman.

TODAY'S COURT.

The continued case of John P. Hastings for selling mortgaged property of David Joy of Weymouth was called. He was discharged for want of probable cause.

Wilbur W. Tirrell was fined $7 for drunkenness at Weymouth.

James Dean, Jr., was arraigned for being a common drunkard at Randolph. Case continued one month.

The continued case of Thomas Doyle for the larceny of hens valued at $31 from James G. Neal at Braintree was called, and he was fined $30. Appealed.

Doyle was also arraigned for cruelty to hens by confining them in a tight barrel, which resulted in the death of seventeen of them and was fined $15. Appealed.

Press Banquet.

The Boston Press Club will hold its annual banquet, Tuesday, Jan. 26, at the American House, Boston. Gov. Wolcott, Mayor Quincy of Bosten and others will speak. Good music is promised, and artists from Keith's Theatre will assist. Henry H. Faxon has contributed three large dictionaries. Among the prizes to be offered will be one to the participant of the dinner who writes a word nearest in location to a word secretly marked in a dictionary.

China has an order of nobility, which is conferred on deserving subjects who are able to pay well for the distinction.

A philologist of high repute is authority for the statement that there are 72 languages spoken in Russia.

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A LOCAL NEWS ITEM.

One bright, cold afternoon in October, just as the huge city hall clock struck 3, James McBryan walked into the registrar's office, where the election commissioners were in session, to hear convict cases. He belonged to that great mass of humanity which labored in the factories, and to the ordinary observer did not appear like a man who had served four years in the state penitentiary. The prison pallor which marked him as a convict when he departed from that institution had disappeared from his face, and he carried his head erect.

When McBryan took the witness stand, he held up his right hand and swore the evidence he was about to give was the truth, the whole truth and nothing but the truth whatsoever to God. He answered in the affirmative when asked by the chairman of the board if there was any reason why his name should not be stricken from the registry list.

"When were you arrested?" demanded the official.

"In 1884," replied the witness.

"For what crime?"

"Theft, sir."

"Were you convicted?"

"Yes; first in the police court, and later in the superior criminal court. But, gentlemen," pleaded the witness, "it was for a crime I never committed, and I don't see—I don't see how a man should lose his vote when he's innocent."

McBryan's words were spoken earnestly.

Those few persons in the room gathered closer around the central group. The commissioners settled down in their chairs and listened with greater attention.

Seated in a chair near the reporters' table Joseph Colby, the representative of the press, tapped his pencil thoughtfully against the pad on the desk. He heard the testimony of McBryan with interest, and when the witness declared his innocence of a crime for which he served four years in state's prison the newspaper man jotted down the statement and mentally resolved to write up a good story of the proceedings for his sheet.

As Colby went away from city hall with enough notes for a column article his first opinion remained unchanged. The story was a good one. It was an "exclusive," and under display headlines would look attractive. Then the city editor would recognize the merits of the work, and to win the favor of that personage was considered diplomatic by all knowing reporters.

However, crime, disaster and incidents of intense human interest play such a prominent part in the life of a newspaper man that Colby just viewed the facts in a professional light. Sentiment, he thought, was entirely out of place in a reporter on one of the modern progressive news distributers. It was a strong feature in stories, however, and met with the approval of the reading public.

Colby hurried along the crowded thoroughfares to The Press building and was soon grinding out copy for the typesetting machines. He told the story of McBryan's claims of innocence and followed with the action of the commissioners in granting him the privilege of casting his ballot in all election contests. The commission evidently thought him imprisoned falsely.

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The cold air of the night stamped its mark plainly on the thin face of the little woman in black. She was a stranger in the editorial rooms of a metropolitan daily and seemed rather startled at the multitude of reporters, the incessant ticking of telegraph instruments, the shouting for "more copy" and other strange sights.

"Is the editor in?" she inquired timidly of the stately man at the head of the room.

He nodded yes and asked her errand.

"My husband's John McBryan," she remarked in way of explanation, "and I come to see if you'd keep out that story 'bout his comin before those 'lection commissioners.

"You see," she continued, choking down a lump which rose in her throat, "he's been in prison once, and when the men he works for finds out they just discharge him as a suspicious character. He's got a good job in a factory now and has steady work and tries to earn an honest livin, but that makes no difference. He's lost many a good job already 'cause the men he works with found he's been a convict. They tell him that he or they must quit. John says he's innocent, and I believe him, and, mister, if you print that story tellin all about him bein in prison, even though he's innocent, the men'll read it, and that means John will have to lose his place. And that ain't all. We've had to keep movin from house to house 'cause the men say they don't want convicts in their tenements. I hain't got any money to pay you to keep the story out, but if you wouldn't print it I'd be much obliged."

"Who told you we had the story?" asked the editor.

"Oh, I just stood outside up to city hall and watched your reporter take down the notes and then followed him here. John don't know I'm here."

Ten minutes later a sharp whistle in the composing room brought the foreman to the pneumatic tube which connected with the city news department.

"That election convict story on the machines?" asked the city editor abruptly.

"The one marked leader?"

"Yes."

"Just set up and locked in the forms."

"Kill it!"—Cincinnati Post.

Toys In Gold and Silver.

Miniature toys exquisitely wrought in precious metal and simulating in minutest detail large objects of everyday life, such as a chair, coach or pianoforte, find eager patrons among collectors of curios and are also in demand for bric-a-brac cabinets in luxurious homes.

RABIES-PROOF DOGS.

A Simple Operation Performed by Mr. Lawyer's Father With Great Success.

Mr. E. J. Lawyer, state fire marshal, who has been interested in the children who were sent to the Pasteur institute to be treated for the bite of a mad dog, said yesterday:

"My father, William Lawyer, who is an old man, has always been fond of dogs, and he has always performed an operation on all the animals he has owned to prevent them from having the rabies. He has had but one animal affected, and in this case he failed to take the precaution as he had done with the other dogs.

"When he was 17 years of age, a German blacksmith, who lived at Hanover, Pa., owned two puppies. He called my father one day and said, 'William, I will show you something which will always be of use to you.' Taking one of the dogs, the blacksmith placed it in a boot top, and, opening its mouth, pulled the animal's tongue out. Then he took a sharp knife and made a slit under the dog's tongue, then took an awl and forced out a small worm. When he had completed the operation, the blacksmith asked father to try his hand on the other animal, which he did. The blacksmith then said: 'These dogs will never have the hydrophobia. If they are bitten by a mad dog, their jaws will lock, and they will not be able to open them.'"

The fire marshal said his father had taken the precaution to follow the blacksmith's advice. One of his dogs, which had been treated by this process, was bitten by a dog which was mad, and in a few days the mouth of Mr. Lawyer's dog became locked and the animal died without inflicting any injury to any one.

Mr. Lawyer says he would like to have some of the medical fraternity experiment with two dogs, taking the worm from the tongue of one and leaving it in the tongue of the other, then inoculating both with the virus from a dog known to have been affected with the rabies.—Baltimore Sun.

TUNNEL UNDER THE SEA.

Passageway From Italy to Sicily Being Actively Projected.

A tunnel between the mainland of Italy and the island of Sicily is now being actively projected. Plans and a model complete in every detail were executed by the Italian civil engineer De Johannis and are now on exhibition at the University of Padua.

The principle employed by him is that of boring in parabolic spiral lines. After thorough and careful studies of the strait of Messina, its varying depths, the nature of the ground and all other conditions which might assist or interfere with the success of the enterprise, De Johannis decided to begin his tunnel near San Giovanni di Sanitello, at the foot of the Aspromonte mountain range, while the mouth on the other side will be located on the plain Degli Inglesi.

The entire tunnel will be nearly two miles long and will consist of two shafts of about 10,000 feet each, descending at a large grade not exceeding 32 feet in each 1,000. Such a tunnel would be much preferable to a bridge, which would have to have a span of 4,500 feet, and with the enormous strength of the winds in the strait such an attempt appears to be exceedingly dangerous. This tunnel will cost about $350,000,000, but the money has not yet been appropriated. — Philadelphia Record.

A MODERN JAPHET.

Man Abducted In Infancy Finds His Parents After Thirty Years.

John Goodland of Hillman, Mich., is an up to date prototype of the hero in Marryatt's pleasing novel 'Japhet In Search of a Father." For 30 years he has been hunting for his father and now has found him in William Goodland, a wealthy farmer of Whitley county, Ind.

The son was kidnaped from his home when he was 2 years old. The search for him proved unavailing, and the parents mourned him as dead. Goodland, after being abducted, was placed in a foundlings' home, being subsequently adopted by a family living near Grand Rapids.

He began to prosecute the search for his parents when 15 years old. He is now 47, while his parents are the ages of 78 and 76 respectively. — Chicago Times-Herald.

Hopeless.

"I've done my best," the statesman said, "to satisfy mankind
I've struggled faithfully to leave self interest behind.
Could we run this nation gratis, we'd be liked without a doubt,
But revenue is something that we cannot do without.
Whene'er I tell my plans, there comes a muttering from the crowd
Where socialistic leaders hold conventions long and loud,
And 'midst the Babel falls this admonition on my ear—
'We will submit to anything except a tax on beer.'

"And so obligingly I turn to seek another way
To liquidate the various bills this government must pay.
It is the needless luxury, I next assure myself,
That ought to be the means of gaining necessary pelf.
These drugs which fill good people with forebodings and complaint
Shall swell the general coffer and be subjected to restraint;
But from the chappies comes a wail of terror and regret—
Seize what you will beside, but do not tax our cigarette!'

"And so it goes. All sleeplessly I toss till dawning light
Reminds me that another fruitless day begins its flight.
For everybody says, 'Of course the taxes must be paid,'
But every one insists that an exception shall be made.
No matter what I name, from works of art to shingle nails,
One class applauds with rapture and another class assails.
No matter how I strive and scheme, they fling it at me pat,
In unison the old refrain, 'Tax anything but that!'"

—Washington Star.

HAS STOOD OVER A CENTURY.

Interesting Unitarian Church Celebration at East Bridgewater.

East Bridgewater, Mass., Jan. 11.—There were interesting services at the Unitarian church yesterday, it being the 101st anniversary of the dedication of the structure. The society's first church was constructed in 1723, and its history is one of remarkable interest. The church was one of the leaders in the Unitarian movement, and the services yesterday were particularly notable, as the pastor, Rev. J. W. Quinby, had been supplied with many of the sermons preached by Rev. John Angier, the past 125 years ago.

The pastor spoke on the subject of the religious work of 100 years ago, as compared with that of today, showing that there was a material advance in ideas, but not assuming that the church members of today are any better than they were 100 years ago.

The music was appropriate to the occasion, and many of the old-time tunes composed by older residents of Bridgewater were sung in the old manner. In the afternoon there was an historical service, with remarks by Hon. B. W. Harris, Hon. I. N. Nutter, G. W. Allen and C. R. Crane. A poem was read by Miss Helen M. Bird.

Fishermen Drowned.

Gloucester, Mass., Jan. 11.—Two schooners arrived in port yesterday morning within a few hours of each other, and both came up the harbor with their flags at half-mast. The first was the Lizzie Griffin, whose captain, Alexander Griffin, reported the loss of two of his men, John Wilson, 28 years old, single, and a native of Portland, Me., and Alexander Nickerson, 26 years old, and a Russian. Both men were out hauling trawls at Quero on Dec. 26, but did not come back to the schooner at nightfall. It is supposed that their dory capsized with a heavy load of fish and both men were drowned. The second schooner was the J. W. Collins, also from the fishing banks. Her captain reported that in a heavy blow last week William T. Hayden, one of the crew, was washed off the mainboom and lost.

Banker Shoots Himself.

Lebanon, Pa., Jan. 11.—John M. Gossler, aged 40 years, cashier of the Lebanon National bank, attempted to commit suicide yesterday by shooting himself in the head. He will die. His wife and two children had gone to church, leaving him in the house alone. The ball lodged behind the right ear, and when found a few minutes afterwards he was unconscious. Besides his connection with the bank, Mr. Grossler was teacher of a large Bible class in the Lutheran church. For some time past his health has not been good, and this, it is believed, prompted him to end his life. His accounts at the bank are said to be correct.

Fires at Buffalo.

Buffalo, Jan. 11.—Paines & Co.'s lumber yard, on Lower Erie street, was damaged to the extent of $5000 by fire yesterday; fully insured. The five-story brick building on the corner of Ellicott and Seneca streets, occupied by Altman & Co., wholesale and retail clothiers, was badly damaged by fire yesterday. The fire apparently broke out on the fourth and fifth stories simultaneously, but its origin is unknown. Mr. Altman estimates the loss at $150,000, caused principally by water and smoke. The firm carried an insurance of $175,000.

Quincy Post Office.

Letters remaining uncalled for Jan. 11: K. W. Erickson, G. A. Fox, W. F. French, Edward Grabber, Midway Supply Co., Mr. Priwa, Richard S. Pearce, Edward Roach, Charles H. Tarbox.

Mrs. Thomas Carr, Mrs. Lucy Levandier, Rosa Laspa, Miss Elmira Middleton, Miss Isabella Young.

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DIED.

BECK—In Quincy, Jan. 9, Elvira V., daughter of Mr. Peter and Mrs. Matilda Beck, aged two months and 22 days.

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WANTED—An experienced dressmaker who can cut and fit wants a few engagements by the day. Address R. S. EMBREE, 275 Washington street, Quincy Point. j11-6t*

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FOR SALE—The very desirable House Lot No. 177 Wollaston Park, on the southerly side of Willow street, being the fourth lot from Elm avenue. It contains 5,250 square feet, is in a good location and less than one minute from electric cars. As the owner has made such a change in his business location as to make it useless for him to build on, he will make a very liberal discount from its cost to effect an immediate sale. G. W. TISDALE & SON, 178 Devonshire street, Boston. d29-12t

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On and after Friday, Jan. 1, 1896, cars will make trips on week days as follows:

Quincy and Neponset.

Leave CITY HALL for Neponset—6.00 A. M., 6.15, 6.30, 6.45, 7.00, and every 15, 30, 45 and 60 minutes past the hour until 7.00 P. M., then every half hour until 10.50 P. M. Cars leaving Quincy on the hour via. Norfolk Downs, except 6.00 P. M.

Leave NEPONSET—6.22 A. M., 6.37, 6.52, 7.07, 7.22, and every 7, 22, 37 and 52 minutes past the hour until 7.00 o'clock, then every half hour until 11 P. M.; last car for Quincy at 11.15 P. M. Cars leaving Neponset 22 minutes past the hour via. Norfolk Downs.

Quincy and East Weymouth.

Leave CITY HALL (10 minutes later from Quincy Point and 22 minutes later from North Weymouth)—5.45, 6.20, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, 11.20, 11.50 A. M.; 12.20, 12.50, 1.20, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20 4.50 5.20 (5.30 to East Weymouth car house), 5.50, 6.20, 6.50, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.50 P. M.

Leave EAST WEYMOUTH (20 minutes later from North Weymouth and 30 minutes later from Quincy Point)—6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11, 11.30 A. M.; 12, 12.30, 1, 1.30, 2, 2.30, 3, 3.30, 4, 4.30, 5, 5.30, 6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11.30 P. M.

Quincy and Holbrook.

Leave QUINCY for SOUTH BRAINTREE and HOLBROOK at 6.10 and 6.40 A. M., and every 10 minutes past and 20 minutes of the hour until 10 10 P. M. Last car leaves at 10.50 P. M. On Saturdays the last car leaves Quincy at 11.50 P. M.

Returning cars leave HOLBROOK for SOUTH BRAINTREE and QUINCY at 5.55 and 6.25 A. M., and every 25 minutes past and 5 minutes of the hour until 9.55 P. M. Last car leaves Holbrook at 11.30 P. M.

☞ On Sundays on the Weymouth route cars will leave Quincy on the hour and half hour and East Weymouth at quarter past and quarter of the hour.

☞ Special trips can be arranged on application to the Superintendent.

☞ At Quincy Centre close connection is made with Electric Cars on all the routes.

☞ At Neponset close connection is made with West End Street Cars to and from Boston.

☞ Cars are due at Beale street, Wollaston, ten minutes after leaving Neponset and seven minutes after leaving Quincy.

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OLD COLONY SYSTEM.

On and after Nov. 2, 1896, trains will run as follows: (See note of explanation at bottom.)

TO BOSTON. Leave Quincy.	Stops at	Arrive Boston.	FROM BOSTON. Leave Boston.	Stops at	Arrive Quincy
r 6 12	abc	6 30	5 53	ihgfedcba*	6 20 r
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r 7 12	abc	7 30	7 30	cba	7 49 r
7 29	a	7 48	8 30	cba	8 49 r
r 7 42	abc	8 00	9 30	cba	9 49 r
r 8 12	abc	8 30	10 30	cba	10 49 r
8 29	a	8 45	11 30	cba	11 49 r
r 8 42	abc	9 00	12 00	(xx)	12 15
r 9 12	abc	9 30	12 30	cba	12 49 r
r 10 12	abc	10 30	1 30	cba	1 49 r
r 11 12	abc	11 30	2 30	cba	2 49 r
r 12 12	abc	12 30	3 30	cba	3 49 r
r 1 12	abc	1 30	4 30	cba	4 49 r
1 46	(xx)	2 00	5 00	cba	5 19 r
r 2 12	abc	2 30	5 15	a	5 32
r 3 12	abc	3 30	5 30	cba	5 49 r
r 4 12	abc	4 30	6 00	cba	6 19 r
r 5 12	abc	5 30	6 15	a	6 32
r 6 12	abc	6 30	6 30	cba	6 49 r
r 7 12	abc	7 30	7 00	cba	7 19 r
r 7 41	abcdefghi	8 07	7 30	cba	7 49 r
r 8 08	abcdef	8 30	8 30	fedcba	8 53 r
r 9 12	abc	9 30	9 30	cba	9 49 r
r 10 08	abcdef	10 30	10 30	fedcba	10 53 r
r 10 34	abcdefghi	11 08	11 00	ihgfedcba	11 27 r
r 11 12	abc	11 30	11 30	cba	11 49 r

SUNDAYS.

6 38	abcdef	7 00	4 05	fda	4 23
8 46	(xx)	9 00	7 30	fedcba	7 53 r
r 9 12	abc	9 30	8 30	(xx)	8 45
r 12 16	(xx)	12 30	9 30	ihgfedcba	9 57 r
1 12	abc	1 30	10 30	ihgfedcba	10 57 r
2 16	(xx)	2 30	11 30	(xx)	11 45
r 3 04	abcdefghi	3 30	12 30	cba	12 49
r 4 04	abcdefghi	4 30	1 30	(xx)	1 45
5 16	(xx)	5 30	4 30	cba	4 49 r
r 6 08	abcdef	6 30	5 00	(xx)	5 15
r 9 08	abcdef	9 30	7 00	fedcba	7 23 r
9 38	adf	9 55	10 30	fedcba	10 53 r

*The letters in the same line as the figures stand for different stations and indicate that trains stop, as follows:

a, Wollaston. b, Norfolk Downs c, Atlantic. d, Neponset. e, Pope's Hill. f, Harrison Square. g, Savin Hill. h, Crescent Avenue. i, South Boston. r, Quincy Adams. (xx), Express.

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WOLLASTON—Ross' news stand and carriers.

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QUINCY POINT—Miss Freeman's store.

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EAST WEYMOUTH—George H. Hunt.

WEYMOUTH LANDING—W. E. Cunningham.

NO. WEYMOUTH—B. F. Thomas.

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MOON'S PHASES.

New Moon	3	1:03 a.m.	Full Moon	18	3:17 p.m.
First Quarter	10	4:46 p.m.	Third Quarter	25	3:08 p.m.

THE WEATHER INDICATIONS.

ALMANAC, MONDAY, JAN. 11.

Sun rises—7:12; sets, 4:33.

Length of day—9:21.

Moon sets—12:38 a. m.

High water—5:15 a. m.; 5:45 p. m.

Forecast for New England: Threatening weather; southerly winds.

Life Everywhere.

Whether we look or whether we listen,
We hear life murmur or see it glisten,
Every clod feels a stir of might,
An instinct within it that reaches and towers,
And, groping blindly above it for light,
Climbs to a soul in grass and flowers.
The flush of life may well be seen
Thrilling back over hills and valleys
The cowslip startles in meadows green,
The buttercup catches the sun in its chalice,
And there's never a leaf or a blade too mean
To be some happy creature's palace.
The little bird sits at his door in the sun,
Atilt like a blossom among the leaves,
And lets his illumined being o'errun
With the deluge of summer it receives.
His mate feels the eggs beneath her wings,
And the heart in her dumb breast flutters and sings.
He sings to the wide world, and she to her nest.
In the nice ear of nature, which song is the best?

—Lowell.

Immortality.

A humble singer sang a little song
Years, years ago.
Now o'er her lowly grave the bramble spreads
And scant weeds grow.

Her memory in no living heart remains,
Yet her song lives
And to the soul that mourns its dear and dead
Sweet comfort gives.

—Emily Hewitt Leland in New York Sun.

Love is a smoke raised with the fume of sighs;
Being purged, a fire sparkling in lovers' eyes;
Being vexed, a sea nourished with lovers' tears.
What is it else? A madness most discreet,
A choking gall and a preserving sweet.

—Shakespeare.

Convict Labor.

The convicts of Mississippi are a source of revenue to the state, the profit derived from them last year having been $40,000. The state has bought 8,000 acres of good farming land and rented or leased much more, and on this land its 900 convicts are worked, humanely but diligently, so as to secure the best results. The Jackson Clarion-Ledger sees no reason why other states cannot profit by Mississippi's experience and carry on farming operations for profit. It says: "In case the farmers of the state object to this sort of 'competition,' then the best thing to do with convicts is to maintain the public highways with them. Good roads benefit all classes."

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FATE OF FUNDING BILL.

House Will Vote on Measure Today Under Special Order.

Means Settlement of $112,000,000 Debt.

Uncle Sam May Be Compelled to Foreclose Mortgages.

Washington, Jan. 11.—Today will decide the fate of the Pacific railroads funding bill, which will be voted on in the house, under special order.

The bill involves the settlement of the $112,000,000 of indebtedness of the Union Pacific and Central Pacific on the basis of an extension of over 80 years at 2 per cent, with an annual extinguishment payment on the principal at the rate of $365,000 for the first 10 years, $580,000 for the second 10 years, and $750,000 for the remaining years. It involves, as the alternative of its defeat, the probable immediate foreclosure of the government's lien and the sale of the property.

It is the culmination of the struggle which has gone on in congress for a dozen years, to secure some sort of an adjustment of the Pacific railroad indebtedness on the basis of an extension, as it has been apparent for a long period that the roads would default when the bonds matured. The interests at stake are gigantic, and the friends of the bill are straining every nerve. The opponents of the measure are also active, and the result is awaited with intense interest. Each side claims it will be victorious today. Both sides have made polls of the members, upon which they base their claims. Before the final vote is taken on the bill, the Bell and Harrison substitutes, both of which are pending, will be voted upon. The former provides that if the Union Pacific and the Central Pacific will discharge the first mortgage indebtedness of $61,000,000, so as to advance the government's lien to a first mortgage, the government will agree to the extension of the debt at a low rate of interest. The Harrison substitute provides for the creation of a commission consisting of the secretary of the treasury, the secretary of the interior and the attorney general, for the settlement of the debt on a basis fair to the roads and just to the government.

After the funding bill is disposed of the house will proceed with the consideration of appropriation bills until Saturday, which will be given up to eulogies on the life and character and public services of the late ex-Speaker Crisp.

The Indian and military appropriation bills are on the calendar, and before they are disposed of the agricultural bill will be brought on.

The course of the senate this week will depend largely upon whether the Pacific railroad funding bill passes the house and whether Senator Cameron will call up his Cuban resolutions.

Mr. Cameron's friends expect that he will be in his seat today, and that when he returns he will indicate his desire as to the resolutions on the Cuban question. If he decides to press the resolutions, there will be a determined effort to aid him in this direction, but in any event there are likely to be a few speeches on Cuba.

Senator Mills has announced his purpose to address the senate on the question today, and it is understood that Senator Davis is preparing a Cuban speech.

The Pettigrew free homestead bill is expected to reach a vote today or tomorrow, and it is to be followed by the Pacific railroad bill, if the latter bill passes the house.

Senator Cullom, who will have charge of the legislative, executive and judicial appropriation bill, said yesterday that he expects to be able to report that measure by the middle of the week, and that he will ask the senate to consider it as soon as reported.

EQUAL FORMER INAUGURATIONS

Washington Preparing For Brilliant Celebration on March 4.

Washington, Jan. 11.—President McKinley's inauguration will equal in brilliianty and pageantry any former induction into office of the chief executive of the nation.

A large number of committees, composed of prominent citizens, each having in charge a single feature, are working in perfect accord, and the results so far obtained give assurance of complete success. All of the money asked for by the executive committee has been contributed, and a number of contracts have already been let.

At a meeting of the executive committee, Chairman Wright of the committee on public comfort reported that he will be able to furnish lodgings for 100,000 persons if necessary.

General Clay, from the committee on military organizations, reported that there would be in the parade one entire division from Pennsylvania consisting of the governor and his staff, division and brigade commanders and their staffs, three regiments of 10 companies each, 12 regiments of eight companies each, one battalion of four companies, one separate company, three troops of cavalry, two companies of naval militia, in all 8600 men. Maryland will send her entire National Guard, and large bodies of troops are expected from New York, New Jersey, Ohio, Rhode Island, Massachusetts and other states.

The cadets from the United States Military academy at West Point and from the United States Naval academy at Annapolis also will be in line, as well as a large number of crack military organizations from different parts of the country. Applications from many civic societies and clubs for positions are being received, and this feature of the parade will no doubt be unusually fine.

The inaugural ball promises to be an exceptionally brilliant affair. The decorations will be very elaborate, and all of the appointments of a high order. The contract for the banquet was let to Carl G. Essner of Philadelphia after a spirited competition among caterers in the east. A military band of 65 pieces and an orchestra of 125 pieces will furnish the music from separate stands to be erected at the east and north ends. The committee on civic organizations contemplates the erection of information booths along the line of the parade, and in the business portions of the city to be manned by the members of the Washington high school cadets. The Washington Light Infantry Veteran association has tendered its services to the committee to escort them during inaugural week. As usual reductions in railroad rates from all parts of the country is expected.

M'KINLEY'S CABINET.

President-Elect Says This Week Will Be an Important One.

Cleveland, Jan. 11.—Major McKinley said to a friend yesterday that this week would be an important one in the process of organizing his cabinet and administration. The gossip connecting ex-Governor John D. Long of Massachusetts with the next cabinet seems to have a pretty strong basis for its existence. Major McKinley has been thinking about ex-Governor Long for several weeks, and the visits of Senator Proctor evidently caused the matter to be thoroughly and seriously discussed. Major McKinley knew Governor Long extremely well, and has always had a high opinion of his character and ability.

But the formation of the cabinet hinges upon the positions of secretary of state and secretary of the treasury, and it is quite probable that both of these cabinet portfolios will be tendered and accepted by the end of the week. Senator Sherman has had some communication with Major McKinley, and he will go to Canton whenever the president-elect desires him to do so. His visit will, according to present arrangements here, be made about the middle of the week. It is now pretty well established that Major McKinley wants Senator Sherman to be secretary of state, but it is by no means certain that Mr. Sherman has made up his mind to accept a cabinet appointment. His inclination is to remain in the senate, but many of his most valued friends are earnestly urging him to close his notabe public career by a brilliant administration of the department of state.

Mark Hanna's desire to go to the senate may have much to do with Mr. Sherman's appointment to the cabinet. If Mr. Sherman does not accept a cabinet position, the way to the senate will remain closed to Mr. Hanna. It is rumored that Senator-elect Foraker will be invited to visit Canton while Mr. Sherman is there. Upon the action of Mr. Foraker and his friends the senatorial aspirations of Chairman Hanna depend. Governor Bushnell of Ohio, who will appoint Mr. Sherman's successor for the unexpired term of two years, is a devoted friend of Senator-elect Foraker, and the impression prevails that, while Foraker and Bushnell are thoroughly friendly to Major McKinley, and desire to support him loyally and efficiently, they do not wish to build up Mr. Hanna's personal prestige and power. Therefore, the belief is current in Ohio that, unless Governor Bushnell will consent to appoint Mr. Hanna to the senate, the latter will himself accept a cabinet appointment.

Notwithstanding the fact that one week ago Senator Cullom sincerely said he could not accept a cabinet portfolio, if it were offered him, he is today a potent possibility. Senator Cullom is highly esteemed by the president-elect, and is considered a wise, well-equipped, vigorous man of high character and most excellent training in public life. A good deal more is likely to be heard of Senator Cullom in connection with the cabinet within the next three weeks.

The availability of Judge Nathan Goff for the cabinet position daily becomes more manifest. If he is a member of the cabinet he will, doubtless, be attorney general or secretary of war.

Should Senator Sherman decide to remain in the senate, three eastern men will be considered in reference to their availability for appointment as secretary of state. They are Stewart L. Woodford and Andrew D. White of New York, and ex-Governor John D. Long of Massachusetts. Of the New York men, General Woodford is thought by those who are speculating upon the cabinet to have the better chance.

West End Employes Re-Rated.

Boston, Jan. 11.—The motormen and conductors on division 2 of the West End street railroad were surprised last night by the announcement that they would be rerated or replaced in positions formerly held by each previous to the recent strike. The rerating system meant that many an employe who had been in the service of the company for years, and who went on strike only to return to work on the extra list or as a spare hand, is once more fully reinstated. The move of the company will quiet whatever ill-feeling has remained on the part of the men. Only one division is yet included in the change.

Plenty of Speakership Material.

Little Rock, Jan. 11.—The 31st biennial session of the Arkansas legislature will assemble today. There are strong contests for the speakership of the house and the presidency of the senate, there being five candidates for the former and three for the latter place. The first public business as soon as the two houses are organized will be the inauguration of Dan W. Jones as governor. The ceremonies will be very simple. The legislature will, on the second Tuesday after its organization, elect a United States senator to succeed James K. Jones. As Senator Jones has no opposition, the election excites no interest.

Proctor Refused Portfolio.

Washington, Jan. 11.—Senator Proctor of Vermont has returned from Cleveland, where he was in consultation with President-elect McKinley. The senator declines to discuss for publication the object of his visit, as he says his conference with Major McKinley was entirely confidential. Mr. Proctor, however, felt free to say for himself that it has been known that he personally did not want and would not accept a cabinet position or any other office.

Dr. Kirkpatrick Exonerated.

Rochester, Jan. 11.—Rev. Dr. Kirkpatrick, pastor of the Second Universalist church of this city, who was arrested some days ago charged with impersonating an officer, has been unanimously acquitted by jury trial. When the announcement of not guilty was made the spectators in the court broke into cheers. His congregation stood by him solidly, all expressing confidence in his innocence throughout the trial.

Steel Works Start Up.

Johnstown, Pa., Jan. 11.—The Johnson company's steel motor works, after a six weeks' shutdown, resumed this morning. It is expected that every department will be working full before the close of the week. The Cambria rail mill, No. 1, the 12 and 16-inch mills and the scrap mill will resume work this week, giving employment to many idle men. The steel mills were put in blast last night.

More Tuberculous Cattle.

Lewiston, Me., Jan. 11.—Dr. Choate of Lewiston has examined three milk herds that have been supplying the elite of Lewiston and Auburn and found nine cows with tuberculosis, or 20 per cent. The cows will be killed.

Wants Separate Incorporation.

Portland, Me., Jan. 11.—A movement is on foot to set off Peak's island from the city of Portland, and incorporate it as a town by itself. The island is a popular summer resort, and is only about a mile from the city. Its all the year around inhabitants number about 200, but in the summer season it has a poulation of 10,000 to 20,000. The petitions for separation from Portland are being generally signed on Peak's island.

Summer Residence Burned.

Gloucester, Mass., Jan. 11.—The summer house of Albert Somes, son of George H. Somes, of the firm of Saville, Somes & Co., of Boston, at West Gloucester, was completely burned yesterday morning, together with a barn and two outbuildings. The fire was undoubtedly of incendiary origin, as the house was unoccupied. The loss will be $3000.

Will Again Become a Missionary.

Fall River, Mass., Jan. 11.—Rev. Arthur May Knapp, widely known in the Unitarian denomination for his work in the missionary field in the far East, yesterday presented his resignation as pastor of the Unitarian church here. The reasons for his action are private, and it is understood that he will return to Japan as a missionary.

Killed Herself In Cemetery.

Danbury, Conn., Jan. 11.—Miss Julia Benjamin, aged 40, committed suicide in Wooster cemetery last night by taking carbolic acid. Cause, hereditary insanity. She started for church shortly after 7 o'clock. As she did not return a search was instituted, and about 11 o'clock she was found dead in the cemetery.

Arrested For Burglary.

Lynn, Mass., Jan. 11.—Patrick McCarthy, John Flynn and Fred Hortland have been arrested on suspicion of having blown open the safe of the bakery of Josiah Fitz, 4th, on George street, Saturday night. The burglars were frightened away after cracking the safe, and so stole nothing.

Robbed a Drug Store.

Gloucester, Mass., Jan. 11.—Samuel Tupper, a young man living in East Gloucester, has been arrested on a charge of breaking and entering the apothecary store of Winslow McMillan on Dec. 26 and obtaining $100 in cash from the safe, which he is charged with blowing open.

Liquor License Decision.

Boston, Jan 11.—The full bench of the supreme court has decided that the statute limiting liquor licenses to one for every 1000 of the population is constitutional. The decision was the result of a test case brought by Charles H. Deole of Newburyport against the license commissioners of that city, who rejected his application for the reason that by statute of 1888, chapter 340, they were restricted from doing so.

College Polo.

Cambridge, Mass., Jan. 11.—Two games of ice polo have been arranged between Harvard and Brown university. The first will be played with Brown on Feb. 18, and the second in Boston on Feb. 23. In case of a tie a third game will be played at a place mutually agreed upon. Harvard will also play the winner of the Ice Polo league.

Planning Another Massacre.

Brussels, Jan. 11.—The Turkish Reform league has issued from Brussels an appeal to the people of Europe declaring that the sultan has planned a massacre to take place during the approaching Ramazan fast and imploring the powers to interfere, depose the sultan and proclaim Rechad Effendi, younger brother of the sultan and heir presumptive, his successor, with a council of state made up of equal numbers of moslems, Christians and Europeans.

Has Preached 7800 Sermons.

Schenectady, N. Y., Jan. 11.—The exercises in commemoration of the 50th anniversary of the pastorate of Rev. Horace G. Day of the First Baptist church in this city began yesterday, and will continue for four days. Mr. Day, in a historical sermon, said he had preached on an average three sermons a week since he had been in the ministry, making a total of 7800. He has united 600 couples in marriage, and has officiated at over 1000 funerals.

Death of Insurance Man.

Portland, Me., Jan. 11.—Warren Sparrow, for many years one of Portland's most prominent insurance men and a citizen closely identified with public affairs, died yesterday in Deering, at the age of 82. He was well known all over the states of Maine and Massachusetts as one of the leading insurance agents, and he leaves a large circle of friends to mourn his death. Five children survive him.

Medal For Professor Barnard.

Chicago, Jan. 11.—Professor Edward Emerson Barnard of the Yerkes observatory has been awarded the gold medal of the Royal Astronomical society in London. Professor Barnard has made several additions to science, chief among which was the discovery of the fifth satellite of Jupiter.

Trial of "Terrible."

London, Jan. 11.—H. M. S. Terrible, the new first-class cruiser, had her trials over a 23-mile course off the Cornish coast on Saturday. The speed developed showed an average of 22½ knots an hour, beating, it is claimed, the record of every war vessel afloat.

Oldest Canadian Journalist.

Victoria, B. C., Jan. 11.—Henry Lawson, for eight years past editor of The Colonist, died Saturday. He was the oldest journalist in Canada, having been connected with papers in Montreal, Toronto and other cities for 40 years.

Lilliokalani at Niagara.

Buffalo, Jan. 11.—Ex-Queen Lilliuokalani of Hawaii arrived in Buffalo shortly after noon yesterday. She remained here for an hour and went to Niagara Falls, where she will remain a day and then return to Boston.

Skater's Body Recovered.

Laconia, N. H., Jan. 11.—The body of Edward Dolloff, who was drowned by skating into an air hole Saturday, has been recovered. Dolloff's watch stopped at 4:30, the time of the accident.

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Women vie with each other in making themselves attractive, for men admire a stylishly dressed woman.



Good clothes add to the charms of the woman in perfect health, but are ill-befitting those who through ignorance or carelessness have suffered the inroads of female diseases to stamp them as physical wrecks. It is unfortunate, but true, that some physicians allow women to suffer needlessly, because man can only work from theory, and at best only patch up, without removing the cause.

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"Such pains as I endured. My back ached, my feet and limbs were swollen, and it was almost impossible for me to stand; I could not walk any distance. I received your answer to my letter, and followed closely all your advice, and I have been using Lydia E. Pinkham's Compound for three months. Now I can work all day without pain. I have recommended the Compound to many of my friends, and gladly recommend it to all women in any way afflicted with female troubles."—LYDIA BATIE, 227 Spring St., Greensburg, Pa.

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NORFOLK, ss. COURT OF INSOLVENCY.

TO William L. Ripley, Edward E. Hoxie, Charles S. Ripley, F. E. Pinkham, and John H. Dinegan, all of Quincy, in said County of Norfolk, GREETING:

Whereas, Kimball J. Fenno and Asa P. French, the Assignees of the Quincy Cycle Company, an insolvent corporation having its place of business in said Quincy, have presented to said Court their petition, praying that this Court will declare void and cause to be surrendered and cancelled a certain mortgage of personal property running from William L. Ripley and F. E. Pinkham, doing business under the name of the Quincy Cycle Co., signed by William L. Ripley, as treasurer, to John H. Dinegan for one dollar and other considerations, date 1 Nov. 13, 1895, and recorded with the Records of Mortgagees of Personal Property of the City of Quincy, book 14, page 24, and for further relief as justice may require.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Court of Insolvency to be holden at Dedham, in said County of Norfolk, on the third Wednesday of January next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

And said petitioners are ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to each of you who may be found in said Commonwealth fourteen days at least before said Court; or if any of you shall not be so found, either by delivering a copy thereof to you wherever found, by leaving a copy thereof at your usual place of abode, or by mailing a copy thereof to you at your last known post-office address, fourteen days at least before said Court; and also, unless it shall be made to appear to the Court by affidavit that you all have had actual notice of the proceeding, by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in QUINCY DAILY LEDGER, a newspaper published in said Quincy, the last publication to be seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, George White, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-ninth day of December, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six.

JOHN D. COBB, Assistant Register.

W. W. JENNESS, Attorney, 87 Milk Street, Boston. 1-8-11

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TO William L. Ripley, Edward E. Hoxie, and Charles S. Ripley of Quincy, in said Massachusetts, and to Moses W. Webber of Nashua, in the State of New Hampshire, GREETING:

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NORFOLK, ss. PROBATE COURT.

TO the heirs-at-law and all persons interested in the estate of

ANDREW GRANEY,

late of Quincy, in said County of Norfolk, deceased, testate.

Whereas, Jane Graney, administratrix of the estate of said deceased, has presented her petition for authority to mortgage certain real estate therein described, of the estate of said deceased, to raise the sum of three hundred, nine and 42-100 dollars for the purposes of payment of debts.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Quincy, in said County of Norfolk, on the thirteenth day of January, A. D. 1897, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to each person interested fourteen days at least before said court, or by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the QUINCY DAILY LEDGER, a newspaper published in Quincy, the last publication to be one day at least before said Court.

Witness George White, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this thirty-first day of December, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

NORFOLK, ss. PROBATE COURT.

TO the next-of-kin and all persons interested in the estate of

ANNIE L. PETTERSON,

of Quincy, in said County, an insane person.

Whereas, Swan J. Petterson, guardian and husband of said Annie, has presented to said Court his petition, representing that he is desirous of conveying certain real estate, described in said petition, in fee; and that his wife is an insane person and is therefore incompetent to release her right of dower in said real estate, and praying that he, as guardian of said Annie L. Petterson, may be authorized to release her said rights in said real estate.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Quincy, in said County of Norfolk, on the thirteenth day of January, A. D., 1897, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

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EVENT OF THE CENTURY

Arbitration Between England and United States Now Assured.

Pauncefote and Olney Signed Treaty Yesterday.

President Cleveland Sends Message to Senate on Subject.

Washington, Jan. 12.—Secretary Olney, in behalf of the United States, and Sir Julian Pauncefote, on the part of Great Britain, yesterday affixed their signatures to a new treaty, by which, for a term of five years, the two English-speaking nations agree to abide in peace and without resort to arms, all possible questions of controversy being referred to a court of arbitration, with the single exception that neither nation surrenders its honor or dignity to the judgment of arbitration. Later in the day President Cleveland sent the treaty and message, earnestly approving it, to the senate.

The treaty consists of 12 articles, and in print would fill about a newspaper column. One of the last points to be decided was that King Oscar II. of Sweden and Norway is to act as final arbitrater in case the others fail to agree on the final member of the court. The acceptance of the king and the final agreement on that detail was not cabled to Washington until late Sunday night, and even then one small detail remained to receive the approval of the British foreign office.

At 11:20 yesterday morning a cablegram from Lord Salisbury removed this last question and left the way clear for the formal execution of the instrument. Immediately on receiving the cable from Lord Salisbury, Sir Julian Pauncefote, accompanied by Lord Gough, first secretary of the embassy, proceeded to the state department. They were met in the secretary's private office by Mr. Olney and his private secretary, Mr. Blandford, and Mr. Crigler, who, as chief of the bureau of diplomatic correspondence, has charge of the drafting of treaties. There were a few formalities, as the signatures were but the culmination of a negotiation covering many weeks, during which a complete understanding has been reached on every phase of the subject.

It was felt, however, that the moment was an eventful one. The diplomatic bureau had prepared two copies of the documents. They were not in any sense ornate. The articles of agreement were engrossed in a fair hand on the simple red margined parchment paper ordinarily used for treaties by the state department. These copies were laid upon the secretary's desk, and then occurred a very necessary formality. The British ambassador produced a formidable looking document signed by Lord Salisbury certifying that he (the ambassador) was authorized to sign for the British government a treaty bearing on the subject specified. Secretary Olney replied by showing a letter from President Cleveland delegating to him authority to sign the proposed convention. Having thus satisfied themselves that everything was being conducted in regular order, the principles proceeded to the signature of the duplicate treaties. Sir Julian Pauncefote had the honor of signing first. Secretary Olney immediately placed his signature after that of the ambassador. This will be known as the British copy, and will never leave the possession of that government. Taking up the other copy, Secretary Olney signed it first, and Sir Julian signed after him. This was the United States copy, and likewise will remain in the possession of our government.

After the senate has passed upon it, a copy will be made of our original, and this will be used in the final exchange of ratifications later on. Then both of the copies were sealed with red wax. Secretary Olney impressed his private seal, a simple monogram "R. O.," and Sir Julian used his family crest, a lion, and the ceremonies were complete.

The pen used was a simple broad point steel stuck in a red and black hard rubber holder, but it will be treasured by the owner, Mr. Blandford.

The President's Message.

"I transmit herewith a treaty for the arbitration of all matters in difference between the United States and Great Britain. The provisions of the treaty are the result of long and patient deliberation and represent concessions made by each party for the sake of agreement upon the general scheme.

"Though the result reached may not meet the views of the advocates of immediate, unlimited and irrevocable arbitration of all international controversies, it is, nevertheless, confidently believed that the treaty cannot fail to be everywhere recognized as making a long step in the right direction, and as embodying a practical, working plan by which disputes between the two countries will reach a peaceful adjustment as matter of course and in ordinary routine.

"In the initiation of such an important movement it must be expected that some of its features will assume a tentative character looking to a further advance; and yet it is apparent that the treaty which has been formulated not only makes war between the parties to it a remote possibility, but precludes these fears and rumors of war, which of themselves too often assume the proportions of a national disaster.

"It is eminently fitting, as well as fortunate, that the attempt to accomplish results so beneficient should be initiated by kindred peoples, speaking the same tongue and joined together by all the ties of common traditions, common institutions and common aspirations. The experiment of substituting civilized methods for brute force as the means of settling international questions of right will thus be tried under the happiest auspices. Its success ought not to be doubtful, and the fact that its ultimate ensuing benefits are not likely to be limited to the two countries immediately concerned should cause it to be promoted all the more eagerly. The example set and the lesson furnished by the successful operation of this treaty are sure to be felt and taken to heart, sooner or later, by the other nations, and will thus mark the beginning of a new epoch in civilization.

"Profoundly impressed as I am, therefore, by the promise of transcendant good which this treaty affords, I do not hesitate to accompany its transmission with an expression of my earnest hope that it may commend itself to the favorable consideration of the senate.

"Grover Cleveland.

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estate of
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late of, in said County of Norfolk, de-
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Mary Graney, administratrix of the
estate of said deceased, has presented her peti-
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estate described, of the estate of said
deceased, to raise the sum of three hundred,
and fifty dollars for the purposes of pay-
ment.
You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate
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Norfolk, on the thirteenth day of January,
A.D. 1897, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to
show cause, if any you have, why the same
should not be granted.
And said petitioner is ordered to serve this
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person interested fourteen days at least
before said Court, or by publishing the same
once a week, for three successive weeks,
in the QUINCY DAILY LEDGER, a newspaper
printed in Quincy, the last publication to be
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Witness Edward White, Esquire, Judge of said
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in the estate of
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late of Norfolk County, an insane person.
Whereas, Susan J. Petterson, guardian and
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Court her petition, representing that he is de-
prived of certain real estate, described
as follows, in fee; and that his wife is an
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The treaty consists of 12 articles, and in print would fill about a newspaper column. One of the last points to be decided was that King Oscar II. of Sweden and Norway is to act as final arbitrater in case the others fail to agree on the final member of the court. The acceptance of the king and the final agreement on that detail was not cabled to Washington until late Sunday night, and even then one small detail remained to receive the approval of the British foreign office.

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The officers have reached the conclusion that the crime was committed by two men. It is certain that an outrage was committed, and there is reason to think that the assailants of the woman did not believe she was dead or dying when she was left in the hollow.

It is too early yet to give names, but it is believed that the officers are tightening the chain of evidence about one or more men who are likely to be arrested. It is practically certain that the murder was committed at 7:15 o'clock.

There is much talk of lynching should the perpetrators of the crime be caught and their guilt certain.

Women's Suffragists.

Boston, Jan. 12.—The Massachusetts Woman's Suffrage association met in the Park Street church yesterday, with Mrs. Julia Ward Howe as the presiding officer, Mrs. Livermore being detained home by sickness. Miss Gail Laughlin, a Wellesly graduate, and a law student, spoke on the main topic, "Woman's Suffrage." Mrs. Howard S. Stansburg, one of the editors of the Rock Mountain News of Colorado, and who was a candidate for the legislature of that state in the recent campaign, told of the progress of the cause in Colorado. She read a letter from Mrs. Olive C. Butler, a Charlestown lady, who had married a Lynn man and afterward went to Colorado in 1880, where she was elected to the legislature this fall. Mrs. Susan Fessenden, Mrs. Eliza Trask Hill and Mrs. J. Ellen Foster, president of the National league, also spoke. In the evening H. D. Blackwell presided, and addresses were made by Rev. Augusta Chapin of Nebraska, Mrs. Carrie Chapman-Catt of the National American Woman's Suffrage association, Mrs. J. Ellen Foster of Washington, Miss Elizabeth Yates, formerly in the Chinese mission field; Rev. George D. Perrin of Boston, and Miss Mary Clark Smith. The session will continue today.

First Legislative Day.

Boston, Jan. 12.—The legislature yesterday held a short session, both branches adjourning as soon as their respective presiding officers had announced the committees for the session. Two important bills were introduced at this, the first legislative day, one in the senate by Senator Gallivan, providing for free transfers on the West End street railway in this city, as well as providing for citizenship qualifications for all motormen and conductors on street railways in the state; and one in the house in the nature of a resolve for the dredging of the Connecticut river from Springfield to Holyoke, so that it might be navigable from its mouth to the latter city. Hereafter both branches will hold short sessions of an hour each day from 1 to 2 p. m.

Suit Against Canton.

Dedham, Mass. Jan. 12.—The suit of the Lexington print works against the inhabitants of the town of Canton went on trial in the civil session of the Norfolk superior court before Judge Richardson yesterday. The case is an action of tort, to recover damages for the loss of water privileges which the plaintiffs claim belong to them, and which they claim the defendant has infringed upon. The Lexington print works get their power from Beaver brook, Canton, and now claim that about 1892 the defendant so interfered for the purpose of obtaining a water supply, with their water privileges, as to cause a lack of power and the consequent shutting down of the mill. The defendant sets up a claim that their water supply is from driven wells.

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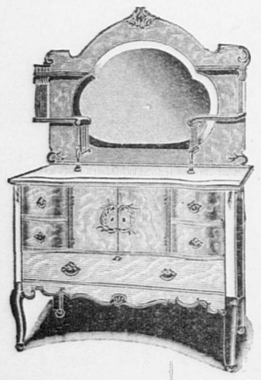
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Two Weeks' Temperature.

	This Week.	Last Week
Sunday	43	39
Monday	42	54
Tuesday	31	59
Wednesday	—	41
Thursday	—	34
Friday	—	29
Saturday	—	28

CONGRATULATIONS to Representatives Newcomb and Thompson and also Senator Flint of this district upon their Legislative apportionments.

STATISTICS HAVE been compiled, which show that 23 per cent. of the registered voters at the last State election either stayed at home or dodged the license vote. In Quincy the per cent. was only 15 1-2 and the lowest in any city was 13 1-4 per cent. Only six cities had a smaller per cent. of "stay at homes" and "dodgers."

THE STANDING COMMITTEES of the City Council, as appointed by President Bryant, seem to give good satisfaction, unless it be a little jealousy because the Ward Five men fared the best, but it should be remembered that all the Wollaston men have experience. Councilman Sprague is in his old position as chairman of the Committee on Public Buildings, while Councilman Nickerson was first of the reelected members of the Street Committee, and Councilman Pinkham first of the Sewer Committee, and naturally would be chairman.

Three of the eight chairmanships fell to the members at large, while if all were considered from wards the division would be: Ward One, 2; Ward Two, 2; Ward Three, 0; Ward Four, 1; Ward Five 3; Ward Six, 0. From another standpoint, Ward One members serve in 7 positions, Ward Two in 8, Ward Three in 7; Ward Four in 6, Ward Five in 4, and Ward Six in 8.

With the exception of four Councilmen all the members serve on two committees and no more. The four with one committee are Messrs. Anderson, Nickerson, Sprague and Rideout, and the first three are chairmen, and Mr. Rideout is on a hardworked committee.

All the wards are represented on the three important committees of Finance, Streets and Sewers, but the others are composed of less than six so some wards cannot be represented. Wards Two and Three have no members of the Committee on Public Buildings; Wards One and Five have none on the Committee on Fire Department; Wards One, Three, Four and Five on Legislative Matters; Wards Three Five and Six none on Ordinances; and Wards Two, Four, Five and Six none on Health.

An alphabetical list of the Councilmen with committees follows:

*Anderson, Luther S.,—Finance.
Badger, Frank E.,—Finance, Public Buildings.
Cain, Thomas F.,—Public Buildings, Ordinances.
Edwards, Stephen H.,—Fire Department, Legislative Matters.
Field, John Q. A.,—Finance, Streets.
Geary, Michael B.,—Finance, Sewers.
Hultman, Eugene N.,—Streets, Fire Department.
Johnson, Benjamin, Jr.,—Finance, Legislative Matters.
*Little, Stephen B.,—Fire Department, Streets.
McGrath, Henry—Sewers, Fire Department.
Murray, John C.,—Streets, Health.
Nash, John W.,—Sewers, Health.
*Nickerson, Nathan G.,—Streets.
*Packard, Elisha—Health, Ordinances.
Parker, Theodore—Streets, Sewers,
*Phillips, Hiram W.,—Legislative Matters, Sewers.
*Pinkham, Walter S.,—Sewers, Finance.
Poland, John E.,—Public Buildings, Fire Department.
Rideout, Warren H.,—Finance.
*Sidelinger, George A.,—Ordinances, Sewers.
*Sprague, Eugene H.,—Public Buildings.
Swithin, John—Streets, Public Buildings.

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THE CITY COUNCIL.

Standing Committees for the Year Announced.

Large Appropriations Asked for Sewers and Water.

Tax Collector Asked to Report on Unpaid Poll Taxes.

Every member answered the roll call at Monday night's meeting of the City Council and there were quite a number of spectators present, among whom were several of last year's Council.

Councilman Sprague who was not present January 4, was sworn in by Clerk Spear.

Sewer Appropriation.

A communication was received from the Sewer Commissioners requesting an appropriation of $160,000 for part of the sewer system. This amount they stated would complete the main sewer from Elm street to the pumping station, build the pumping station, and force main to the outlet, also construct about 5 miles of lateral sewer.

To joint committee on Finance and Sewers and Drains when appointed.

Water Appropriation.

The Mayor forwarded a communication from the Water Commissioners requesting an appropriation of $30,000 for extension of water mains. To joint Committee on Finance and Sewers and Drains.

Jury List.

President Bryant informed the Council that the jury list would be presented at the next meeting and if any member had any name they desired placed on the list to inform the City Clerk this week.

Sewer Meeting.

He also announced that Herbert Snow, city engineer of Brockton, would address the Board of Trade on Sewer Assessments at the Council chamber Tuesday evening.

Standing Committees.

President Bryant announced the standing committees of the Council for the year as follows:

Finance, Accounts, Claims, Contracts and Salaries,—Anderson, Pinkham, Rideout, Field, Geary, Badger and Johnson.

Streets, Ways, Sidewalks, Bridges and Lights,—Nickerson, Field, Murray, Little, Parker, Swithin and Hultman.

Public Buildings and Grounds,—Sprague, Badger, Poland, Cain and Swithin.

Sewers and Drains and Water Supply,—Pinkham, Parker, Phillips, Geary, Sidelinger, McGrath and Nash.

Fire Department and Police.—Little, Hultman, Edwards, Poland and McGrath.

Ordinances, Licenses, Printing, Rules and Orders,—Sidelinger, Packard and Cain.

Legislative Matters, Elections and Returns,—Phillips, Edwards and Johnson.

Health, Poor, State and Millitary Aid,—Packard, Nash and Murray.

Petitions.

Several petitions for minor licenses were received and referred.

Petitions for State and Military aid were received from Isaac Rich and Edward A. Brown. To Committee on State Aid.

Rules Adopted.

The special Committee on Rules reported some amendments to the rules of 1896 and they were then adopted and 150 copies ordered printed.

Orders, Etc.

Councilman Anderson offered an order requesting the Mayor to have 100 copies of his inaugural address printed. Adopted.

Councilman Anderson offered an order for the printing of the annual reports of the City officers. Read once.

Councilman Swithin and Cain were allowed to exchange seats.

Unpaid Polls.

Councilman Parker offered an order that the Tax Collector be requested to furnish the City Council at its meeting February 1, with the amount of unpaid poll taxes from 1886 to 1896. Adopted.

Adjourned at 7.50.

High School Reunion.

The reunion of the High school graduates on Friday evening promises to eclipse the social gathering of last year. At the reception from 7.30 to 8.15 President Battison of the Association will be assisted in receiving by his wife, Chairman Porter of the School Committee and his wife, President Bryant of the City Council and his wife, and Principal Tupper of the High School and his wife. The exercises to follow will include addresses by President Battison, Mr. Bryant, Miss Mabel E. Adams of the School Committee, and Mr. H. W. Lull, the Superintendent of Schools. These will be interspersed with vocal and instrumental music. Refreshments and dancing will follow. At 12 P. M. special cars will leave the High school building for all parts of the city.

Wollaston Post Office.

Letters remaining uncalled for week ending Jan. 9th:

Mr. Samuel E. Johnson, Mr. Greenwood, Mr. D. Briggs, Mrs. P. D. Aurelio, Mrs. M. W. Campbell, Mrs. P. J. Galvin, Mrs. S. A. Williams, Mrs. Annie Studder, Miss E. Alexander, Miss M. F. Connell, Miss Mary A. Cutler, Miss Gould, Miss Maude L. Jackson.

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—Rev. Albert Hammatt of the First Universalist church of Brockton has resigned.

ENGLISHMEN MASSACRED.

Peaceful Expedition to Benin City Totally Wiped Out.

London, Jan. 12.—A dispatch from Bonny, on the upper coast of Guinea, reports the massacre of all the members of a peaceable British expedition which left the coast about Jan. 1, intending to proceed to Benin City, on the Benin river, by way of Sapele.

The expedition consisted of Acting Consul General Phillips, Major Copeland Crawford, Captain Boisragon, who was the commandant of the force of the Niger coast protectorate; Captain Maling, belonging to the same force; Messrs. Campbell and Locke, consular officials; Dr. Elliott, Messrs Powis and Gordon, civilians, and a number of Kroomen and native carriers.

The yacht Ivy, belonging to the British consul, has returned to Bonny, and reports that the members of the entire expedition were killed by subjects of the King of Benin, which territory is included in the Niger coast protectorate.

It is stated in the foreign office advices that the party was unarmed when it left the consulate at Benin, on the west side of the Niger, traveling toward the Adamagu country. They were surprised on the frontier territory at Benin City, where they were fired upon, surrounded and massacred. The object of the mission is not yet known.

Benin City is within the Niger protectorate, and is 60 miles up the river Benin. The population is 50,000, and it is governed by a priesthood, which is notorious for human massacres. It is thought that the massacre is possibly connected with the recent escape of the king of the Okrik tribe to New Calabar, who was captured by the British.

It is feared that the disaster will have a bad effect on the Niger company's expedition, which is about to proceed against the Emir of Nupe.

A telegram from Lagos says that the expedition against the Emir of Nupe is still waiting at Lokoja. This expedition, sent out by the Royal Niger company, consists of 500 Hussa troops, six Maxims, 26 mounted European officers and 900 carriers. It is expected that it will march against Foula's forces at Kabba, southwest of the Niger. Sir George Goldie, the governor, has arrived, and will accompany the column. The Royal Niger company's flotilla of armed sternwheeled steamers will patrol the Niger and cut off the enemy's retreat to Bida, their capital.

The Times, in an editorial, explains that the old quarrel between the powerful Emir of Nupe and the Niger company was on account of the emir raiding the company's territory for slaves. The Foulas occupying Kabba are 20,000 foot and 2000 cavalry. The company have an arduous and perilous task. Their plan is daring and subject to many chances.

Military Carnival at New York.

New York, Jan. 12.—Madison Square Garden never presented a more brilliant appearance than it did last night, when the military bicycle and athletic carnival, in aid of the Hahnemann Hospital for National Guardsmen, was formally opened in the presence of over 8000 persons, including the wealth and beauty of this and adjacent cities. The tournament is noteworthy from the fact that the contests will all be participated in by the New York state militiamen and United States army and navy regulars only. Last night there was a very martial air about the garden. Old Glory was about the only decoration. The Stars and Stripes hung from every pillar and railing. The presence, too, of so many soldiers, and the fact that before the evening the air was redolent with powder smoke, enhanced the military aspect of the occasion. The exhibition given by the regulars evoked great enthusiasm and cheering. After a gymnastic drill, Co. 7, 43d infantry, in four files, gave an exhibition of wall scaling, and, as a climax, formed a human pyramid, and climbed a 35-foot wall, built from the floor to the balcony. This was followed by trick riding and maneuvers by Troop F, Third United States cavalry, under command of Captain Dodd.

Trouble Over a Crossing.

Milwaukee, Jan. 12.—One hundred employes of the Chicago and Northwestern railroad are guarding the road against 200 electrical railway men who are endeavoring to construct a crossing for the Milwaukee, Racine and Kenosha electric line. A hand to hand fight took place yesterday, in which a large number of people were injured. Postmaster Whalen of South Milwaukee was struck on the head by a shovel, and is seriously hurt. Two women and a number of men were scalded by steam thrown from the engine. Eighteen Chicago and Northwestern men, including Superintendent Cantillon, were arrested. Twenty-five special deputies have been sworn in to preserve the peace. A circuit court injunction was secured by the electric people, enjoining the Northwestern from preventing the construction of the crossing. Last night an order of stay of proceedings was secured from the supreme court at Madison, and was brought to Milwaukee, a distance of 82 miles, by a special train in 82 minutes. The two armed forces are encamped at the scene of the trouble.

Women Danced Nude.

Cincinnati, Jan. 12.—Detectives tried to raid a dance of the Seeley dinner description at 2 o'clock yesterday morning in the hall occupied by the Phi Delta Phi club. Fifty men, including members of the wealthiest families of Cincinnati and several politicians of state reputation, were the guests of the club. The dancers, four in number, appeared without clothing. They were secured from a vaudeville company which closed an engagement at the People's theater Sunday night. The performance began at midnight and lasted for two hours. Both dancers and audience succeeded in escaping before arrests could be made. The police commissioners have ordered an investigation.

Bricklayers and Masons.

Worcester, Mass., Jan. 12.—The annual convention of the International Brick Layers and Masons' union opened here yesterday, with an address of welcome by Mayor Sprague. Communications were read from Nashville and Indianapolis, both of which cities desire to secure the convention for next year. No action, however, was taken. The convention will be in session for about two weeks.

Violating Alien Contract Law.

Providence, Jan. 12.—Four writs were served upon the officers of the British Hosiery company of Thornton yesterday, charging them with violation of the alien contract labor laws. Complaint was recently made to United States District Attorney Gorman that the hosiery company was importing workmen under contract.

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None of the local ice men have succeeded in housing any winter's crop as yet.

The little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward E. Miller is reported much better today.

The West Quincy Methodist church is arranging for an entertainment to be given next week.

Two new cases of diphtheria were reported to the Board of Health today, one at West Quincy and one at Wollaston.

There is a contest over the will of John H. Collamore who left a bequest to South Shore Commandery, Knights Templar.

Hon. William B. Rice of this city is on the standing committee on Transportation of the Boston Associated Board of Trade.

The engagment is announced of Miss Alice L. Richardson of Randolph formally of Quincy to Mr. Harry W. Fisher of South Braintree.

The officers of Philedian Senate, K. A. E. O., will use their new paraphernalia for the first time at the regular meeting Thursday evening.

The hurdy-gurdy party for the benefit of the Fragment society will be given at Faxon hall on Saturday evening next. Tomorrow see advertisement.

Mrs. Walter Russell Breed continues seriously ill and New York physicians have been here for a consultation. She is reported more comfortable today.

Dr. George B. Rice is on the committee of the New England Hahnemann Association to make arrangements for the proper commemoration of the birthday of Samuel Hahnemann.

Mr. Osborne continues very low at the residence of his son, Mr. W. W. Osborne of Bigelow street. Although 79 years of age he had a wonderful vitality up to the present illness.

There is not so much anxiety over the appointment of committees to be made by Chairman Porter of the school board tonight as there was over those of President Bryant of the City Council.

All interested in sewer assessments are invited to the public meeting of the Board of Trade tonight. It will be held in the Council chamber at City Hall, and City Engineer Snow of Brockton will be the speaker.

Tonight the Bible class of Calvary Baptist church meets with Robert Farquhar, No. 8 Arthur street. All interested in the study of the Word are cordially invited. Wednesday night the cottage prayer meeting at E. M. Harden, No. 21 Gay street; Thursday night with Mr. Brown, No. 23 School street; Friday night at the chapel, Franklin street. Every one is welcome to these meetings.

The ladies of the Benevolent society connected with the Memorial Congregational church, Atlantic, will hold their usual social on Wednesday evening. It is to consist of a recognition party, where a large number of baby pictures of well-known persons are to be hung about the room, that all may guess the identity of the picture. A silhouette artist will also be present who will take portraits of anyone so wishing.

—"Maiden-hair ferns," says a writer in *The Gardener*, "are the easiest of plants to raise indoors, except, perhaps, begonias. I re-pot them once a year, in January, using pure peat mould; I water every two or three days liberally with luke-warm rain water, and do not stop until it comes through into the large, deep saucer in which the plants always stand."

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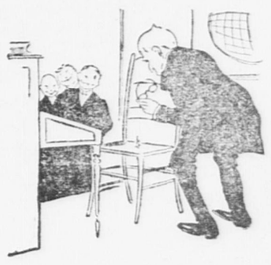
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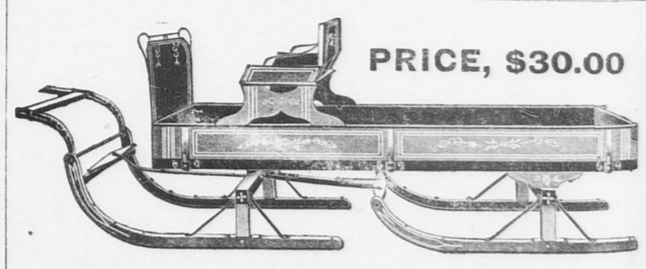


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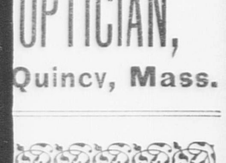
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And Thompson Also has Important Position.

Former is at the Head of the Liquor Committee.

And Latter Upon the Ways and Means Committee.

It is some time since a Quincy Representative has served as chairman of a committee of the Legislature, but this year Thaddeus H. Newcomb is House chairman of the Committee on Liquor Laws. This is his only committee, but it is usually a busy one. Mr. Newcomb is interested in temperance measures, and astonished the House last year by a vigorous speech.

James Thompson is not a chairman but he is on one of the most important committees, that of Ways and Means.

The other Norfolk County Representatives are apportioned as follows:

Light, of Hyde Park, House chairman of Committee on Insurance, and a member of of the Printing Committee.

Clark, of Wellesley, on Ways and Means and on Rules.

Pierce, of Milton, on Judiciary.

Mayhew, of Braintree, on Bills in Third Reading, and Mercantile Affairs.

Gibbs, of Brookline, on Counties and Public Health.

Woodman, of Medway, on Counties.

Winslow, of Norwood, on Education.

Belcher, of Randolph, on Mercantile Affairs.

Nevins, of Weymouth, on Railroads.

Gallison, of Franklin, on Public Health and Railroads.

Curtis, of Stoughton, on Banks and Banking.

Senator Flint also fared well. He is chairman of the Committee on Insurance, second on the Probate Committee and third on the Senate Committee on Ways and Means.

Of the 40 committees there are 27 without a Norfolk County Representative, but some of these have a Norfolk county senator.

TODAY'S COURT.

Peter Kelley was fined $5 for drunkenness at Quincy.

Patrick J. Whalan was arraigned for drunkenness at Quincy; case continued two weeks.

George Lafayette, Henry Fish and Frank E. Clapp were arraigned for assault on John De Forest Williams at Quincy; case continued until Wednesday.

Charles H. Vining was arraigned for breaking and entering the shoe manufactory of M. C. Dizer & Co., at Weymouth, and the larceny of 21 pairs of shoes valued at $42.

The continued case of Daniel Bressnihan for the same offence was also called and both cases were heard at the same time. The court found probable cause and held them for the grand jury.

—The School Committee of Lynn are considering the expediency of abolishing the position of teacher of physical culture, and also of teacher of penmanship in the High school. Some regard the former as an ornamental frill not really necessary.

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QUINCY. jan5-1m

Won by 28 Pins.

The McCarthys of the City League played the Granites of the city on Gourd's alleys Monday evening. The home team put up a very weak score on the first string, and the visitors led 55 pins. They added 15 in the second, but the Granites with 66 to overcome, went in and won on the third string by 28 pins, rolling up 799 to 705 for the visitors.

Souther of the Granites made the best single and best total score.

The full score:

GOURD'S TEAM, (GRANITES.)			
Souther,	151	147	186—484
Thomas,	111	169	180—460
Taber,	136	159	141—436
Hodges,	119	114	149—382
Perry,	143	131	1 3—417
	669	720	799 2179
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Hall,	134	142	128—401
Manning,	128	145	150—423
Parshley,	178	164	117—459
Henry,	124	129	146—399
Gately,	151	151	164—466
	715	731	705 2151

The Street Railway Order.

The Street Railway Company have not accepted the location granted on Hancock street by the City Council of 1896, and the chances are that it will not as the order calls for the paving of the whole of the street between Granite and School streets. The railroad commissioners will not, it is said, permit any street railway to use its earnings to pave a street for more than eighteen inches outside of the rail.

If the order had been passed without that condition the street railway would have accepted the location and would have had to pave eighteen inches outside of the rail and in the doubled tracking of the street would have been obliged to use something like $20,000 worth of pavers, which would have been purchased in Quincy.

PEOPLE OF THE DAY.

The man who has the center of the stage and all the limelight in the international negotiations with the sultan of Turkey is M. de Nelidoff, the Russian embassador to that country. This skilled diplomatist is acting as spokesman for the concert of European powers in their



M. DE NELIDOFF.

dealings with the sultan and the porte. He has been in Constantinople as an embassador for a number of years and has proved himself most skillful in diplomacy by putting Russia and Turkey on a very friendly basis. His present task is a delicate one and brings him into great prominence.

A New Governor's New Wife.

It is safe to say that the bride who is most talked about in this country just now is Mrs. John R. Tanner, the wife of the new governor of Illinois. The wedding, coming as it did just before Governor Tanner's inauguration, attracted a great deal of attention, and the people of Illinois have been showering them with evidences of kindly feeling. Mrs. Tanner's maiden name was Cora Edith English, and for several seasons she has been a social leader at Springfield. She is a beautiful, talented and highly educated young woman and



MRS. JOHN R. TANNER.

comes from one of the oldest and most distinguished families in the country. She has traveled much abroad and is well fitted to grace the executive mansion of the state of Illinois.

Governor Tanner and his bride had been close friends for eight years, and there is a pretty little romance connected with their courtship, in which love and politics were somewhat closely connected. Governor Tanner is about 52 years old and has two married children, having been a widower for a number of years previous to his recent marriage.

—The theft of Miles, the Boston defaulter, amounts to $300,000 instead of less than $100,000, as first reported. Miles is a big, red rose.

Bible School.

Mr. John O. Hall, Jr., spoke to a large audience at the Bethany Church Monday evening on the "Period of the Interim," which he said had also been characterized as the "Period of Silence," also as the "Period of Darkness." He showed the relations existing between the Jews and the great nations of that time. Alexander was the first of the Greeks to recognize the universal fatherhood of God. The time of the leadership of the Maccabus was dwelt upon as one of great interest. Several of the Psalms assumed new interest when read in connection with the study of the history of this period to which they belong.

The "Round Table" was ably conducted by Edward S. Hathaway of Hyde Park. He spoke of the Bible School or Sabbath School as being the church organized for the study of the word of God. The present system is entitled to great credit for the work that it has accomplished. Over twenty millions are now engaged in the study of the International lessons. As conditions are changing in methods o secular instruction, we should be ready to adopt new methods in Sunday school work when by them more efficient work can be done.

The prime object of the Bible School is the study of God's word. This word contains the plan of salvation, and the grand aim of our study should be to find the path that leads to God. One of the first things to be accomplished is the creation of a reverence for the Word of God. The text book in the Sunday School should be the Bible, not the quarterly. Teachers should understand that they are not conferring a favor upon the superintendent when they teach a class. Such service should be considered a pleasure and privilege rather than a duty. The teacher's work is the grandest and most important work in the world. It is a great thing to be a co-worker with God, and there are many rich promises which the teacher may claim as his own.

The Religious Conference.

A spirit of solemnity marked the service Monday evening in the First Presbyterian church. The Rev. Mr. Brown of West Quincy assisted the pastor in the opening service of prayer and praise. Then came the sermon by Rev. Carey W. Chamberlain of Dorchester. Impressively, sweetly and clearly he set forth that salvation is not only from the penalty but from the power and pollution of sin, and in its latter and larger significance it is a growth, which we must work out for ourselves; and yet that we are not left unaided, for God works in us and with us, if we learn to say yes to Christ.

This evening the Rev. C. S. Dewing, D. D., of Somerville, will speak from the text: "Break up your follow ground."

Metropolitan County.

The Boston Associated Board of Trade at a special meeting on Monday adopted resolutions endorsing the report of the Metropolitan District Commission of 1896 for a county union of Boston and surrounding cities, and for the appointment of a committee of seven to appear before the Legislature. Ex-Mayor Hart was in opposition to the scheme.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease, and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven catarrh to be a constitutional disease, and, therefore, requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses from 10 drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials. Address,
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DIED.

LEAMAN—In Quincy, Jan. 11, Mrs. M. Elizabeth, wife of Mr. Oliver H. Leaman, aged 34 years, 7 months and 4 days. Funeral from No. 1 Bennington street Wednesday, Jan. 13, at 2.30 P. M. Relatives and friends invited.

NICKERSON—In Cohasset, Jan. 9, Mrs. Clarissa Cushing Ripley, wife of Mr. George K. Nickerson, aged 55 years, and 21 days.

CAPEN—In Randolph, Jan. 9, Mr. Samuel A. Capen, aged 60 years and 5 months.

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Your Blood
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Boston, Jan. 12.—The Immigration Restriction league met at the state house yesterday for its election of officers and annual report. John Fiske was chosen president, Prescott F. Hall, secretary and treasurer. Among its vice presidents are President Capen of Tufts college, Robert Treat Paine and Professor N. S. Shaler of Harvard. The secretary's report considers at length Senator Lodge's immigration bill, and his speech in its favor; also the efforts of Congressman McCall in the same line. Both gentlemen are accorded high praise.

Bay State Editors Dine.

Boston, Jan. 12.—The annual dinner of the Massachusetts Press association was held yesterday at the United States hotel. Previous to the dinner the annual business meeting was held, and these officers were elected: Benjamin Anthony, New Bedford, president; Ernest H. Pierce, Revere, Alexander Starbuck, Waltham, A. C. Dowse, R. S. Barrows, Boston, George W. Prescott, Quincy, vice presidents; Harwood B. Smith, Rockland, secretary; J. S. Smith, Rockland, treasurer.

Presidential Electors Meet.

Boston, Jan. 12.—Members of the electoral college in the different states, chosen at the last election, met yesterday at the several state capitals and cast their votes in accordance with the wishes of the voters who elected them. Messengers were selected to carry the result to Washington. Kentucky cast her first vote for a Republican president, and Utah's first vote for president and vice president was submitted. Bryan received scattering votes in some of the western states.

Portland Deaf Mute School.

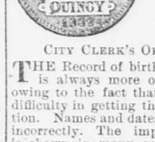
Portland, Me., Jan. 12.—A proposition will shortly be brought before the legislature by those interested, to have the state take charge of the Portland school for the deaf, making it in reality, as it is now in effect, a state institution. The city now owns the school buildings, but will turn them over to the state, which will care for the school and appoint its governing board.

To Control Mexican Plantations.

Concord, N. H., Jan. 12.—La Concordia company has been incorporated at the office of Secretary of State Ezra S. Stearns for the purpose of controlling a plantation in Mexico. The incorporators are N. D. Russell of Nashua, F. L. Pattee of Concord, William F. Pinkham of Mount Vernon, Irving A. Watson and J. H. Mugridge of Concord. The capital stock is $50,000.

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Take laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. 25c

NOTICE TO PARENTS.



CITY
OF
QUINCY.

CITY CLERK'S OFFICE, Dec. 14, 1896.

THE Record of births in any city or town is always more or less unsatisfactory, owing to the fact that the canvasser finds difficulty in getting the necessary information. Names and dates are frequently given incorrectly. The importance of accuracy is shown in many cases where there is a question of descent, or inheritance of property, or collection of life insurance or pensions. The City Clerk's copy of the record is accepted as conclusive evidence in a court of law. While great pains are taken by this office to have the record correct, experience shows that it is necessary that parents themselves should lend their assistance. In fact the law requires that parents shall give notice to the City Clerk of the birth of their children, and provides a penalty for neglect to give such notice for the space of six months.

It often happens that only children or servants are at home when the canvasser makes his call, and the answers to his questions are open to doubt. I therefore request all parents in whose households a birth has occurred in the year 1896, to place upon a paper or card the required information, and keep it in a convenient place until the canvasser appears.

The canvass will be commenced on Jan. 1, 1897.

HARRISON A. KEITH,
City Clerk.
Dec. 14 to Feb. 1. Dec. 19—7w

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"About a year ago I was taken with kidney trouble in one of the worst forms. I was passing from four to six quarts of water every 24 hours, and my trouble finally ran into diabetes. I had had kidney trouble before, and had somewhat recovered when the second attack came last fall. I employed a doctor all last winter, with no favorable results. I worked all the time, but was in constant misery, and if I had kept on I would not now have been alive. The disease reduced my weight from 180 to 145 pounds, and during all the time I got no relief until I began to use Puritana. I commenced the Puritana treatment last April, and used three or four bottles. The first results were felt in my stomach, which improved rapidly, so that I could eat and digest my food comfortably. The next result was that my bladder was restored to its normal condition. I have been well all summer, although I left off using Puritana in June. I think Puritana is the best remedy that I have ever known, and unhesitatingly recommend it to others, for whose good I publish this letter.

(Signed) "George H. Denny."

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[Subject to change without notice.]

On and after Friday, Jan. 1, 1896, cars will make trips on week days as follows:

Quincy and Neponset.

Leave CITY HALL for Neponset—6.00 A. M., 6.15, 6.30, 6.45, 7.00, and every 15, 30, 45 and 60 minutes past the hour until 7.00 P. M., then every half hour until 10.50 P. M. Cars leaving Quincy on the hour via. Norfolk Downs, except 6.00 P. M.

Leave NEPONSET—6.22 A. M., 6.37, 6.52, 7.07, 7.22, and every 7, 22, 37 and 52 minutes past the hour until 7.00 o'clock, then every half hour until 11 P. M.; last car for Quincy at 11.15 P. M. Cars leaving Neponset 22 minutes past the hour via. Norfolk Downs.

Quincy and East Weymouth.

Leave CITY HALL (10 minutes later from Quincy Point and 22 minutes later from North Weymouth)—5.45, 6.20, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, 11.20, 11.50 A. M.; 12.20, 12.50, 1.20, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20 4.50 5.20 (5.30 to East Weymouth car house), 5.50, 6.20, 6.30, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.50 P. M.

Leave EAST WEYMOUTH (20 minutes later from North Weymouth and 30 minutes later from Quincy Point)—6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11, 11.30 A. M.; 12, 12.30, 1, 1.30, 2, 2.30, 3, 3.30, 4, 4.30, 5, 5.30, 6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11.30 P. M.

Quincy and East Milton.

Leave CITY HALL, 5.55, 6.25, then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.55 P. M., then at 9.50 and 10.50 P. M.

Leave EAST MILTON, 6.30, 7.00 A. M., then on the hour and half hour until 9.30 P. M., then at 10.20 and 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and Holbrook.

Leave QUINCY for SOUTH BRAINTREE and HOLBROOK at 6.10 and 6.40 A. M., and every 10 minutes past and 20 minutes of the hour until 10.10 P. M. Last car leaves at 10.50 P. M. On Saturdays the last car leaves Quincy at 11.50 P. M.

Returning cars leave HOLBROOK for SOUTH BRAINTREE and QUINCY at 5.55 and 6.25 A. M., and every 25 minutes past and 5 minutes of the hour until 9.55 P. M. Last car leaves Holbrook at 11.30 P. M.

☞ On Sundays on the Weymouth route cars will leave Quincy on the hour and half hour and East Weymouth at quarter past and quarter of the hour.

☞ Special trips can be arranged on application to the Superintendent.

☞ At Quincy Centre close connection is made with Electric Cars on all the routes.

☞ At Neponset close connection is made with West End Street Cars to and from Boston.

☞ Cars are due at Beale street, Wollaston, ten minutes after leaving Neponset and seven minutes after leaving Quincy.

BENJ. J. WEEKS, Superintendent.

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On and after Nov. 2, 1896, trains will run as follows: (See note of explanation at bottom.)

TO BOSTON. Leave Quincy.	Stops at	Arrive Boston.	FROM BOSTON. Leave Boston.	Stops at	Arrive Quincy
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r 6 42 abc		7 00	6 30 cba		6 49 r
r 7 12 abc		7 30	7 30 cba		7 49 r
7 29 a		7 48	8 30 cba		8 49 r
r 7 42 abc		8 00	9 30 cba		9 49 r
r 8 12 abc		8 30	10 30 cba		10 49 r
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r 11 12 abc		11 30	2 30 cba		2 49 r
r 12 12 abc		12 30	3 30 cba		3 49 r
r 1 12 abc		1 30	4 30 cba		4 49 r
1 46 (xx)		2 00	5 00 cba		5 19 r
r 2 12 abc		2 30	5 15 a		5 32
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MOON'S PHASES.

New Moon 3 1:03 a. m.
First Quarter 10 4:46 p. m.
Full Moon 18 3:17 p. m.
Third Quarter 25 3:06 p. m.

THE WEATHER INDICATIONS.

ALMANAC, TUESDAY, JAN. 12.

Sun rises—7:12; sets, 4:34.
Length of day—9h. 22m.
Moon sets—1:40 a. m.
Full sea—6:15 a. m., 6:30 p. m.

Forecast for New England: Light rain or snow; clearing by noon; colder; northwesterly winds.

Write Her Every Day.

Comrade, have you got a wife?
Write her every day.
Half the joy is out her life
When you are away.
Write her from the speeding car.
Never mind the thump and jar
Which your loving letters mar.
Write her every day.

You are in the stirring world.
She at home must stay,
Conscious you are being whirled
Farther yet away.
There she's watching, waiting, list'ning,
With heart beating, with eyes glist'ning,
Quick to catch the postman's whistling.
Write her every day.

Would you some kind service render,
Sweet attention pay?
Then a loving letter send her
When you are away.
Would you all her home life brighten?
Would you all her sorrows lighten?
Bonds of sweet affection tighten?
Write her every day.

And, however far you wander,
I am sure 'twould pay,
Could you see her read and ponder
Over what you say.
Have your tablet in your grip,
Fountain pen charged to the tip,
Then don't let the chances slip.
Write her every day.

If you chance to gush a little—
And perhaps you may—
She will grant you full acquittal,
It is safe to say.
Write her genuine love letters,
Riveting anew love's fetters.
These are Cupid's best abetters.
Write her every day.

—Traveler's Magazine.

Wants Her Share.

Saco, Me., Jan. 12.—Mrs. Sarah J. Lamb has brought suit in the supreme court against the heirs of the late Luther Bryant, who left some $800,000. She claims to be a niece of Bryant. The heirs assert she was an adopted child, and is not, therefore, a lineal heir. While testifying yesterday, Mrs. Lamb became hysterical and court adjourned.

Somersworth Police Matters.

Somersworth, N. H., Jan 12.—A petition to the state legislature is in circulation here asking for a police commission. To offset it, a remonstrance against such a commission is also being signed. Both sides have retained counsel.

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END OF FUNDING BILL.

Powers Bill Meets Decisive Defeat In Lower House of Congress.

Friends of Measure Undecided on Next Move.

Mills Denounces Administration In Speech on Cuban Recognition.

Washington, Jan. 12.—A full attendance in the house yesterday of members was evidence of the interest taken in the Pacific railroads funding bill, which was debated last week.

The bill provided for the settlement of the $112,000,000 of indebtedness of the Union Pacific and Central Pacific on the basis of an extension of over 80 years at 2 per cent, with an annual extinguishing payment on the principal at the rate of $365,000 for the first 10 years, $580,000 for the second 10 years, and $750,000 for the remaining years.

The bill was defeated, which involves the probable immediate foreclosure of the government's lien and the sale of the property.

The friends of the measure who had predicted its passage up to the last moment were surprised by the decisive character of their defeat. They had been led to hope from the votes on the substitutes that the bill had more than an even chance of passing. The Bell substitute provided that if the Union Pacific and Central Pacific would clear off the first mortgage and advance the government's lien the government would extend the indebtedness at 3 per cent. It was defeated, 110 to 158. The Harrison substitute providing for a commission to negotiate a settlement of the debt was rejected by the house by a vote of 55 to 214. Many of the members were as much opposed to these substitutes as to the Powers bill. The California and middle west members voted almost solidly against them. When the vote came on the main proposition the whole opposition swung into line and crushed it by an adverse vote of 102 to 168. The vote was not taken directly on the passage of the bill, but on the preliminary motion to engross and read the bill a third time.

Bills, the subject of hard contests, are usually brought to a final test before the last parliamentary stage is reached. The Reilly Pacific funding bill, two years ago, was defeated in the same manner on the same motion. This is the fourth funding bill killed in the house in 10 years. An analysis of the vote shows that 86 Republicans and 16 Democrats voted for the bill and 99 Republicans, 58 Democrats and 6 Populists and 5 independents against it.

Mr. Powers, the chairman of the Pacific railroad committee, entered a motion to recommit the bill after he had recovered from the shock of his defeat, saying that the members of the house were all in favor of a settlement, but evidently opposed to the principal of the measure the committee had brought in. He thought his committee should have an opportunity to formulate another bill in the hope that it would prove acceptable. A point of order was made against Mr. Powers' motion, but, at the suggestion of the speaker, the point was not ruled upon, but will be when the house convenes today.

Mr. Powers says he does not know what will be done, but expresses the opinion that another effort should be made to pass an acceptable bill. The opponents of the bill, on the other hand, are rejoicing, and say the vote settles the fate of all schemes to fund the debt at this session. After the bill was disposed of the army appropriation bill and several other bills were passed. The army bill carried $23,126,344, $155,558 less than that for the current year.

The chief event of yesterday's senate session was an impassioned speech by Mr. Mills of Texas in favor of a resolution introduced by him to declare the recognition of a foreign government, a congressional prerogative, and to recognize the independence of Cuba, and appropriate $10,000 for the salary of a minister. In support of the first proposition the senator quoted a long line of precedents, and speaking on the latter question he strongly denounced the administration, charging it with favoritism toward Spain. He spoke contemptuously of Castellar and Weyler and of Signor Crispi, because of his declaration that Europe could not look without concern upon the pretension of the United States. The Cuban question was the mercantile spirit of the nation against its honor, he declared. There was an informal discussion by several senators, and Mr. Bacon of Georgia gave notice of a speech today. Mr. Proctor made a speech in favor of a constitutional amendment to limit the president to one six-year term, and Mr. Allen (Neb.) made an unsuccessful attempt to secure the adoption of a resolution calling on the secretary of the navy for information as to whether contractors' men in the Brooklyn navy yard are made to work more than eight hours a day.

Unfit For Publication.

New York, Jan. 12.—The police investigation yesterday into the dinner given by young Seely at Sherry's brought out details which are too rank for publication even by the most sensational newspapers. That such orgies are indulged in at this age seems almost incredible. The women connected with the affair are inclined to give the police commissioners much bother in ascertaining the truth; but from many sources the lawyers have been able to show that this exhibition was the most immoral ever brought to light in this city.

Coroner Will Investigate.

Rochester, Jan. 12.—William H. Sinclaire, formerly president of the Galveston Street Railway company of Galveston, but more recently connected with the firm of Flynn & Boland, railroad brokers and builders of New York city, died under peculiar circumstances at Power's hotel yesterday. His dead body was found lying on the floor of the room in which he had been assigned. The coroner now has charge of the case, and an autopsy will be held.

Fears For Japan Steamer.

Port Townsend, Wash., Jan. 12.—Great fear is entertained here for the safety of the Northern Pacific steamer Tacoma, now eight days overdue and 22 days out from Yokohama. The steamer Agapanthus, which left Yokohama on the same day as the Tacoma, arrived four days late, and passed through unusually rough weather. On several former occasions the Tacoma has made the trip in 13 days.

WEYLER'S BUTCHERIES.

Continuation of Wanton Murders of Cubans of Both Sexes.

Boston, Jan. 12.—The Cuban-American junta of New England has received news from its agent in Cuba of an act of brutality which it is alleged was perpetrated on a plantation near Cienfugos. The plantation was taken by the Spanish troops, and as it was known to belong to a sympathizer with the Cuban cause all those who did not make their escape were killed. These consisted of an old woman of 74, her grandchild of 12 years and another family by the name of Morrina. All of these, the agent says, were, by the order of General Weyler, put into sugar hogsheads and set on fire, and they were burned to death. The letter also tells of the destruction of a body of Spaniards in Trinidad by an American named Taylor, who is with General Gomez. The Spaniards were encamped on a hillside, and a good many of them were in a cave in the hill. In the night Taylor succeeded in stealing up and throwing a dynamite bomb into the cave, killing about 50 of the occupants.

Red Cross and Cuba.

Washington, Jan. 12.—Secretary Pullman of the Red Cross society has furnished the following for publication: In view of the deep interest manifested by the people of the United States in Cuban affairs, it is perhaps proper that it be stated that the aid of the American National Red Cross society was officially tendered for Cuba by its president a month ago, and later Miss Barton offered the individual services of herself and assistants, the same as in the relief expedition to Turkey; the two necessary conditions being that acceptance and entry be afforded by the Spanish government, and the funds needed to supply such relief be provided, as was the case in the Armenian relief, by the American people. It is but just to add that up to the present time not a dollar from any source has been offered, and the Spanish government is still holding the Red Cross proposition under advisement.

Atrocities Continue.

Havana, Jan. 12.—Atrocities on the part of Weyler's butchers continue in the provinces. Men, women and children, old and young, are wantonly murdered every day. These butcheries are so common that it seems but repetition to write of them from day to day.

Consul General Lee is indignant at the expressions credited to Senator Money, who was interviewed in New York, and who said General Lee had said Spain could never quell the rebellion. General Lee says he only communicates what knowledge he has to the state department direct.

Spain Calls on Us.

New York, Jan. 12.—A special dispatch from Madrid says the Spanish government has accepted the proposition made by the United States to secure peace in Cuba. This proposition, it is asserted, grants absolute autonomy for the island.

Altgeld Shut Out.

Springfield, Ills., Jan. 12.—A sensational scene marked the retirement of Governor John P. Altgeld. When Altgeld's successor, Governor John R. Tanner, had spoken, an effort was made by State Senator Mahoney of Chicago to get the floor, but the speaker refused to recognize him. He wanted to make a motion that the joint assembly extend the courtesy of the floor to the retiring governor. While he was trying to get in this motion Representative Needles moved that the joint assembly dissolve. It prevailed, and the house then adjourned until today. Governor Altgeld had expected to make a short speech, and his name was put on the program by the committee on arrangements. Some of the Republican members were opposd to letting him talk, and it was arranged with the speaker before the house met that he would not recognize any Democrats during the joint session. In this way Governor Altgeld was shut out. It has been customary in the past to recognize the retiring governor at the inauguration ceremonies. No reason was given for the snubbing of ex-Governor Altgeld.

Tariff Hearings Ended.

Washington, Jan. 12.—The formal hearings by the ways and means committee of representatives of various industries, who seek to have the tariff rates changed, were concluded yesterday. The committee has held sessions for this purpose during the past several weeks, and in that time a large number of persons have appeared before it. The varied character of the schedules yesterday under consideration brought a large assemblage to the rooms from all sections. The largest delegation was that headed by ex-Senator Davis of West Virginia, who asked for a higher duty on coal. During the afternoon the dull current of facts and statistics delivered by the speakers was broken by Mr. Kraft of New Jersey, who, by his manner of delivery, was vastly amusing to the committee and spectators. He explained that a Dutchman had a right to speak three times to make himself understood.

Tuberculous Cattle In Pennsylvania.

York, Pa., Jan. 12.—Ten head of valuable Durham and Jersey cattle were killed yesterday on the form of John H. Gently on account of tuberculosis. Several other farmers are having their herds examined, and it is thought more will be killed, as the infection, which is traced back to a herd of Iowa cattle brought here several years ago, has apparently spread extensively. Fifteen valuable head of cattle were killed on the farm of Frank D. Chambers, near Parkerville, under orders from the state board of agriculture. Each was suffering from tuberculosis. The state allows Chambers $415 for his loss.

Monetary Conference Begins Today.

Indianapolis, Jan. 12.—Delegates and visitors to the monetary convention, which begins here today, are here in large numbers. There was an avalanche of business at the headquarters yesterday. Indications are that the delegates will not be far from the estimated 500. The preliminary session will, no doubt, see the organization completed. Hugh H. Hanna, chairman of the executive committee, will probably call the convention to order.

May Not Get Their Licenses.

Haverhill, Mass., Jan. 12.—The sensation developed at the license board meeting last night was contained in an affidavit from Dr. Howard H. Russell of Ohio, which was read. It quoted the names of two liquor dealers of whom the doctor had bought liquor on election day. The affidavit was made at the request of the license board.

THE HOUSEHOLD.

Why Furniture Grows Shabby, Warps and Cracks—A Taking Luncheon Scheme—Baskets For Salad.

The fortnightly polishing of the furniture figured as a prominent item on the old fashioned programme of housework, when furniture was valued, perhaps, more for its lasting qualities than for decorative effect. The very indifferent treatment which is given at present to almost all articles of this kind, especially when they are left altogether to the tender mercies of servants, leads to the following comments by Standard Designer:

A half hearted dusting, with now and then a wiping with a damp cloth, is the extent of the efforts of most domestics, and when scratches, stains and breaks occur the article marred is relegated to the storehouse or auction room, or else left to grow more and more unsightly and shabby until it becomes utterly useless.

Furnace and steam heat are to a large degree responsible for the cracking and warping of the lighter kinds of furniture, especially bamboo. And to counteract the ill effects of the same they should be rubbed regularly with equal parts of linseed oil and turpentine, applied with a flannel and then rubbed in with a soft cloth. Bamboo is also improved by an occasional wash with cold water, but should be thoroughly dried afterward.

Mahogany, rosewood or black walnut should be rubbed with linseed oil or crude petroleum, a very little being put on at a time and rubbed in thoroughly until the surface shines like a mirror. If the rubbing is done once every two weeks, it is not at all difficult to get a good shine in a short time, but the first application may require longer.

Any of the natural woods that are not varnished can be polished in the same way, but varnished surfaces should be washed with water in which tea leaves have been steeped for half an hour. This will make them much brighter than if washed with soap and water, and, unlike the latter, it will not remove the gloss. When the varnished furniture becomes scratched, the spots should be gone over with a camel's hair brush and shellac varnish until they disappear. Nothing should be allowed to touch the places until the application is thoroughly dry.

If a small splinter of wood is knocked off of a bureau or chair, glue it on again with a little liquid glue, and if the edges show white color them with paint to match the rest of the wood. When this is dry, varnish, and the break will hardly be perceptible. If the broken piece is large and where it is likley to be hit and knocked off again, in addition to the glue secure it in position with small brads.

Leather trimmings, which have such a persistent way of separating themselves from wood, may be securely refastened by means of a paste made of melted india rubber mixed with shellac varnish. The leather itself can be made to look almost like new by being washed with warm milk. This is especially good for leather seats or lounge coverings.

A Hall Seat.

A hall seat seems to be what is needed in many halls, but every housekeeper cannot afford an old oak or mahogany settee or even have one built of pine and stained to match the woodwork in the room. An exchange suggests that a plain wooden bench, such as is to be found in every house furnishing store, stained to imitate cherry or oak, makes a nice looking settee. Make a box cushion for the top, covering it with sumptuously colored cretonne, corduroy or some inexpensive material, tufting it by tacking down with covered buttons. Put a 12 inch flounce upon the cushion, box plaiting it on, and you will have a very comfortable and pretty hall seat.

A Taking Luncheon Scheme.

Picture a luncheon table with a handsome service in which blue and red predominate. See the center of white linen, in which the same colors are found among others which compose a delightful harmony, the design being floral. A narrow silk fringe borders the edge. Then note the white satin flags, each bearing the name of the dish it surmounts embroidered in blue silk, with a bold dash, as it were, of the pen beneath, done in the rich red silk. With a vase of yellow and white roses or other rich flowers, we could surely count this as one of the most taking luncheon schemes likely to be found in a day's march.

Salad Baskets.

Housekeepers may be interested to know that a labor saving device has been introduced in the form of a large, round, shallow basket, with handles, called a salad basket. These baskets are made of strong willow, widely woven. The fresh, green salad leaves are placed in this basket for washing. The basket is then dipped up and down in a large pan of water until the leaves are quite clean. Then, with its contents, it is placed in a cool spot to drain.

Popular Styles In Bric-a-brac.

Jeweled effects and colored enameling are conspicuous features of the bric-a-brac in gold and in silver introduced under the head of holiday goods.

Semiprecious stones are to the fore. The fittings of dressing tables are bejeweled with them to the last degree.

Entirely new, and therefore of especial interest at this time, are candle shades in china, with gilt decorations.

Cabinet tables in mahogany and in gilt attract desired attention.

Novelties introduced for the holiday season in delft, Dresden and other popular wares are too numerous to mention in detail.

Recent productions in china and glassware show rococo, Louis XVI and empire styles of decoration.—Jewelers' Circular.



Don't imagine for a minute that fine dresses and accomplishments will deceive anybody. "Murder will out"—everybody knows that. Ralph Waldo Emerson said this in another way. He said practically that you couldn't hide anything you did. He said that what people do, and what they think, and what they eat show in their faces. The body is a plastic record. It shows plainly what is being done to it and with it. It tells the condition of the digestive organs. It plainly blabs about constipation. Foul breath, dull eyes, listlessness, sallowness, pimples are almost unmistakable symptoms. Don't believe that you are the only one that knows your condition. Constipation is a serious matter. There is no form of sickness it may not lead to. It fills the body with impurities. It makes it ready for the reception of any sort of disease germs. It is easy to let it run on into something serious. It is easier to cure it. There is a safe, certain, comfortable cure for such constipation. This cure comes in little vials. Its name is Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. The "Pellets" are tiny, sugar-coated granules. One is a gentle laxative; two a mild cathartic. They cure constipation in a perfectly natural way. You do not become a slave to their use. There are hundreds of preparations offered for this same purpose, but none so certain, and none so safe. The trouble with most of them is that they are violent; and in curing one disorder, start others. Dyspepsia may come just as quickly from taking strong medicines, as from taking no medicine at all. Sometimes the remedy is worse than the disease. There is no other preparation similar to Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets, and so there can be nothing "just as good." Druggists sell them.

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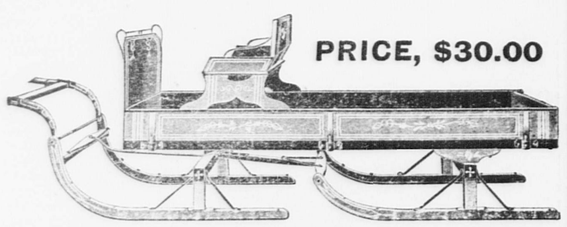
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JAILED ON SUSPICION.

Dissolute John O'Neil Accused of Murdering Mrs. McCloud.

Pleads His Innocence of the Crime.

Believed That Officers Are Keeping Back Important Evidence.

Greenfield, Mass., Jan. 13.—An owl train which arrived in this village at 6 o'clock yesterday morning, brought State Officer Munyan, Deputy Sheriff Snead and Officer Wesley Woodward of Shelburne Falls, having in custody John O'Neil, Jr., 23 years of age, who was arrested at an early hour at his father's residence in Shelburne Falls, Rockland township, on the charge of being the murderer of Mrs. Hattie McCloud.

O'Neil was arraigned before Associate Justice Danna in the district court, and pleaded not guilty.

From the time of the discovery of the murder, the police have been tightening the chain of evidence against O'Neil, who is said to be addicted to drink and the black sheep of an otherwise respectable family. What first aroused the officers' suspicion was the fact that late on the night of the murder, O'Neil and some companions tried to purchase a ticket to Boston, and to prove that he had money waved a ten-dollar bill in the face of the ticket agent at the Fitchburg depot.

State Officer Munyan, Deputy Sheriff Snead of Greenfield and Police Officer Wesley Woodard of Shelburne Falls entered the house, which is situated only a short distance from the scene of the tragedy. The other officers remained outside.

Officer Munyan asked Mrs. O'Neil, "Is John in?" and Mrs. O'Neil said, "Yes' what is wanted?" The reply of Mr. Munyan was:

"We want to arrest John on the suspicion that he murdered Hattie McLeod last Friday night."

Mrs. O'Neil simply said, "John is in that room," and pointed to a door.

The officers at once entered, and O'Neil was seen in his bed, sleeping as soundly as an innocent child. Sheriff Smead aroused O'Neil, and said, "We want you."

The suspected man kicked off the bed clothing and bounded to the floor. He said, "What do you want?" and was told that he was under arrest for the murder of Mrs. McCloud.

O'Neil at once said, "I am innocent; I never committed that murder. Who said I did it?"

The general feeling about the town is that the officers have some important evidence against O'Neil which they have not made public.

While the excitement here is intense and the prejudices of the people are really against O'Neil, considerable sympathy is manifested for his father and family.

Just how conclusive the evidence of the government is cannot now be stated. It is thought, however, that O'Neil saw Mrs. McCloud on her way home and followed her. The home of his father is only 125 rods from the scene of the tragedy. It is thought that if he is the guilty man, he did not know his victim was dead when he left her, and it is not believed he intended to commit murder. It may be that he had a companion, and it is among the probabilities that another arrest will follow.

G. D. Crittenden has increased the reward offered for the conviction of the murderer of his daughter to $700. The state officers are endeavoring to find the supposed accomplice of O'Neil, and may make more arrests.

In Three Legislatures.

Boston, Jan. 13.—Both branches of the legislature held 15-minute sessions yesterday and adjourned. Several bills were introduced in both houses and referred without debate. In the house Mr. Evans of Cambridge introduced a movement for increasing the salary of insurance commissioner. Mr. Stone of Springfield put in a bill to protect the estates of deceased persons from the prosecution of fraudulent claims. The same gentleman also put in a bill providing that the returns relative to legacy and collateral taxes heretofore made by the judges of probate courts be hereafter made by the registers in the various counties. Insurance Commissioner George S. Merrill has filed his list of recommendations for legislation. He wants insurance companies chartered in this state absolutely prohibited from transacting business in other states into which they have not legally entered. He also recommends slight changes in a number of the acts relating to insurance agents and companies.

Augusta, Me., Jan. 13.—Both houses of the legislature met yesterday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock, and were in session just an hour. President Day of the senate and Speaker Larrabee of the house announced their committees, and a few resolves were introduced. Governor Powers issued a communication to both houses announcing the death of ex-Governor Davis, and suggested that appropriate action be taken. It was voted that President Day, Secretary of the Senate Dunbar, Speaker Larrabee and a committee of 10 from the senate and house attend the funeral of the deceased executive at Bangor today, in company with Governor Powers. The legislature then adjourned over today out of respect for the ex-governor, and will meet again tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock. During the afternoon Governor Powers announced his executive council committees.

Concord, N. H., Jan. 13. — Speaker Briggs was absent from the house yesterday, and Mr. Lyford of Concord occupied the chair temporarily. The clerk was instructed to procure 2000 copies of the legislative manual. The committee on revision of laws was instructed to investigate and report what legislation is necessary to make more effective the secret ballot law. Notices were given of bills regulating the charges of telegraph and telephone companies; regulating the sale of spiritous and malt liquors; regulating railroad tariff, and prohibiting the manufacture of spiritous and malt liquors in the state. The house occupied the entire afternoon discussing the newspaper question, finally voting to take 400 copies each of the six daily papers in the state. Among the bills presented is one providing for a tax on bicycles.

Libel Suit Dismissed.

Boston, Jan. 13.—Charges of criminal libel brought against Torrey E. Wardner, editor of the Boston Traveler, and Frederick D. Chamberlain by Mrs. Josephine Curtis Woodbury, a well-known apostle and teacher of Christian science, was ruled out of court by Judge Dewey yesterday, and the defendants were discharged. The action was brought by Mrs. Woodbury on account of stories published in The Traveler giving in detail methods alleged to have been employed by Mrs. Woodbury in obtaining pupils in her cult, and reference was made to certain homes which had been broken up on account of the refusal of Mrs. Woodbury's disciples to remain in them unless the other members adopted the belief. The principal one of these homes mentioned was that of Frederick D. Chamberlain, the defendant in the case with Mr. Wardner. Mr. Chamberlain is a widely known real estate dealer, and his wife was one of the leading belles in Boston society at the time of her marriage several years ago. On coming under the influence of Mrs. Woodbury, it is alleged, Mrs. Chamberlain refused to remain with her husband, and went to live with her teacher, the plaintiff in this case. The trial has attracted considerable attention.

House Painters and Decorators.

Boston, Jan. 13.—The sixth annual convention of the Society of Master House Painters and Decorators of Massachusetts was opened here yesterday, with President George H. Brown of Lawrence in the chair. The reports of the officers showed the organization to be in a flourishing condition both numerically and financially. F. J. Thayer made an interesting address on "Should Not We, as a Society, Take Some Steps to Found a Trade School in the State?" A paper on "The Duty of Local Associations to Affiliate with the State Society" was read by William J. Edwards, bringing out many new facts. Charles Wiggin, a member of the Journeymen Painters' association, made a brief address, in which he made suggestions for a closer union between the journeymen and master painters' organizations, which, he said, was the only way to protect the industry.

A Mayflower Society.

Plymouth, Mass., Jan. 13.—The General Society of Mayflower descendants was brought into being yesterday in this historic town by delegates from the various societies of Mayflower descendants in Connecticut, Pennsylvania, New York and Massachusetts. They came together in old Pilgrim hall, and informally discussed the project. At noon dinner was taken at the Samoset House, and later a temporary organization was made, which will be more clearly defined today. Triennial reunions at Plymouth of the descendants are proposed.

Jack Frost Arrives.

Boston, Jan. 13.—The long spell of mild weather extending as far back as Christmas was broken last night by a decided drop in the temperature, and shortly after midnight reliable thermometers registered 7 above zero. The change began shortly before sundown, when the wind, which for days has been from the south and west, hauled to the northwest, and for some hours blew a gale. At 8 o'clock the temperature had dropped to 13, and is now steadily falling, with every prospect of zero being reached.

Grange Meeting.

Skowhegan, Me., Jan. 13.—The first day's session of the annual meeting of Somerset county Pomona Grange was held here yesterday. Twelve granges were represented. Ella H. Crowell delivered the address of welcome, which was responded to by Ellen H. Goodwin. The following officers were elected: Lester Holway, master; E. H. Allen, lecturer; G. W. Patten, steward; Z. A. Withee, treasurer; S. F. Emerson, secretary; Mrs. Lester Holway, Pomona; Miss L. E. Butler, ceres; George Patten, flora.

Shoe Factory For Gardiner.

Gardiner, Me., Jan. 13.—About 300 business men met at the rooms of the board of trade last evening to decide the question of raising $25,000 to build and equip a shoe factory, to be leased by the Commonwealth Shoe and Leather company of Whitman, Mass. The company will employ 400 hands, with a weekly payroll of $3000. About $10,000 was pledged, and committees were appointed to solicit the balance.

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DUEL OF BITTER WORDS

Sequel to Pacific Railroads Funding Bill Fight In House.

Johnson and Maguire of California Antagonists.

Former Protests Against Bringing Up Skeletons of Youth's Mistakes.

Washington, Jan. 13.—Yesterday the finale of the Pacific railroad funding bill fight was enacted on the floor of the house.

Mr. Johnson and Mr. Maguire (Dem., Cal.) were the antagonists. Their wordy duel grew out of the publication in The Record, as a part of Mr. Maguire's remarks, of comments on the former's speech of last week, in which he defended Mr. Hearst, and without the mention of Mr. Johnson's name detailed some matters in the early life of the latter when he resided in Syracuse. Mr. Johnson got the floor on a question of privilege. He was at times dramatic. He denounced Mr. Maguire's attack on him as wanton and cowardly, and told the story of his indictment 34 years ago in New York for forgery, and how he had gone out to California to rear a new home and make a new name. He described his success and how he had been able to pay back every dollar he owed. He then explained that all this was an old story in California, where he had always avowed it when he ran for office. Then, with bitter invective, he paid his respects to Mr. Maguire and Mr. Cooper of Wisconsin, who last week characterized his attack on Mr. Hearst as cowardly.

In conclusion, he said: "There is a statute of limitations in every civilized nation against crime. Is it right to go back 34 years and unlock the secret chambers and bring out the skeletons of my past and shake them before the people; to forever throw at a man the follies and crimes of his youth? Should there not be a statute of limitations against this? Oh, may the day come in this nation when men will be judged solely by their acts in the present, and no man or newspaper will delve into his past and bring sorrow to his wife, his children and to the gray hairs he has earned in building up a good name."

Mr. Johnson received tremendous applause at the conclusion of his speech.

[Grove L. Johnson is one of the best known attorneys of the Pacific coast, and he stands high with the bench and bar of that section. He has conducted many leading cases during the past 20 years, and has always been looked upon as an honest man. He is one of the principal attorneys for the Southern Pacific. Mr. Maguire of California is equally prominent, and is known as the nemesis of C. P. Huntington.]

Mr. Maguire replied to Mr. Johnson in a sarcastic vein. He told how he had attempted to secure time in which to reply to Mr. Johnson during the debate, and had been unable to do so, and how he had printed his defense as a man unable to secure a hearing for himself. He sneered at Mr. Johnson for whining because his attack went home, and said he should have thought of the grief and anguish he was bringing to another before he assailed Mr. Hearst.

Mr. Pool of New York, who represents the Syracuse district, made a brief statement in vindication of Mr. Johnson. His motion to expunge Mr. Maguire's remarks from the records was adopted after Mr. McMillan had ineffectually attempted to delay action, but a similar motion to expunge Mr. Johnson's remarks about Mr. Hearst was defeated, 82 to 94. This incident overshadowed interest in the house proceedings. Just before adjournment, however, Speaker Reed announced the committee appointments made vacant by the death of ex-Speaker Crisp, which had caused so much speculation. Mr. Bailey of Texas was appointed to the vacancy in the subcommittee and Mr. Boatner of Louisiana to that on ways and means. Early in the day the speaker sustained the point of order against the motion to recommit the Pacific funding bill.

Some lively political sparring marked the later hours of the senate session yesterday. The free homestead bill was under discussion, and Mr. Allen found in it opportunity for questioning Mr. Vilas of Wisconsin concerning the party differences of last fall. It brought out much difference of opinion as to whether the Democratic platform was made at Chicago or at Indianapolis. Mr. Vilas declared that there was almost nothing in the Chicago platform not inimical to the interests of the government. He insisted that the Indianapolis platform was founded throughout on Democracy. Mr. Allen characterized the Indianapolis platform as a "rump affair." The controversy became very lively and took a wide range.

The homestead bill was further debated, but a vote was not reached. Mr. Vilas attacked it as a measure giving away $35,000,000 of government money. Mr. Nelson (Rep., Minn.), Mr. Allen and Mr. Peffer (Pop., Kan.) spoke for the bill. Mr. Hill (Dem., N. Y.), who has not often addressed the senate of late, spoke in favor of a law fixing four years as the term of fourth-class postmasters.

Mr. Nelson (Rep., Minn.) supported the bill as a just extension of the government policy of giving free homesteads to actual settlers. It was as necessary to aid the settlers as those who enjoyed the benefits of a protective tariff, and those who were benefitted by river and harbor improvements. It was not time for the senate to adopt a pigayunish policy toward the struggling settlers.

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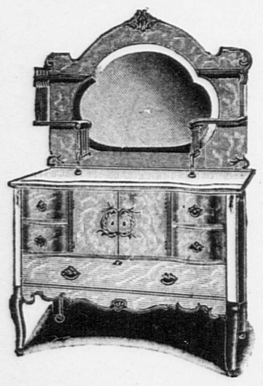
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Monday	42	54
Tuesday	31	59
Wednesday	20	41
Thursday	—	34
Friday	—	29
Saturday	—	28

MEMBERS OF the School Committee should not grumble because they have not much committee work. Each has on an average six committees. A sub-committee of three for each school seems preferable however to a committee of one.

ALL APPROPRIATIONS of the Legislature come before the Ways and Means committee, making Representative Thompson's position one of great importance. It is a busy committee too, requiring two meetings daily.

ENGINEER SNOW opened the eyes of many taxpayers at the public meeting of the Board of Trade. The increase in tax levy, the charge for annual rentals, and the first cost for entering show that sewers are very expensive.

—The A. Shuman & Co. Mutual Benefit Association held its annual grand ball at Odd Fellows' hall, Boston, Tuesday night. Mr. W. E. Simmons of Wollaston is treasurer.

GOOD TEMPLARS.

Quarterly Entertainment of the Lodge at Wollaston.

Wollaston lodge, No. 237, I. O. G. T., gave its regular quarterly entertainments at Odd Fellows hall, Wollaston, on Tuesday evening, before a crowded house. The programme was opened with remarks by Mr. J. F. McLeod. He referred in a brief way to the institution of the lodge a year ago with but 21 charter members and its rapid increase to 124.

Mr. McLeod's address was followed with selections by Metcalf's orchestra; vocal solo by Miss Lulu Phelan; banjo duets by Miss Ellis and Mr. Bassick; a piano duet by Miss Winship and Miss Williams; a reading by Mrs. Waterhouse; a piano solo by Miss Ethel Jordan; and the rendering of "Lochiel's Warning" by Mr. McKinlay and Mr. Sinclair.

The second part of the programme was of equal interest to the enthusiastic audience. A drama in three acts, entitled "My Brother's Keeper" was given with spirit by a strong company of amatuer talent.

The cast was as follows:

Abel Benton, merchant. H. Smith
Matthew Allen, } His clerks Fred Hewitt
Richard Carnes, } His clerks W. L. Cooke
Charles Benton, } His clerks A. Rice
Job Layton, (scraps) a rag-picker. J. C. Gillespie
Grace Benton, Abel's daughter. Miss Eva Bryant
Rachel Allen, Matthew's sister. Eugene E. Jordan
Betsey Benton, Abel's sister. Bertha M. McLeod

TODAY'S COURT.

The continued cases of George Lafayette, Henry Fish and Frank E. Clapp for assault on John DeForrest Williams was heard. Clapp was fined $5 and the other two were discharged.

John J. Ford was fined $5 for assault on James Holbrook at Quincy.

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Standing Committees for the Year Appointed.

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The School Committee held a special meeting Tuesday evening Messrs. Hallowell and Breed being absent.

Chairman Porter announced the following committees:

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Adams,—Miss Adams, Field and Porter.

Washington,—Breed, Porter and Miss Adams.

Lincoln,—Field, Ash and Miss Adams.

John Hancock,—Page, Field and Miss Adams.

Wollaston,—Record, Page and Pierce.

Quincy,—Pierce, Record and Hallowell.

Willard,—Ash, Hallowell, and Page.

Massachusetts Fields,—Page, Record and Pierce.

Gridley Bryant,—Porter, Ash and Field.

Finance,—Porter, Page and Hallowell.

Books, Supplies, etc.,—Hallowell, Breed and Record.

Transportation, — Record, Field and Ash.

Evening Schools,—Breed, Field and Pierce.

Text books,—Page, Pierce and Miss Adams.

Special studies,—Miss Adams, Field and Ash.

The following truant officers were elected: James E. Maxim, John Halloran, J. J. Connolly, George I. Linton, Joseph T. French, Charles H. Johnson, William Curtis.

The Teachers' Association was granted the use of High School hall some night the latter part of the month.

The board's attention was called to a lot of land owned by Mr. Baker adjoining the Wollaston school which would be built upon unless purchased by the city, and Messrs. Record, Page and Pierce were appointed a committee to look into the matter and report at the next meeting.

It was voted to request the Mayor to call the attention of the City Council to the crowded condition of the Quincy school and ask for an enlargement of the building.

Mr. Page moved that as there were but few pupils in the VII grade at the Massachusetts Fields school that they be returned to the building which they were transferred from.

The matter was referred to a committee consisting of Messrs Porter, Hallowell, Page, Pierce and Record.

Voted to call the attention of the Mayor to the ventillation of the Wollaston school.

Adjourned at 9.50.

Mock Trial.

The ladies of the Washington Street Congregational church are arranging for a mock trial to be held early in February and the gentleman to be tried before an impartial jury at that time is Representative T. H. Newcomb. Representative Newcomb has heretofore led an exemplary life, but in an unguarded moment it is alleged that he has said things detrimental to the Ladies' Aid Society which are not true. The ladies are anxious that he should be punished and have appealed to the court. Able counsel has been secured by both parties interested and a jury impaneled which will withstand any attempts at bribery held out to them. The friends of the Representative cannot believe that he would say anything detrimental of the Ladies' Aid Society for he has always been a warm supporter of the ladies and they will therefore turn out in large numbers to witness the trial.

Wollaston Tournament.

The Duck's Nest alleys were crowded on Tuesday evening by people eager to witness the opening match of teams A and B of the Wollaston Candle Pin club. Bryant was high on totals with 260 to his credit and H. M. Fairbanks on singles with 88. The contest was a close one. Team A finally winning with 1144 to B's 1135.

The result:

TEAM A.

Starrett,	81	77	75—233
Dewson,	81	77	63—221
Osborne,	75	77	82—234
H. M. Fairbanks,	81	88	75—244
Coe,	66	77	69—212
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TEAM B.

Briggs,	71	70	80—221
H. O. Fairbanks,	77	69	77—223
Casey,	67	75	78—220
Bryant,	81	85	84—260
J. F. Emery,	77	66	78—221
	373	365	397 1135

Four Italian orders, established at different times, bear the title of "Order of the Cross of Christ."

DIED.

McDONNELL—In Quincy, January 13, Mildred Gertrude, daughter of Mr. Thomas and Mrs. Mary A. McDonnell, aged 2 years, 4 months and 11 days. Funeral from residence, Bridge street, Thursday, January 14, at 2 P. M.

PROBATE COURT.

A Large Docket at the Quincy Session This Morning.

Judge Harriman held Probate Court for Norfolk County at Quincy this morning and transacted the following business:

WILLS ALLOWED.

Of Catharine Gartland, late of Stoneham, Frank P. and Ellen M. Gartland, executors; bond $1,000.

Of John Kelly, late of Quincy, Thomas F. Hogan, executor; bond $3,000.

Of Samuel Coit, late of Weymouth, Francis G. Kimball, executor, in place of Edward T. O. Platt, declined; bond $20,000.

Of Mary H. Cook, late of Weymouth, Frederick E. Cook, Arthur H. Cook and Auburn H. Sterling, executors; bond $25,000 each.

Of Freeman Littlefield, late of Weymouth, Henry A. Hollis, executor; bond $3,000.

Of Andrew J. Garey, late of Weymouth, Susan E. Garey, executor; bond $6,000.

Of Luther Thayer, late of Braintree, Myron L. Hobart, executor, bond $6,500.

ADMINISTRATIONS GRANTED.

Arthur S. Holmes, to be administrator of estate of William M. Holmes late of Medway; bond $1200.

Florence M. Hayward, to be administratrix of estate of Judah A. Loring late of Braintree; bond $5000.

Patrick Burns to be administrator of estate of Mary Burns late of Weymouth; bond $1000.

Harriet Hayden, to be administratrix of estate of Mary I. Lowell late of Weymouth; bond $7000.

Louis A. Cook, to be administrator of estate of Mary Jane Smith of some place unknown, who has not been heard from for 23 years; bond $500.

Harriet Hayden, to be administratrix of estate of Reuben Lowell late of Weymouth; bond $22,000.

Charles N. Joy and Gustavus M. Pratt to be administrators of estate of David F. Joy late of Weymouth, bond $3000.

Mary T. Moran, on estate of Daniel Moran late of Quincy; bond $1500.

Mary E. Holbrook, of estate of Frederick H. Holbrook, Jr., a minor of Weymouth; bond $300; and of estate of Ellen F. Holbrook a miner of Weymouth; bond $300.

ACCOUNTS ALLOWED.

Second of Henry T. Richardson, guardian of Laura F. Foster, a minor of Medway.

Second and final of Caroline A. Russell, administratrix of estate of Edward Russell, late of Quincy.

Final of Joseph H. French, administrator of estate of Eliza French, late of Weymouth.

First and final of John A. Raymond, executor of will of Josie M. Farrell, late of Weymouth.

First and final of Damond Dosley, administrator of estate of Henry R Dosley, late of Weymouth.

First of William Endicott, 3d, and Bentley W. Warren, trustees under will of Arthur W. Austin, for benefit of Mary A. Carroll and others.

Fourth and last of George W. Prescott and S. Abbie Prescott, trustees and executors of will of Joshua Fisher, late of Dedham.

INVENTORIES FILED.

On estate of Ezra Brown late of Cohasset; real estate, $256 50; personal estate, $1,000.

GUARDIANS APPOINTED.

George B. Dench, to be guardian of Michael J. English a minor of Randolph; bond $100.

WIDOWS' ALLOWANCE.

Sarah E. N. Edwards was granted a widow's allowance of $500 from the estate of James Edwards late of Quincy.

Harriet S. Brown was granted a widow's allowance of $250 in the estate of Ezra Brown late of Cohasset.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Charles J. McMorrow, executor of will of Elizabeth Dempsey late of Weymouth, was granted license to sell real estate to the amount of $170 51.

Jane Greaney, administratrix of estate of Andrew Greaney late of Quincy, was granted permission to mortgage certain real estate to the amount of $309 42 for payment of outstanding defendant.

—A Washington dispatch to the Boston Post states is for a fact the ex-Governor Long will be in President McKinley's cabinet.

Merit Talks

"Merit talks" the intrinsic value of Hood's Sarsaparilla. Merit in medicine means the power to cure. Hood's Sarsaparilla possesses actual and unequalled curative power and therefore it has true merit. When you buy Hood's Sarsaparilla, and take it according to directions, to purify your blood, or cure any of the many blood diseases, you are morally certain to receive benefit. The power to cure is there. You are not trying an experiment. It will make your blood pure, rich and nourishing, and thus drive out the germs of disease, strengthen the nerves and build up the whole system.

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THE DAILY DIVIDEND

Readers of the Ledger Get Return on Investment.

Stock of News in "City of Presidents" Above Par.

Direct Wires from Wollaston, Atlantic South and West Quincy and Point.

Snow tomorrow.

Cold this morning.

Concert of the Choral society at Braintree this evening.

Miss Bessie Burns is substituting for Miss Fish at the High school.

A fine entertainment and supper will be given at the Universalist vestry this evening.

Mr. William A. Jordan of Wollaston is suffering from a severe cold and sore throat.

The Quincy & Boston street railway are building a large addition to their power house.

John R. Graham has been reelected a director of the Broadway National bank of Boston.

Mr. George H. Page of Wollaston, who has been quite ill with typhoid fever, is convalescing.

Quincy Perley, the victim of glanders, is a Haverhill man, not Quincy as Boston papers reported.

The young people of the Point are having some excellent skating this week on the meadow off South street.

William B. Rice has been elected a director of the Continental bank of Boston, and also vice president.

Al. Williams fired into a flock of eight black ducks on Tuesday afternoon, bringing down five of them with one barrel.

It is reported that Amos Bennett formerly of Quincy died in Nova Scotia some three weeks ago of consumption.

Miss Grace Isaac and Miss Eloise Flood will assist in the children's pantomine as Fairy Godmother and Fairy Good Night.

The case of Graham vs. the Quincy Cycle Co. is in order for trial on the special list in the Suffolk Superior court.

John A. Mahoney is building a paint shop on Washington street near his blacksmith shop. George O Langley is the carpenter.

J. F. Sheppard & Sons have about completed the new stone wall at the south end of their wharf and the wharf is about ready to be filled.

A gang of workmen are at work at the Quincy Cycle Co. factory putting the machines of the company together ready for the market.

We would call the attention of our readers to the advertisement of J. M. Fitzgerald, on Hancock street, who is selling parlor stoves at cost.

Quincy will be well represented at the meeting and banquet of the Old Colony Grocers at the United States Hotel, Boston, this afternoon and evening.

Principal Candlin of the Willard school evidently finds himself in a hot race in the school teachers' contest. He is in fifth place, and nearly 5000 behind the leader.

The Brookline petition has been introduced into the Legislature relative to the administration of county affairs, and also the impeachment of M. P. Morrell of the Norfolk county commissioners.

In the City league Tuesday evening the Rexfords declined to roll with the Carruths as scheduled, and the latter claimed the match, and rolled 2164 for a score. The Meyers beat the Jamesons 2232 to 2170.

Mr. H. A. Keith, for many years principal of the High school will be a guest of Alumni Association at the High School reunion on Friday evening. It will be a pleasure to many graduates to meet him.

At the second session of Suffolk Superior court the case is on trial of E. A. Davis, assignee of Mariana Taber vs. C. A. Swan et. al. Action of contract to recover $432, a balance alleged to be due upon the sale of real estate at Quincy, belonging to plaintiff insolvent. W. A. Morse for plaintiff; A. P. Worthen for deft.

C. F. Adams, 2d, and associates, have petitioned the Legislature for an act of incorporation as the U. S. Mutual Live Stock Association, to insure against loss of cattle by death. No policy is to be issued until insurance on at least 300 animals, at a valuation of $450,000 has been subscribed.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY.

Take laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. 25c.

☞ Committees of the Legislature in placing advertisements of hearings should remember that the Quincy DAILY LEDGER is the only daily in Norfolk county, and that Quincy is a city.

—The Home for Aged Couples has received from J. White Belcher, executor of the will of Royal W. Turner of Randolph, the bequest of $21,000, and from the will of Mary B. Turner of Randolph, $3,000.

Among Queen Victoria's Christmas presents was a small case of Imperial Tokay from the emperor of Austria.



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We have secured great bargains for the Christmas shoppers. Silk Initial Hdkfs, 15, 25 and 50 cts. Extra fine Letter Linen Hdkfs, 10, 15, 25 cts.

Mufflers,
Cardigan Jackets, Sweaters, all specially selected for the Christmas trade.

Men's Fancy Shirts,
White Shirts, Collars and Cuffs, make a most acceptable present. We sell only the best grades.

Children's Suits,
$2.00 to $5.00. Knee Pants, 25c. to $1.00.

UMBRELLAS.
English twilled, close roll case and tassel, silver trimmed, $1.00, $1 25, $2.00.

Night Robes,
FANCY TRIMMED.
50c, 75c., $1.00.

MEN'S
Fancy Suspenders,
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Each pair in a glass covered box.

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Quincy, Jan. 1.



They Tell Their Friends

About the bargains they get at our store. People who buy from us are our best advertisements, but for fear that you'll not hear of the Boots and Slippers we are selling this week, we will tell you about them. They are what is left of many lines we wish to clean out before February stock-taking. We quote no prices but invite an inspection of our bargain tables as a proof of a genuine cut in prices.

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SEWER ASSESSMENTS.

There Are Many Plans by Which They Are Levied.

Engineer Snow of Brockton Tells Advantages and Disadvantages.

At a Special Meeting of the Quincy Board of Trade.

There was a large gathering of Councilmen and citizens at the Council Chamber Tuesday evening to listen to the address of Herbert Snow, City Engineer of Brockton, on "Sewer Assessments."

Mr. Snow, who is thoroughly conversant with the subject, spoke for nearly an hour, illustrating his arguments by sketches upon the blackboard.

He commenced by stating that in the early times people were allowed to build their own drainage but in time this became unsatisfactory and a public sewerage system was the outcome. The draining by a public system is to drain every house in the district. A small sum is right for a small house and a large sum is necessary for a large estate. All sums assessed by law are founded on the basis that public benefits shall be paid for by the public and the method of such payments depends upon the location, but it is usual to estimate one fourth of the public benefit should be on the city. Residents of outside districts however, object to assessments when they receive no benefit and on the other hand it is injustice to make those in the district piped pay for all of it. Equitable adjustment should be made but cannot be without careful consideration.

Mr. Snow then took up the several methods of assessment provided by law and dwelt upon each at length.

The method of assessment on "frontage" alone was unjust for the reason a man who has a corner lot with one house and a frontage of 300 feet at $1 per foot would pay $300, while his neighbor who had a frontage of but 150 feet and four houses on the lot would pay but $150.

Then there is an undeveloped lot with a frontage of 500 feet and a lot with a frontage of 50 feet upon which there is a large hotel. One would pay $500 and the other who gets a great benefit but for $50.

The "area" plan he also considered unjust. Two lots of equal area pay an equal amount but by locations one of these lots can have but one house while the other may have two or three houses, and still another lot of the same area may have a frontage on three streets and could therefor erect five houses yet he pays no more assessment than the man who has but one house, yet he gets a much larger benefit.

In some cities the two forms are combined and in this method it is usual to estimate 6-10 of cost on area, and 4 10 on frontage.

"Entrance fee" is another plan and this can be done by counting the houses in the district but as an estate can not be compelled to enter a uniform price for entrance would be unjust.

Under the "Valuation" plan the law allows only three-fourths of cost to be assessed on the valuation of an estate and if there is no benefit there can be no tax. Two people may own lots of equal valuation but the sewer may benefit one ten per cent. and the other but five per cent. and therefore this was not a feasible plan.

The "general taxation" plan says the public shall pay not less than one fourth or more than two-thirds the cost. This is on personal as well as real estate. A large block in the centre should pay more than a house on the outskirts which may not have a sewer for years, and this should be an argument not to assess too large an amount by tax levy.

The "rental system" he considered an ideal system, for a man pays for the amount of sewer disposal. Sewer rental if based on water consumption is an ideal system, and in working out this system it will be necessary to know the annual expense and the number of takers. This was however impracticable as it was impossible to know how many would enter and the amount of water each would empty into the sewer without meters.

Brockton's system is to raise one-half of the whole cost by rentals according to the amount of water consumption taken by meter, one-quarter by a fixed rate on land, and the remaining quarter by taxation. The sewer bonds are payable in annual instalments and the surplus collected is credited to construction account. The speaker, however, thought it better to create a sinking fund by the surplus as now the city council appropriated all they could of it to keep down the tax rate.

To meet the expense until the rentals are put in, there should be an average cost for twenty years taken and assess the rentals from this average.

The annual rental in Brockton was about $8.

He was not prepared to say that Brockton's plans was the best, as he thought that a plan should be adopted to fit the locality.

In reply to questions Mr. Snow said the rate assessed on land in Brockton was three mills on area and fifteen cents on frontage and the cost of meter was $1 40 per year.

At present in Brockton about four in every ten houses used the sewer. This was because the plumbing in many of the houses had been done before an inspection was required and upon entering the sewer it had been found necessary to have nearly all new plumbing which made the cost from $200 to $500.

At the close of the address Mr. Snow was given a vote of thanks.

Dr. Dewing's Sermon.

There was another good congregation at the second evening service of the conference on the deepening of the spiritual life, at the First Presbyterian church. The Rev. C. S. Dewing, D. D., of Somerville, pastor-at-large of Boston Presbytery, gave a clear-cut, able and effective discourse on "Breaking up the Fallow Ground," counselling Christians who had allowed a second-growth of worldliness to spring up to weed it out and bring forth rather the fruits of the Spirit. He commanded the pastor's arranging for this conference, saying that it was right in line with Mr. Moody's work.

This evening, the Rev. J. A. McElwain, of Clarendon Street Baptist church, Boston, will speak on the Holy Spirit's work. A prayer meeting at 6.45, song-service at 7.15, and a business meeting after the regular service.

County Report.

The annual report of Charles H. Smith the treasurer of Norfolk county shows receipts for the year 1896 to be $283,653 and expenditures of $278,996.

The receipts include balance in treasury Jan. 1, 1897, $8,255; county tax, $120,000; tempory loans, 120,000; interest, $217; labor of prisoner at jail and house of correction, $2279; union truant school at Walpole, $1914.

The expenditures include: interest, $7706; debts and loans, $130,000; salaries of county officers and assistants, fixed by law, $15,985; salaries and expenses of district and police courts, $12,637; care and support of prisoners, $18,473; repairing, furnishing, etc., of county buildings, $15,835; highways, bridges, land damages, $4,997; union truant school at Walpole, $3,647; dog damages and amount paid back to towns, $16,089.16.

$25,000 Note Lost.

Boston, Jan. 13.—Treasurer William Whitman of the Arlington mills has issued a notice warning all persons against discounting or negotiating a note for $25,000. The note was No. 2268, for $25,000, dated Dec. 14, 1896, payable at the Importers and Traders' National bank, New York, to the order of Harding, Whitman & Co. of that city. The note was mailed here, but never reached New York.

Incendiary Fire at Enfield.

Enfield, Conn., Jan. 13.—A large barn belonging to the Church family of shakers burned last night, entailing a loss of about $25,000. All the contents, with the exception of some live stock, was burned. The barn contained 100 tons of hay and about 30 tons of grain. The property was insured. The fire is believed to be of incendiary origin.

From Cashier to President.

Brattleboro, Vt., Jan. 13.—George C. Averill, cashier of the Vermont National bank for eight years, was elected president of that institution yesterday, vice George S. Dowley, deceased. Charles W. Richardson was elected cashier and Charles H. Thompson teller, both having been promoted from bookkeepers.

City Employes Paid

Lawrence, Mass., Jan. 13.—The threatened tie-up of the city employes' wages, on account of the deadlock, has been avoided. Citizens advanced the necessary amount, and the men were paid off last evening. City hall officials decline to state the names of the parties advancing the cash.

Bequest to Harvard Medical School.

Cambridge, Mass., Jan. 13.—By the will of Dr. Gardiner H. Scudder, filed yesterday in the probate court, the testator directs that after certain bequests are paid the remainder of his estate shall go to Harvard medical school, but not for the establishment of scholarships.

Jumped From Hospital Window.

Boston, Jan. 13.—Colin Campbell, 22 years old, committed suicide by jumping from the hospital window at Deer Island into Shirley Gut, while suffering from delirium tremens, yesterday. His body has not yet been found.

Beginning of Union Depot.

Boston, Jan. 13.—Superintendent John B. Sanborn of the Boston Terminal company removed the first shovelfull of dirt in the excavation for the new Grand Southern Union station.

The Mount Lebanon Shakers have invented a great many valuable things. They were the first to make brooms by machinery; the first to put up seeds in little packages; the first to manufacture cut nails.

Now they are out with a method of curing dyspepsia by resting the stomach. Their remedy is known as the Shaker Digestive Cordial. It supplies food in an artificially digested form and at the same time aids the digestion of other foods in the stomach. In other words, by the use of the Shaker Digestive Cordial, a dyspeptic virtually gets along without the use of his stomach until it is restored to its natural strength and vigor. A single 10 cent bottle will oft-times give marked relief. Get a bottle from your druggist and try it.

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Arbitration Treaty Binds Lion to Support of Monroe Doctrine.

London, Jan. 13.—The Chronicle's Washington correspondent says:

Secretary Olney, replying to a question of the Russian minister, Mr. E. De Kotzebue, as to whether the arbitration treaty with England was offensive and defensive, or anything in the nature of an alliance, said that the question might be answered yes and no. That in the ordinary diplomatic acceptance it was not an alliance, but that it is an alliance in support of the Monroe doctrine, which England recognized by the terms of the Venezuelan treaty. "If the arbitration treaty is ratified," Mr. Olney said, "it practically makes Great Britain our ally for the maintenance and enforcement of the Monroe doctrine."

The correspondent of The Chronicle, commenting upon the above, says:

Mr. Olney recognizes that England is the more natural ally of America than Russia, whose hitherto professed friendship for the United States is merely hatred for England. It is probable that Russia will do her best to persuade the senate not to ratify the treaty.

The Chronicle, in an editorial, regards the foregoing matter as of the greatest importance, and says that it desires nothing better than that Russia should take the course indicated. The scales will then fall from Americans' eyes, it concludes.

Continental Comment.

The Norddeutsch Allgemeine Zeitung, according to a dispatch from Berlin, thinks the European powers are not likely to follow the example set by Great Britain and the United States in the arbitration treaty. Ordinary diplomacy, it says, will suffice to settle money disputes, while territorial questions are of very different importance to Europe than to England and America, who are separated by the ocean.

The Boersen Courier thinks that the treaty imposes great obligations upon America, and that it should in future not tolerate filibustering expeditions to Cuba.

The Daily News' Paris correspondent says:

Next to England, with no great power of Europe is arbitration so popular as with France, who is ripe for a similar arrangement with both the United States and England.

An editorial in the Morning Post (Conservative), calls attention to article 8 of the treaty, which provides for the appointment of a judicial officer of any particular state or territory which may be involved in the question at issue, as one of the arbitrators, of which The Post says:

As American politics is constituted, such a clause means that there may always be an anti-British element on this tribunal on any question affecting dominion or frontier. Altogether, The Post regards the treaty as rather experimental

Dan Lamont a Bank Director.

New York, Jan. 13.—In accordance with the provisions of the national banking law, the stockholders of all national banks held their annual meetings yesterday and elected directors for the next year. Perhaps the most interesting, as well as most significant change, was at the National Union bank, where Daniel S. Lamont, secretary of war, was elected a director in place of C. H. Payne. It is inferred from that that Mr. Lamont means to take up his residence in this city again after March 4, and devote his attention to business pursuits. William F. St. John, formerly president of the Mercantile National bank and erstwhile treasurer of the Free Silver Populist party, retired yesterday from the board of directors of that bank and also from the directorship of the Second National bank.

Two Prize Fights.

Albany, Jan. 13.—In the Myers Athletic club arena last night there were two lively and clever bouts between Tom West of Boston and Charley Johnson of Philadelphia and Dan Creedon of Australia and Jim Williams of Salt Lake City. John P. Eckhardt refereed. The fights were 20 rounds each. West whipped Johnson in seven rounds by good, hard fighting, forcing the game all the time. For the middleweight championship of the world Creedon finished Williams in four rounds, with hot fighting.

Maceo Is Surely Dead.

Key West, Jan. 13.—Advices received here from Havana yesterday bring further confirmation, if such were needed, of the death of Antonio Maceo. A gentleman in Havana, who was an intimate friend of the late insurgent leader, has received a letter and a package containing Maceo's carbine, which, in case of his death, he desired to be sent to the friend referred to. It is a Colt carbine, and its number is 11,123. The letter also furnished additional proof of the great insurgent leader's death.

Ship Canal Indorsed.

Chicago, Jan. 13.—The deep waterway commission appointed by President Cleveland in November, 1895, has finished its report and submitted the same to Secretary Olney. It will be placed in President Cleveland's hands immediately, and by him submitted to congress as early as possible. The report is an unqualified endorsement of the ship canal project between the United States and Canada, and embraces a recommendation for an appropriation of $250,000 for preliminary surveys.

Timber Destroyed by Miners.

Toronto, Jan. 13.—Commissioner W. L. Haight of Parry Sound has discovered a cause for the fires in valuable timber lands in the Biscotasing district, north of Ontario. He attributes the fires to certain American mining men. The district is rich in minerals, and the fire, he thinks, was started in order that the government might place the land on the market as mining lands, and so it could be acquired at a low price. The loss of timber is estimated at nearly $1,000,000.

Kept In Asylum Though Sane.

Hartford, Jan. 13.—Thomas Jackson was yesterday released from the Connecticut hospital for the insane at Middleton, where he has been confined, though sane for more than a month. He was sent up from New Britain on a sentence of four months, recovered in a few days, and the officers of the hospital wished to discharge him, but found they could not.

Ex-Governor Long Slated.

Boston, Jan. 13.—The Post says this morning that ex-Governor John D. Long has been selected as the New England member of the McKinley cabinet, and that he will probably get the war portfolio.

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Leave NEPONSET—6.22 A. M., 6.37, 6.52, 7.07, 7.22, and every 7, 22, 37 and 52 minutes past the hour until 7.00 o'clock, then every half hour until 11 P. M.; last car for Quincy at 11.15 P. M. Cars leaving Neponset 22 minutes past the hour via. Norfolk Downs.

Quincy and East Weymouth.

Leave CITY HALL (10 minutes later from Quincy Point and 22 minutes later from North Weymouth)—5.45, 6.20, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8 50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, 11.20, 11.50 A. M.; 12.20, 12.50, 1.20, 1,50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20 4 50 5.20 (5.30 to East Weymouth car house), 5.50, 6.20, 6.30, 6.50, 7 20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.50 P. M.

Leave EAST WEYMOUTH (20 minutes later from North Weymouth and 30 minutes later from Quincy Point)—6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11, 11.30 A. M.; 12, 12.30, 1, 1.30, 2, 2.30, 3, 3.30, 4, 4.30, 5, 5.30, 6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11.30 P. M.

Quincy and East Milton.

Leave CITY HALL, 5.55, 6.25, then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.55 P. M., then at 9.50 and 10.50 P. M.

Leave EAST MILTON, 6.30, 7.00 A. M., then on the hour and half hour until 9.30 P.M., then at 10.20 and 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and Holbrook.

Leave QUINCY for SOUTH BRAINTREE and HOLBROOK at 6.10 and 6.40 A M., and every 10 minutes past and 20 minutes of the hour until 10 10 P. M. Last car leaves at 10.50 P. M. On Saturdays the last car leaves Quincy at 11.50 P. M.

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TO BOSTON. Leave Quincy.	Stops at	Arrive Boston.	FROM BOSTON. Leave Boston.	Stops at	Arrive Quincy
r 6 12	abc	6 30	5 53	ihgfedcba*	6 20 r
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r 7 12	abc	7 30	7 30	cba	7 49 r
7 29	a	7 48	8 30	cba	8 49 r
r 7 42	abc	8 00	9 30	cba	9 49 r
r 8 12	abc	8 30	10 30	cba	10 49 r
8 29	a	8 45	11 30	cba	11 49 r
r 8 42	abc	9 00	12 00	(xx)	12 15
r 9 12	abc	9 30	12 30	cba	12 49 r
r 10 12	abc	10 30	1 30	cba	1 49 r
r 11 12	abc	11 30	2 30	cba	2 49 r
r 12 12	abc	12 30	3 30	cba	3 49 r
r 1 12	abc	1 30	4 30	cba	4 49 r
1 46	(xx)	2 00	5 00	cba	5 19 r
r 2 12	abc	2 30	5 15	a	5 32
r 3 12	abc	3 30	5 30	cba	5 49 r
r 4 12	abc	4 30	6 00	cba	6 19 r
r 5 12	abc	5 30	6 15	a	6 32
r 6 12	abc	6 30	6 30	cba	6 49 r
r 7 12	abc	7 30	7 00	cba	7 19 r
r 7 41	abcdefghi	8 07	7 30	cba	7 49 r
r 8 08	abcdef	8 30	8 30	fedcba	8 53 r
r 9 12	abc	9 30	9 30	cba	9 49 r
r 10 08	abcdef	10 30	10 30	fedcba	10 53 r
r 10 34	abcdefghi	11 08	11 00	ihgfedcba	11 27 r
r 11 12	abc	11 30	11 30	cba	11 49 r

SUNDAYS.

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8 46	(xx)	9 00	7 30	fedcba	7 53 r
r 9 12	abc	9 30	8 30	(xx)	8 45
r 12 16	(xx)	12 30	9 30	ihgfedcba	9 57 r
1 12	abc	1 30	10 30	ihgfedcba	10 57 r
2 16	(xx)	2 30	11 30	(xx)	11 45
r 3 04	abcdefghi	3 30	12 30	cba	12 49
r 4 04	abcdefghi	4 30	1 30	(xx)	1 45
5 16	(xx)	5 30	4 30	cba	4 49 r
r 6 08	abcdef	6 30	5 00	(xx)	5 15
r 9 08	abcdef	9 30	7 00	fedcba	7 23 r
9 38	adf	9 55	10 30	fedcba	10 53 r

*The letters in the same line as the figures stand for different stations and indicate that trains stop, as follows:

a, Wollaston.
b, Norfolk Downs
c, Atlantic.
d, Neponset.
e, Pope's Hill.
f, Harrison Square
g, Savin Hill.
h, Crescent Avenue
i, South Boston.
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MOON'S PHASES.

New Moon	3	1:03 a.m.	Full Moon	18	3:17 p.m.
First Quarter	10	4:46 p.m.	Third Quarter	25	3:08 p.m.

Old John Henry.

Old John's jest made o' the commonest stuff—
Old John Henry.
He's tough, I reckon, but none too tough.
"Too much, though, 's better than not enough,"
Says old John Henry.
He does his best, and when his best's bad
He don't fret none, nor he don't get sad.
He simply 'lows it's the best he had—
Old John Henry.

His doctern's jest o' the plainest brand—
Old John Henry.
"A smilin face and a hearty hand
'S a religion 'at all folks understand,"
Says old John Henry.
He's stove up some with the rheumatiz,
And they hain't no shine on them shoes o' his,
And his hair hain't cut, but his eye teeth is—
Old John Henry.

He feeds hisse'f when the stock's all fed—
Old John Henry—
And "sleeps like a babe" when he goes to bed
"And dreams o' heaven and homemade bread,"
Says old John Henry.
He ain't refined as he ort to be
To fit the statutes of poetry,
Nor his clothes don't fit him, but he fits me—
Old John Henry.
—James Whitcomb Riley.

THE WEATHER INDICATIONS.

ALMANAC, WEDNESDAY, JAN. 13.
Sun rises—7:12; sets, 4:35.
Length of day—9h. 23m.
Moon sets—2:44 a. m.
Full sea—7 a. m., 7:30 p. m.
Forecast for New England: Generally fair; northwesterly gale, diminishing and becoming variable.

NEWS IN A NUTSHELL.

Ex-President Harrison is visiting in New York.

George C. Perkins has been re-elected United States senator from California.

Governor Leedy of Kansas, in his inaugural address, attacked the interstate commerce law.

The annual meeting of the Connecticut Oyster Growers' association was held at Bridgeport yesterday.

The National Tobacco Growers and Dealers' association held its first meeting at Ocala, Fla., yesterday.

The Harvard faculty has refused to grant the petition of the Hasty Pudding club to give a performance of its play in New York next spring.

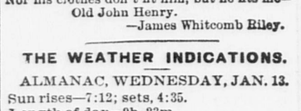
Following are the newly elected officers of the New York Yacht club: President, James Whitley; vice president, Thomas L. Watkins; secretary, John C. Gulick; treasurer, James E. Goodhue; captain, Barstow S. Weeks.

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TO ASSIST CONGRESS.

Business Men Meet at Indianapolis to Consider Financial Conditions.

Nearly Three Hundred Delegates In Attendance.

Some Suggestions Contained In Speeches by Prominent Men.

Indianapolis, Jan. 13.—Shortly after 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon H. H. Hanna called the national monetary conference to order in Tomlinson's hall.

At that time there was seated in the auditorium over 300 delegates, representing business interests that run up in value into the hundreds of millions. It was a fine looking body of men, whose object is to attempt a reform of the government's currency system.

In taking the chair, Mr. Stannard said: I desire to thank you for the honor you have conferred upon me by this call to preside over the temporary deliberations of this convention.

Early in December, at the instance of the board of trade and the business men of Indianapolis, a preliminary monetary conference was called to meet here, consisting of representatives of commercial organizations of some of the central western states, and that conference was composed of some 50 business men.

After a thorough and rather comprehensive discussion of matters under consideration it was resolved to invite the commercial organizations of the United States to send delegates to a convention to be held in this city today, to consider matters of importance pertaining especially to the financial policy of our government. Pursuant to this action you have here assembled, and I congratulate you and the country upon the assemblage of this convention of business men to consider matters of so great importance to the country.

It is not my purpose on this occasion to suggest any given line of policy to be pursued in remedying the evils of which complaint has been made, or that may be suggested here or hereafter. But I may mention—to my mind—some of the most glaring defects in our financial system. In this connection it is safe for me to say that the stability, prosperity and safety of our commercial, manufacturing, banking and agricultural operations depend upon a safe, comprehensive and stable financial policy for our government—a policy that may be relied on to last from one year to another, and from one political administration to another, and to be taken, as far as possible, out of the realm of politics.

The speaker reviewed the financial policy of our government, which, he said, was adopted during the war, when there were great emergencies. The people want treasury notes retired, as they are a menace to the credit of the government. National banks should be allowed to issue notes up to the par value of their bonds. He commended the national banking system, and said in conclusion:

I am sure the banker, merchant, professional man, manufacturer, farmer, miner, artisan, mechanic and laborer all have a community of interest in the cause we are here to promote. In the language of Benjamin Franklin, "We must all hang together or hang separate." The country cannot permanently prosper if any of the essential interests are neglected or sacrificed. All legislation should be for the "greatest good of the greatest number."

The chairman then announced his selection for the several committees.

After these committees retired there were calls for a speech from Charles S. Fairchild. In opening, he said:

For the first time in the history of governments, a great scientific financial question was submitted to the people for popular consideration in our last election. It was a great test; it was a great test of our institutions, not alone in the way in which it was decided, because we consider the adoption practically of a tool with which to conduct our business. Other men, at other times in our history, have considered similar questions, men differing as widely as possible in their political views. And yet, to them, there never entered an idea that party section, race, nationality, or worldly condition was involved.

After dwelling upon the defects of the present monetary system, Mr. Fairchild concluded with these words:

I tell you, before the work of this convention is finally concluded, the business world, not only of the United States, but of all the world, will be looking at it and its result, and I tell you, gentlemen, if it shall demonstrate (as God grant that it may not) that there is within this body not sufficient wisdom to arrive at something wise and conclusive, or if, having so come to a conclusion among yourselves, it is demonstrated that you are so far removed in influence from the lawmaking power that no results come from it, I tell you, gentlemen, you may tremble for the business and political future of your country. (Applause.)

John P. Irish of California was next called. Among other things, he said: It is your business to suggest to the lawmakers the way out of the difficulty, to put simplicity instead of complexity, to conform that system to the law of finance. I am aware that we have many wise men who join us in the accomplishing of financial reform in this country, and who believe, perhaps conscientiously, that the way to strengthen the superstructure is to weaken the foundation.

The chairman then called for the report of the committee on credentials. There were no contests. The total number of delegates whose names have so far been reported is 270.

Hon. J. H. Walker, chairman of the house committee on banking and currency, said in part:

The practical question for this convention to consider is what ought to be done to correct the evils made clearly manifest. I answer, we ought not to be satisfied with anything that does not relieve the treasury of the United States absolutely and forever from any responsibility for the "current redemption" of any form of paper money, and that at once. We must banish bonds from any connection with the monetary system. Bankers must be allowed to manage the banking business of the country, as the farmer does the business of farming; the woolen men the woolen business, and as every other business is managed, and independently of the government, other than in the supervision of banks, as now. The national bank act must be made as liberal as it is possible to make it, consistent with safe banking. No substantial relief can come in any other way than this.

The question over and above what ought to be done is what can be done under existing circumstances, and the answer to that, to my mind, is entirely clear. Nothing, absolutely nothing, until the business men and farmers are all workers, interested in a sound currency—in the prosperity of the country—bring a pressure to bear upon congress that will compel a thorough reformation of the whole system.

C. Stuart Patterson of Philadelphia was chosen for permanent chairman.

DYING BY MILLIONS.

Famine Sufferers In India Perishing by the Wayside.

London Jan. 13.—Lord George Hamilton, secretary of state for the Indian department, has sent to the lord mayor the statement upon which the appeal for subscriptions for the relief of the famine sufferers in India was based.

He says that districts with a population of 37,000,000 will be sufferers from famine until the end of March, and that it may continue in some parts until the end of June. In other districts, having a population of 44,000,000, distress may deepen with famine for a shorter or longer period, while 6,000,000 in the native state may be victims of famine. The density of the famished population varies from 902 per square mile in Mozafferpore and Bengal to 122 per square mile in Bhalagat and the central provinces.

There were 1,200,000 people on the relief work at the beginning of January, and this number will reach 2,000,000, and may exceed 3,000,000.

It is estimated that the famine will cost the Indian treasury at least £4,000,000 to £6,000,000.

Cablegrams from Calcutta state that the distress is rapidly deepening, especially in the Bundelpund districts, where half the population needs relief.

The Mansion house relief fund amounted to nearly £30,000 last night, including a donation of £250 by the Prince of Wales and the donation by the queen of £500, which has already been chronicled.

The Daily Mail's correspondent reports that in all quarters the famine is daily becoming more severe and widespread. Heartrending scenes are reported from the interior. At Jubbulpore men and women reduced to living skeletons are lying at the roadsides. It is believed that relief will cost the government £5,000,000. There are terrible scenes at the burial grounds of the Mohammedans, which are much overcrowded, and where the bodies of plague stricken victims recently interred are dug up to make room for fresh arrivals.

Sherman For Secretary of State.

Cleveland, Jan. 13.—General Charles H. Grosvenor came to Cleveland last evening from Canton, spent a few hours in conference with Chairman Hanna and departed for Washington at midnight. General Grosvenor says that he did not go to Canton to discuss the tariff question with Mr. McKinley. "I did talk with him about the cabinet situation. Senator Sherman is to be the next secretary of state. He practically told me that himself the other day. I want to say also that Senator Sherman's appointment to the state department is not contingent on the appointment of Mr. Sherman's successor in the senate. That does not enter into it." Speaking further, General Grosvenor said that Senator Allison was not asked to take the state portfolio; that he was offered the treasury portfolio and declined it. Mr. Grosvenor said that Congressman Dingley was out of the question in connection with the treasury department, because of his health.

Promoters Exonerated.

New York, Jan. 13.—Tom O'Rourke, the manager of the Broadway Athletic club; Dick Roche, the club referee, and George Justus, who met young Duffy in the boxing bout which proved fatal to the latter, have been exonerated from all blame. O'Rourke, Roche and Justus were arrested immediately after the bout which resulted in Duffy's death and held in $2000 bail each. The coroner's jury exonerated them, and yesterday they were discharged from custody by Magistrate Flammer.

International Quarantine Abolished.

Ottawa, Jan. 13.—The dominion cabinet has passed an order in council adopting the agreement which was entered into by Hon. Sydney Fisher and the authorities at Washington on the question of quarantine. As a result of this agreement international quarantine will be abolished between Canada and the United States, and rigid inspection put in force between each country. Quarantine against other countries will remain.

Lightweights Fight a Draw.

New York, Jan. 13.—The 25-round bout between Solly Smith of Los Angeles and Tommy White of Chicago, which took place at the Bohemian Sporting club here last night, resulted in a draw. The boys weighed in at 122 pounds, and they put up one of the fastest contests that has ever been seen in this vicinity. White had the advantage in height, but Solly counteracted this by his wonderfully strong and aggressive work.

Electricians Celebrate

Buffalo, Jan. 13.—The celebration of the advent of transmission of electric power into Buffalo took place last evening in the spacious banquet hall of the Ellicott club. It took the form of a banquet, attended by about 300 gentlemen, half a hundred of whom were distinguished guests from out of town. With the exception of Thomas A. Edison, practically all the famous electricians of the country were present.

Middle Roaders Meet.

St. Louis, Jan. 13.—General Jacob S. Coxy yesterday called to order the conference of reformers who met pursuant to a call issued by the commonweal leader, for the purpose of forming a new organization to take the place of the People's party, which he declared is dead. There were 23 middle-of-the-roaders present, most of them being local lights.

Mrs. Livermore Re-Elected.

Boston, Jan. 13.—The annual meeting of the Massachusetts Woman's Suffrage association was held in Park Street church here yesterday afternoon. The report of the treasurer, Francis J. Garrison, showed receipts of $4349 and expenses $2940. Mrs. Mary A. Livermore, who was absent on account of sickness, was re-elected president; Henry B. Blackwell, corresponding secretary; Francis J. Carrison, treasurer, and Mrs. O. Augusta Cheney, clerk.

Nurse Confessed.

Yokohama, Jan. 13.—The trial of Mrs. Walter Carew, who was charged with poisoning her husband, has been brought to a dramatic close by the appearance and confession in court of Miss Mary Jacob, the governess of the family, who, it now seems, was the murderess, and the person who wove the chain of evidence around the widow which nearly led to her conviction.

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THE SPORTING WORLD.

It is said that the main reason why pacers last longer on the turf than trotters is that the "side wheelers" carry less weight on their feet. A trotter that must carry, as many of them do, front shoes weighing 10 or 12 ounces and sometimes a 4 or 6 ounce toe weight besides, cannot but submit the tendons, muscles and ligaments of his legs to an enormous strain. The concussion when the feet of a trotter so shod strikes the ground, when going faster than a 2:10 gait, is terrific, and it is hardly to be wondered at that so many of the crack trotters retire in a crippled condition early in life. The pacing gait, unlike the trotting gait, is as a rule developed to its limit without loading the horse down with heavy shoes or weights.

Joe Patchen, 2:03, the largest of the fast pacers, wears shoes in front weighing only 4½ ounces. His shoes are plain bar shoes, having neither heel nor toe calks. Robert J, 2:01½, wears the same style of shoe, and it is of exactly the same weight. John R. Gentry, 2:00½, wears a plain bar shoe weighing a trifle less than 5 ounces, while the shoe worn by Star Pointer, although of the same style, weighs 5¾ ounces. Frank Agan, 2:03¾, is the only one of the pacing cracks of 1896 that did not wear bar shoes. His shoes are of the ordinary shape, having heel calks running lengthwise of the web and a toe calk extending clear around the toe, following the shape of the web.—Exchange.

Why Weston Failed.

Weston, the veteran walker who recently attempted to cover 112 miles in 24 hours, explains his failure as follows: "In starting out on such a schedule I made one serious mistake. While I believed, and still believe, that the muscle and constitution which carried me through a quarter of a century ago can even now tide me over such a task as I tried I failed to make allowance for the sleep needed by a man of my years. Had I split the schedule at 60 or 70 miles and taken a nap I feel confident that I would have got well over the mark I set out to reach. As it was, I counted too much on youthful precedent and paid the penalty. The rapidity with which I revived when I was ultimately forced to seek rest shows that my recuperative powers are still unimpaired. Why, when I returned to the path for what proved to be a hopeless effort to make up lost ground, I felt almost as frisky and full of going as when I went after the Astley belt."—New York Sun.

Joe Choynski's Charge.

"Fitzsimmons is always in trouble," said Joe Choynski the other day. "When Jim Hall knocked him out in Australia, he said it was a 'fake,' admitting that he deliberately laid down for a consideration. A man that will do what he said he did should not do much yelling about fair play. When he fought me in Boston, I had him practically knocked out, and but for the interference of the police I would have finished him. After the bout he said he had agreed with me to go light, and that I crossed him when I got a chance. There is not a word of truth in that statement of his. The go was on its merits, and because he got the worst of it he made that lame excuse. All this talk about a job in San Francisco is nonsense. Fitz hit Sharkey foul, and properly lost the fight."—Exchange.

An Important Athletic Event.

The athletic committee of the New Jersey Athletic club in charge of the coming carnival of sports to be held in Madison Square Garden, New York, on Feb. 13, has decided to add a scratch one mile bicycle race to the programme. It is expected that this will draw together all the crack riders in that section of the country. Beside the cycling part of the programme the athletic events open to all amateurs will be as follows: Sixty yard run, handicap; 220 yard run, handicap; 880 yard run, handicap; 1 mile run, handicap; 440 yard run, handicap; 1 mile walk, handicap; 880 yard run, novice; pole vault for height, handicap, limit 6 inches; 1 mile bicycle race.—Exchange.

The Baseball Gun.

Professor Hinton's gun pitcher has its merits. You buy the gun and pay it no salary. At night you may lock it up in the clubhouse while the team is at home, and on the road it will not cost you a railroad fare or a hotel bill. The thing will always be in the pink of condition and would need no training from a 224 pound winter weight. It would not want a salary when it wasn't used and couldn't sue for $5,000 damages. You wouldn't have to reserve it, and it would never turn up at the grounds unable to pitch.—Philadelphia Press.

Growth of Golf.

Golf made more rapid strides to success and popularity during the past year than any other game that is not considered a standard game of this country. The number of clubs that have been organized has been remarkable, and the disparaging remark so often made that "it is an old man's game" has almost vanished. The game has thoroughly established itself, and at the close of the year it ranked as one of the popular sports and pastimes of this country.—Pittsburg Dispatch.

Sporting Notes.

Turf gossips are once more at work concerning the possibility of racing being resumed in New Jersey this year.

The Bohemian Sporting club of New York has succeeded in arranging an exchange of membership privileges with the National Sporting club of England.

Davy Roach, the rowing expert of the New York Athletic club, thinks American oarsmen are making a mistake in copying the English style.

Fitzsimmons is an inch longer in each arm than Corbett.

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NOTICE TO PARENTS.
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CITY CLERK'S OFFICE, Dec. 14, 1896.
THE Record of births in any city or town is always more or less unsatisfactory, owing to the fact that the canvasser finds difficulty in getting the necessary information. Names and dates are frequently given incorrectly. The importance of accuracy is shown in many cases where there is a question of descent, or inheritance of property, or collection of life insurance or pensions. The City Clerk's copy of the record is accepted as conclusive evidence in a court of law. While great pains are taken by this office to have the record correct, experience shows that it is necessary that parents themselves should lend their assistance. In fact the law requires that parents shall give notice to the City Clerk of the birth of their children, and provides a penalty for neglect to give such notice for the space of six months.
It often happens that only children or servants are at home when the canvasser makes his call, and the answers to his questions are open to doubt. I therefore request all parents in whose households a birth has occurred in the year 1896, to place upon a paper or card the required information, and keep it in a convenient place until the canvasser appears.
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Mortgagee's Sale of Real Estate.

PURSUANT to the power of sale, contained in a certain mortgage deed, given by Walter F. Hall to the Quincy Co-operative Bank, dated February 7th, 1894, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, libro 709, folio 113, will be sold at public auction on the premises hereinafter described for breach of the condition of said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing the same on FOURTH DAY, the twenty-first day of January, 1897 at three o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed and therein described, substantially as follows, namely:

A certain lot of land, together with any buildings thereon standing, containing 6959 square feet, situated in said Quincy and bounded and described as follows, viz: Being lot No. 5 on a plan of house lots owned by John R. Graham, made by George G. Saville and dated July, 1884, recorded with Norfolk Plans as No. 411 in Plan Book 10; Said lot is bounded Northwesterly on a private way on said plan called Sumner street, eighty-seven (87) feet; Northeasterly on a private way shown on said plan, connecting said Sumner street with River street and called Graham street, eighty (80) feet; Southeasterly on lot No 6, on said plan, being other land of said Graham, eighty-six and ninty-nine one-hundredths (86 99) feet; Southwesterly on lot No. 4, on said plan, being other land of Graham, seventy-eight and sixty-four one-hundredths (78.64) feet. Being the same premises conveyed to said Walter F. Hall by the said John R. Graham by his deed, dated February 7th, 1894, duly recorded, and said premises are to be sold subject to any unpaid taxes or assessments.

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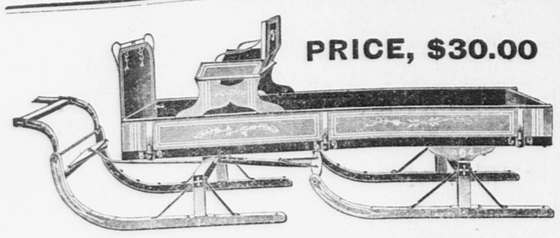
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TELEGRAPHIC.

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SHERMAN AND HANNA.

Speculation In Washington Regarding Two Eminent Ohioans.

Senators Silent on Arbitration Treaty.

Yesterday's Proceedings of Both Houses of Congress.

Washington, Jan. 14.—Speculation as to who would be the Ohio member in the cabinet of the president-elect was persistently hovering about the names of Senator Sherman and Mark Hanna, the chairman of the national committee, the former being mentioned in connection with the head of the treasury and state portfolios, and the latter in connection with the head of the treasury and post-office departments.



JOHN SHERMAN.

It has been known for some time, however, that Mr. Hanna's ambition was a seat in the United States senate. The retirement of Ohio's veteran senator to accept the position of premier in Mr. McKinley's cabinet will probably open the way to a gratification of this ambition.

Mr. Sherman's term as senator would expire two years hence, March 4, 1899. The vacancy created by Mr. Sherman's retirement will be filled by appointment by Governor Bushnell, pending the assembling of the Ohio legislature in January, 1898. It is understood that the old war in Ohio between the Sherman and Foraker factions has ceased, and that complete harmony has been restored among the leaders. This carries with it the strong implication that Governor Bushnell will appoint Mr. Hanna to the vacancy in the senate when Mr. Sherman steps out to assume the grave responsibilities connected with the head of the department of state.

Senator Sherman declines to make any statement relative to the important announcement which is made, but this in no wise militates against its authenticity. The definite announcement that Mr. McKinley has selected the keystone of the arch upon which his administration will rest, recalls the fact that it was Mr. Cleveland's selection of Judge Walter Q. Gresham as secretary of the present administration which was first given to the public.

As secretary of state, Mr. Sherman will round out a brilliant public career, which began 42 years ago in the house of representatives, and bring to that exalted post a ripe experience which covers four terms in the lower branch of congress and six terms in the upper house, beside four years at the head of the treasury department under Mr. Hayes' administration.

It is significant in connection with the knowledge that Mr. Sherman will be secretary of state, that General Russell A. Alger of Michigan, while here a few days ago, had a conference with the Ohio senator, at which, it is understood, all their past differences were adjusted and reconciled. This strengthens the belief that General Alger is also to be a member of Mr. McKinley's cabinet, the post he is to fill being that of secretary of war. Reports, however, also persistently associate the name of Senator Hawley of Connecticut with this portfolio.

THE ARBITRATION TREATY.

Senators Decline to Discuss Probable Action Thereon.

Washington, Jan. 14.—There was more or less discussion yesterday concerning the arbitration treaty recently negotiated by Secretary Olney and Sir Julian Pauncefote, and some speculation as to its ratification.

A member of the committee on foreign relations stated that the subject was so vast that it was necessary to give the matter very close consideration before any action should be taken, and that in the examination of it there were possibilities not known which might cause a man to change his mind many times. He said that until he could give the matter such attention as the subject demanded, he could not be quoted on the matter. He said that one phase might be instanced. At present there might not be anything in view to arbitrate, yet after general arbitration had been agreed upon, any number of cases might be presented by one of the parties, and numerous claims which were previously unheard of might be brought forward. The unknown quantities might be a serious objection to making any definite agreement.

Senator White of California says that he will support the treaty, if at all, because it is for a short period, and is largely experimental. It might be that the experiment would prove successful, but he feared that in every contention that would arise some new principle might arise which it might not be good policy to submit to the tribunal proposed in the treaty. He said some question relating to the Monroe doctrine might arise, and that question the United States would not care to submit to arbitration. Another case instanced by a senator who has given the subject some thought was Cuba. Under certain conditions the United States might desire to take action regarding the situation, and assert the Monroe doctrine. The European powers, Great Britain included, might dispute the right of the United States, under the Monroe or any other doctrine, to interfere, and the matter, so far as Great Britain is concerned, must go to arbitration. Reference was also made to the Monroe doctrine resolutions now pending in the senate, in which the declaration was made that the United States reserved the right to decide when the doctrine applied.

The discussion yesterday indicated that the treaty would require long consideration, and the opinion was expressed that it might be ratified through interference of peace societies and kindred associations, who feel that such a treaty might prevent war in the future.

Secretary Olney was turned down by the senate in executive session yesterday in his effort to have the vote on the extradition treaties between this country and the Orange Free State and the Argentine Republic reconsidered for the purpose of withdrawing the senate's amendments. He was beaten at every point. At the conclusion of a two hours' session the senate resolved to stand by its original decision not to accept the treaties without amendment protecting American citizens.

Congressional Proceedings.

Washington, Jan. 14.—The opening session of the senate yesterday was much curtailed by an executive session, lasting two hours. After this the balance of the day was given to Mr. Bacon of Georgia in a speech upholding the power of congress to recognize new governments. The senator insisted that the arrogant assertion of one man power threatened to make the presidential power greater than that exerted by any monarch. An agreement was reached for a vote on the free homestead bill at 4 p. m. today.

After a very dull day devoted to passing bills of minor importance the house plunged into a warm controversy over a bill to make oleomargarine and other imitations of dairy products subject to laws of the states into which they are transported. The author of the bill, Mr. Grout of Vermont, led the first fight for it, and it was opposed by the Democrats and several Republicans, chiefly on the ground that it would give the states power to prohibit the use of such products. The house got into a parliamentary struggle over the measure on account of the determination of Mr. Cannon of Illinois to secure more time for its consideration, and adjourned, leaving it unfinished. One of the senate bills passed was to withdraw from the supreme court criminal cases other than capital, and leave jurisdiction over them to the courts of appeals.

Agreement With Spain.

New York, Jan. 14.—A special to The World from Washington says: The agreement between the United States and Spain regarding the terms to be granted to the Cuban insurgents was practically concluded yesterday. It is neither a treaty nor a diplomatic memo. It is a compact or agreement between the United States and Spain upon the terms that Spain is willing to grant the insurgents. There are to be three parties to the agreement. The United States do not act as representatives of the insurgents. There are still some minor details to be arranged, and these may occupy at least 10 days more. By the end of January, however, the terms will be complete. They will then be laid before congress in a special message from President Cleveland. Simultaneously they will be promulgated in Madrid and in Havana.

Reunion of Army of Potomac.

New York, Jan. 14.—Major C. A. Woodruff, U. S. A., now at Governor's island, and Dr. Rossiter W. Raymond, formerly of General Frémont's staff, have been chosen respectively orator and poet for the 28th annual reunion of the Society of the Army of the Potomac, which will be held at Troy in the latter part of August.

Railroad Sold.

Rome, Ga., Jan. 14.—The Chattanooga, Rome and Columbus railroad was sold here yesterday by order of the United States circuit court. The road was bought by Simon Borg & Co. of New York, agents and attorneys for the bondholders. The price paid was $500,000.

Temporarily Succeeds President Walker.

Boston, Jan. 14.—At the meeting of the faculty of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, held yesterday afternoon in the Ruger building, Professor James M. Craft of the chemistry department was elected chairman of the faculty pro tem.

Expensive Flirtation.

New York, Jan. 14.—Frederick L. Colwell, a stock broker, has been given a verdict for $50,000 by a supreme court jury in his suit against Dr. Charles A. Tinker for alienating his wife's affections.

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NEW ENGLAND LEAGUE

Baseball Managers Meet and Make Plans For Next Season.

Applications From Several Towns.

Newport Admitted and New Bedford Case Under Consideration.

Boston, Jan. 14.—The annual meeting of the New England Baseball league was held here yesterday. Newport, R. I., was admitted to membership. Cambridge, Lowell and Taunton applied for membership.

New Bedford resigned, which leaves the following clubs in the league: Fall River, Pawtucket, Bangor, Newport and Brockton.

President Timothy H. Murnane presided, and Secretary-Treasurer J. C. Morse was present. The clubs were represented as follows:

Brockton—President Horace A. Keith, Vice President W. B. Foster, Treasurer Packard and Manager W. W. Burnham.

Newport—President Joseph Haire, Treasurer Duncan McLean, Director Benjamin Anthony, Manager M. J. Finn.

Pawtucket—H. L. Johnson, Director M. Moy.

Fall River—President Charles A. Marston.

Bangor—Manager M. R. McDermott.

At a meeting of the directors the championship was awarded to Fall River. The New Bedford club's case was discussed. This club was expelled last year, but a letter of explanation of the club's conduct was received. The action of the board of directors in expelling this club was rescinded. Then the New Bedford club resigned, and the resignation was accepted.

President Murnane, Secretary Morse and Horace A. Keith of Brockton were appointed a committee on circuit. New Bedford will again apply for admission. The sentiment of the clubs was that there should be no Maine clubs.

P. E. Pettee, a well-known ball player, made the application for Taunton. M. H. McDermott, formerly of Fall River, Taunton and Bangor, put in an application for Lowell, and William H. Long, the well-known umpire, asked that Cambridge be admitted. It is said that there will be no Maine clubs at all, which will shut out Bangor. New Bedford and Taunton are said to be slated, and possibly the circuit will be enlarged to eight clubs, with Lowell and Cambridge as the two other cities. Of the clubs now in, Bangor will, in all probability, be let out, and Fall River, Brockton, Pawtucket and Newport will organize the league.

President Woodbury of the Portland was given a hearing, but it is doubtful if his club will be accepted. The old officers were re-elected, and the secretary was appointed a committee on constitution. It was voted by the representatives of all the clubs that the monthly salary list be inside of $1000, exclusive of managers.

The schedule meeting will be held on March 10, and the meeting adjourned subject to the call of the chair, pending the result of the labor of the circuit committee. The season will begin about May 15.

CAPTAIN TAYLOR'S SUICIDE.

Commander of Steamer Howard Shoots Himself Through Head.

Boston, Jan. 14.—The Merchants and Miners' Transportation company steamer Howard, which left here at 3 o'clock Tuesday afternoon for Norfolk and Baltimore, returned to her berth at Battery wharf at 11 o'clock yesterday with colors at half-mast on account of the suicide of Captain John C. Taylor of the vessel by shooting.

Captain Taylor had just come off his watch and entered his room leading off the cabin, at about midnight, when suddenly a sharp report of a revolver was heard, and several of the officers and passengers on hastening to the captain's room, found that he had shot himself through the head. The wounded man died a few moments later.

The deceased was about 53 years of age, and had been connected with this company for about 30 years. He leaves a wife and grown up daughter, who reside at the Hotel Warren in Roxbury. The only reason known for Captain Taylor's act is that he was greatly worried over an accident which occurred on his last trip from this port to Baltimore, near Fort Carroll, in the Patapsco river, when the Howard collided with and sunk the tugboat Job T. Wilson of Richmond, and the engineer of the tug, James Saunders, and the steward, Charles C. Campbell, were drowned. This was Captain Taylor's first accident in his 30 years' experience when a loss of life resulted. The accident was due to a confusion of signals, but it has been noticed that Captain Taylor has appeared much depressed since the collision.

The Howard was off Gay Head in Vineyard sound when Captain Taylor took his life, and Chief Officer John Montelesh, who was then on watch, put the ship about and returned to Boston.

At noon Captain Bragdon of the harbor police, accompanied by the medical examiner, visited the steamer and viewed the remains. The vessel resumed her passage later in the day in charge of Mate Montelesh.

The officials of the Merchants and Miners' Transportation company of Baltimore, to which line the Howard belongs, state that they made a careful investigation into the circumstances surrounding the sinking of the tug Wilson, and that Captain Taylor and his crew were exonerated from all blame in the matter.

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Two Weeks' Temperature.

	This Week.	Last Week
Sunday	43	39
Monday	42	54
Tuesday	31	59
Wednesday	20	41
Thursday	30	34
Friday	—	20
Saturday	—	28

THE ARLINGTON PLAN.

The Assessment for Frontage Fixed by a Special Act.

The act relative to the construction of a system of sewerage for the town of Arlington is among the most recent legislation, being an Act of 1896. Section 5 which relates to assessments reads:

SECTION 5. The owners of estates benefited and abuting on streets or ways, public or private, in which sewers have been laid or shall hereafter be laid, under said votes or under the provisions of this act, shall pay to said town towards defraying the cost of such sewer, systems of sewerage and sewage disposal an assessment or charge as follows: Twenty-eight cents per running foot frontage on the street or way on which a sewer is constructed, and fifty-two one-hundredths of a cent per square foot area within a depth of one hundred feet from the line of such street or way, the area of corner lots being measured to the line bisecting the angle formed by the streets; but no estate shall be deemed benefited unless or until a sewer is constructed into which it can be drained. The remainder of the cost of said system or systems shall be borne by the town. No particular or other sewer from any estate or part of an estate, not already assessed or not liable to assessment or charge, as provided above, shall be entered into a common sewer, except upon the payment of such an assessment or charge, and upon such other terms and conditions as the board of sewer commissioners shall fix and determine.

Universalist Vestry.

There was a fine supper and an excellent entertainment at the Universalist vestry on Wednesday evening, but not a large crowd to enjoy it.

The programme consisted of solos, duets, reading and tableaux by the following talent:

Piano Duet, Miss and Mr. Burgoyne.
Solo, Mrs. Henry Furnald.
Trio, banjo, guitar and piano, Miss Foss, Mr. Gomez, Mrs. Furnald.
Reading, Mrs. Herbert Fay Nye.
Piano Solo, Miss Burgoyne.
Whip o'will Quartette, Miss Holten, Mrs. Stoddard, Mr. Prouty, Mr. Gomez.
Piano Duet, Miss and Mr. Burgoyne.
Tableaux, Soldier's Farewell, and a Soldier's Dream, under the direction of Miss Grace Cain.

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OLD COLONY GROCERS.

Annual Meeting and Banquet at United States Hotel.

It was a happy occasion, the fourth annual banquet of the Old Colony Grocers' Associations, for several reasons. First, because the members are becoming acquainted with each other and working for mutual benefit; second, because of the grand financial success of the recent food fair, at which the Old Colony Association received as its share over $3000; and third, because a fine menu was spread, and some entertainers were on hand for the post prandial exercises.

The business meeting was held in the afternoon, at which these officers were elected, a Quincy man being second on the list:

President,—C. L. Keon of North Abington.

First Vice President,—John W. Nash of Quincy.

Second Vice President,—C. R. Cox of Whitman.

Secretary,—M. W. Lynch of East Weymouth.

Treasurer,—J. Sampson of Braintree.

Executive Committee,—F. L. Clark of Rockland, Osborne Rogers of Quincy, J. A. Connell of East Weymouth, G. A. Cleft of Whitman and A. T. Faunce of North Abington.

Trustees,—Andrew McNeil of Hingham, L. M. Pratt of Quincy and Gordon Willis of Weymouth.

At 7.30 the menu was served and over an hour was given to the following delicacies:

BILL OF FARE.

Oysters on Deep Shell.
Cream of Chicken. Spanish Olives.
Baked Fillet of Sole, White Wine Sauce.
Plain Jelery. Potato Croquettes.
Turkey, Cranberry Sauce.
Tenderloin of Beef, with Mushrooms.
Potato Rolls. Green Peas.
Banana Fritters, Fruit Wine Sauce.
Claret Punch. Shrimp Mayonnaise.
Charlotte Russe.
Chocolate Ice Cream. Wine Jelly.
Frozen Pudding.
Assorted Cake. Fruits.
Water Wafers. Pineapple Cheese.
Coffee.

At the head of the table were the retiring president, Andrew McNeil of Hingham; the president-elect, C. L. Keon of North Abington; the vice president-elect, John W. Nash of Quincy; Josephus Sampson of Braintree, A. C. Dowse of the New England Grocer, W. A. Nichols of New York, George H. Bond of Boston, John F. Nickerson of Boston, Horace Ela of Lowell, L. A. Turley of Boston and Charles M. Erskine of Lowell.

Besides Mr. Nash there were present from Quincy, George H. Wilson, Capt. E. H. Doane, John F. Merrill, J. W. Mason, Joseph W. Johnson, Robert T. Johnson George T. Spooner, Charles H. Brooks, Osborne Rogers, Howard Rogers, Joseph Prout, Lester M. Pratt, S. F. Newcomb, A. F. Macleod, George Ames, Frank F. Prescott, George Prout, George Prout, Jr.

From Braintree there were S. S. Bridgham, J. H. Simmons, H. M. White, C. H. Hobart, Frank W. Brett, M. D.

Weymouth had a large delegation: Everett Loud, J. Otis Bates, Charles T. Humphrey, F. A. Soles, W. E. Beane, W. O. Collyer, John S. Bacon, E. W. Hunt, F. H. Holmes, B. B. Sylvester, L. S. Thompson, George M. Davis, George E. Perry, F. C. Blanchard, F. W. Harris, M. C. Nash, Gordon Willis, E. J. Pitcher.

Hingham was represented by C. E. West, Arthur L. Whiton, Frederick Humphrey Libo Studley, A. S. Rich, Amos C. Humphrey, Charles F. Decosal, Warren S. Cushing, William Cushing, Charles E. Lincoln, A. E. Hobart, Richard McNeil.

And there were others from Brockton, Whitman, Abington, Boston, Lowell and elsewhere.

Short remarks were made at the post prandial exercises by Andrew McNeil, the retiring president; C. L Keon, the president elect; Horace Ela, an ex-president of the Lowell Association; John F. Nickerson, the first vice president of the Boston Wholesale Grocers' Association; W. A. Nichols, the New England correspondent of the American Grocer and others; but the greater part of the exercises were by humorists, vocalists, the orchestra and other entertainers.

Bank Officers.

The Granite National bank held it annual meeting Tuesday and elected these directors: Theophilus King, Edwin W. Marsh, Joseph H. Vogel, James Thompson, George H. Hitchcock, Clarence Burgin, Rupert F. Claflin, Charles F. Adams, 2d.

The board of directors will meet this afternoon for organization.

—John H. Whelan has been appointed postmaster of Weymouth.

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First Presbyterian Church.

An "a" in the "e" box made the type say in the report of Tuesday's service, "He commanded the pastor's arranging for this conference," etc., instead of, "He commended." It may interest those not fully acquainted with Presbyterian polity to know that no man, not even the moderator of the general assembly, can command the pastor of the smallest church to do anything. The Presbytery, composed of a considerable body of ministers and elders, alone has this power, subject to certain limitations and to the review of the synod and general assembly.

Wednesday evening the attendance was larger than before and the sermon on the work of the Holy Spirit, by the Rev. J. A. McElwain of Boston, was notably strong, clear, rich and convincing.

At the close of the service, the meeting which had been announced was held in the lower room. Agents for two companies were on hand with sample pews. It was decided to adhere to the plan for an entrance through a corner tower, to go ahead with the proposed seating, and to accept the offer of the ladies to raise the money. The special committee was discharged with a rising vote of thanks, and the work turned over to the board of trustees, with an advisory committee to be appointed by the Ladies' Society.

The service this evening will be preceded by a meeting of the Women's Missionary society. The preacher will be the Rev. Scott F. Hershey, Ph. D., of the First Presbyterian church, Boston. Service begins at 7.30. All are cordially invited.

Quincys Lose.

The Quincy candle pin league team continue to be easy victims to all of the other teams in the league. Wednesday night they went to South Boston and bowled against that team and were defeated by 1246 to 1175. The South Bostons bowled over 414 points in every string while the highest string that the Quincys were able to put up was 398 which was on the last string.

The most important game was between the McCarthys and St. James, which resulted in a victory for the McCarthys by a score of 1312 to 1233. The results of other games were as follows: Carruths, 1296; Centrals, 1240; Jefferson, 1254; Murray & Irwin, 1233; Columbia, 1263; Hubs, 1244; Prospects, 1271; Lenox, 1226; Myers, 1249; Jamesons, 1177.

The score of the South Boston-Quincy game was as follows:

SOUTH BOSTON.

Bowler	1	2	3	Total
Ross,	75	76	73	224
Farrell,	79	79	94	252
McKee,	94	78	77	249
Paige,	82	100	83	265
Clack,	88	81	87	256
	418	414	414	1246

QUINCY.

Sanborn,	79	93	77	246
Cavanagh,	78	85	83	246
Hodges,	64	74	74	212
Freeman,	76	73	80	229
Costello,	84	71	84	239
	381	896	398	1175

Willards Win Again.

The second candle pin match on the Willard alleys at West Quincy played Tuesday evening resulted in a victory of the Willards over the Albanys of Boston, by 102 pins.

The full score:

WILLARDS.

	1	2	3	4	Total
Clements,	77	78	73	76	304
Boutin,	88	81	82	95	346
Gallager,	77	89	68	74	308
Cray,	80	79	78	76	313
Havahan,	75	84	82	85	326
Totals,	397	411	383	406	1597

ALBANYS OF BOSTON.

Moylan,	90	66	71	82	309
Mury,	69	78	83	74	304
O'Donnell,	72	74	72	75	293
Lyons,	65	70	79	58	272
J. McDonnell,	85	74	76	82	317
Totals,	381	362	381	371	1495

Protection Discussed.

The Quincy High school Debating society met on Wednesday. The first business of the meeting was the reading of the secretary's report by Mr. Wilkins, '97.

The election of officers was then completed by the choice of Miss Joss, '97, as president.

The entertainment followed and these numbers were given:

Recitation, Miss Ward, '98.
Recitation, Mr. Morehead, '99.

The debate was on this subject: "Resolved, That Protection is a Wise National Policy."

The Affirmative was taken by Miss Pickering, Miss Powers, Miss Reynolds and Miss Sweeney.

The Negative was sustained by Mr. Marnock, Mr. McDonnell, Mr McLean and Mr. Thayer.

The debate will be concluded next week.

Ladies' Aid.

At the annual meeting of the Ladies' Aid Society of the Washington Street Congregational church the following officers were elected:

President,—Mrs. A. A. Harlow.
Vice President,—Mrs. H. M. Federhen.
Treasurer,—Mrs. F. S. Barry.
Secretary,—Miss Lillian Carter.

—The Dorchester yacht club has elected Franklin L. Codman commodore, and the Corinthian club of Marblehead has elected Nathaniel C. Nash.

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High school reunion tomorrow night.

The new block at Brewer's corner is fast nearing completion.

John Hennigan has been elected as janitor of the Gridley Bryant school.

Large parties of Quincy young people enjoy the excellent skating at Braintree every night.

The Wollaston Unitarian society will hold its regular monthly sociable on Thursday evening next.

Quincy was well represented at the concert of the Union Choral society at Braintree Wednesday evening.

Chief Engineer Williams has practically recovered from his recent illness although he is still unable to resume active duty.

Everybody is going to the "Hurdy Gurdy" party on Satuday evening. It is for the benefit of the Fragment society.

The through electric cars to Hingham are being well patronized and people in Quincy and Hingham find them very convenient.

The Unity Circle of King's Daughters will hold their annual supper and business meeting in the chapel of Bethany church this evening.

Postmaster Burns of Wollaston has put twenty new lock boxes into the post office. The boxes are of polished bronze and make a very attractive appearance.

Preparations are being rapidly pushed for the moving of the Wollaston M. E church. The cellar has been staked out in the society's new lot at the corner of Beale and Safford streets.

There is quite a lively contest going on before Supt. French of the N. Y. N. H. & H. railroad, as to whom shall have the privilege of soliciting carriage passengers at the Wollaston station.

The regular meeting of Philedian Senate, K. A. E. O., will be held this evening, and it is expected that the Excellent Senator Charles M. Jenness who has been ill for several weeks will be present.

The St. John's society will celebrate its thirteenth anniversary by an entertainment and dance this evening at the hall on School street. A collation will be served. The dance will end at 2 o'clock.

Dr. John H. Ash will preside at the concert and lecture of the Irish societies Sunday evening in Hancock hall, for the benefit of the Irish political prisoners of Great Britain. John Devoy, of New York, will lecture.

There is a constant demand at the Y. M. C. A. for tickets to the Moody meeting. It has been impossible to supply them for every service this week, but there are a few left for Friday morning and afternoon, also for next Monday. It's a case of first come first served.

Miss Ruth Randall gave a very pleasant party at her father's residence on Adams street last evening to thirty or more of her young friends. She is soon to leave Quincy to attend school in a distant city. Music, dancing and cards made the evening very enjoyable.

Mr. Oliver Leaman of South Quincy was severely burned about the face the first of the week. He was attempting to burn a lot of rubbish in his furnace and in doing so clogged the furnace and in order to make it burn more freely he used kerosene oil which quickly ignited and burst into his face.

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BRAINTREE CONCERT.

The Union Choral Society Score a Grand Success.

The Union Choral society of Braintree made its first bow to the general public Wednesday evening when a concert was given at the Town Hall, Braintree, under the leadership of Prof. Edward P. Hayward. The chorus of 150 voices was assisted by Miss Lottie Mae McKay of Boston, soprano soloist; Miss Alice Thaxter Reed of Boston, reader, the Æolian male quartette, a ladies' quartette and an orchestra. Mr. G. Herbert Wilde and Miss Marion S. Arnold were accompanists.

The audience was a critical one and the work of the chorus was closely watched. In the rendering of the "Wreck of the Hesperus," part of which was omitted, the solo parts, as a whole, were hardly up to the standard. The chorus was strong and their work was very creditable and their rendering of the "Bridal Chorus," the "Carnivale" and the "Triumphal March" was excellent.

The chorus with tenor obligato by Dr. Dearing was also fine. The selections by the Æolian and Ladies' quartette were well rendered and responses given. The selections by Miss Reed and Miss McKay added materially to the success of the concert.

Miss Reed, the elocutionist, immediately captivated her audience. Her selections were of a nature calculated to please and they certainly did. Her first selection was "The Night Wind" and her imitation of the howling winds were most natural, and in her selections in the humorous vein she was equally as pleasing.

Miss McKay was well received, her first selections being perhaps a little too classical for her audience and did not display her voice to advantage. Her last selection however, was one that fitted her voice to perfection, a fact that the audience were not slow to discover, and although at its conclusion she received an enthusiastic encore she did not respond other than to acknowledge the same.

Taking the concert as a whole the society is to be congratulated upon the creditable appearance made.

Wollaston Congregational S. S.

A synopsis of the annual report of Mr. Herbert W. Marshall, secretary and treasurer of the Wollaston Congregational Sunday school, follows:—

No. scholars in main school,	150
No. scholars in primary dept.,	54
No. teachers,	21
No. officers,	4
Total membership,	229
Total attendance,	6674
Average attendance,	131
Receipts of general fund,	$291.74
Expenditures,	128 87
Donations,	149 24

TODAY'S COURT.

Philip Bride was fined $5 for drunkenness at Quincy.

Henry Negan and George Soule were arraigned for assault on Antonio Provo at Milton. Soul was fined $15 and Negan $5. Both appealed.

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TO the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of THOMAS KILROY,

late of Brooklyn in the County of Kings and State of New York, deceased.

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said Court by James F. Burke of Quincy, with certain papers purporting to be copies of the last will and testament of said deceased, and of the probate thereof in said State of New York, duly authenticated, representing that at the time of his death, said deceased had estate in said County of Norfolk, on which said will may operate, and praying that the copy of said will may be filed and recorded in the Registry of Probate of said County of Norfolk, and letters of administration with the will annexed thereon granted to him.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Dedham, in said County of Norfolk, on the seventeenth day of February, A. D., 1897, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Quincy DAILY LEDGER, a newspaper published in Quincy, the first publication to be thirty days at least before said Court.

Witness, George White, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this thirteenth day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.

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An Admirer of Gov. Long.

To the Editor of the Daily Ledger:

Ex-Governor John Davis Long of Hingham to be in the cabinet; selected by President McKinley to represent Eastern Republicans, and he is pre-eminently the leading Republican in New England today. Citizens of Quincy always flocked to hear his splendid voice; true oratory and convincing argument.

It has been the privilege of the writer to hear many speakers on political platforms and three magnificent orations "live in memory." One by Hon. Stillman B. Allen in the old Quincy Town Hall in 1879, the first nomination of Mr. Long for Governor of Massachusetts. For two hours an audience which filled the old hall listened almost breathless. It was so earnest and quiet and brotherly, that they did not applaud until he finished and then the audience leaped to their feet and gave three times three cheers for Allen and Long, nearly lifting the old roof with true enthusiam, and for many years after whenever I met Mr. Allen he spoke of that splendid reception given him in old Quincy.

Second,—The honorable ex-Governor's oration in the rink at Quincy in 1884 Those splendid Blaine times. The Mugwump press and orators had attacked Long, Lodge and Hoar with all the vigor and malice they possessed. Senator Lodge had already replied, and I remember well the largest audience ever gathered in Quincy under one roof assembled to hear their favorites. Never before or since did the writer ever see the Governor in anything but the most placid and even manner but then and there his whole manner changed to clean cut, crisp telling sentences and empathic truths, unanswerable and solid as the granite hills, for true Republicanism. Pulling off the *Moral-Reform* mask of the *Cleveland idolaters* and showing conclusively their true *free trade principles.*

Third,—The grand speech of Hon. William McKinley in Tremont Temple to a vast and enthusiastic audience. His theme was *Protection* and for clear logic and sound reasoning stands as a gem in Republican literature. Let us hope that his health is fully restored.

J. P. BIGELOW.

Young Men's Christian Association.

Beginning the 17th Dr. E R. Johnson will give a series of talks on Physiology, on Monday evenings from 7 to 8 o'clock. This one will be followed by a course on "Recent Advances in Electrical Sciences," by Mr. Campbell of the High School, and a course on chemistry by Mr. D. A. Benson, chemist at Bradley's, North Weymouth.

Several requests have been made for the resuscitation of the business men's gymnasium class that it has been decided to hold regular sessions on Tuesdays and Fridays from 5 to 6 o'clock, beginning Jan. 26.h.

On Sunday afternoon Rev. Edward Norton will speak at the men's meeting. The addition of a small orchestra and an occasional solo by Mr. C. C. Bradford, is making these meetings very interesting.

A reunion of the members of Camp Durrell will be held at the Cambridge Association building Thursday evening Jan. 21.

The annual conference of the Junior departments of Massachusetts and Rhode Island will be held with the Quincy Association the latter part of March. This will probably bring two hundred boys together who will conduct their own business, present their papers on various topics, and discuss the same, most of the sessions will be held at Wollaston.

The Association orchestra continues to grow in numbers as well as efficiency under the inspiring leadership of Mr. L Edward Chase. The attendance never falls below twelve and Tuesday evening there were fifteen, including eight violins. They are preparing to give a concert early in the spring which promises to be the star entertainment of the year.

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— Boston may go back to annual elections of mayor. A bill is before the Legislature.

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Nominated For Postmaster.

Haverhill, Mass., Jan. 14.—John J Winn, whose name President Cleveland sent to the senate yesterday as postmaster of Haverhill, is quite prominent outside of political circles here. He was born in this city, was graduated from local schools, later Holy Cross college and Boston university law school. As a Democrat he served a term as city solicitor and as a member of the water board. In the recent election Mr. Winn was thought to have McKinley sympathies, and his nomination yesterday is credited to the efforts of Hon. John E. Russell. Politicians look for a contest over Mr. Winn's confirmation.

Vermont Sugar Producers.

Rutland, Vt., Jan. 14.—The Vermont Maple Sugar Makers' association met here yesterday for its fifth annual meeting. Frank Kenfield of Morrisonville presided, in the absence of Mayor Browne. The address of welcome was made by Chairman H. A. Sawyer of the board of aldermen, which was responded to in rhyme by A. J. Croft, secretary of the association. The question, "Should the State Law Relative to the Maple Product Be Abolished?" was discussed, and the sentiment of the meeting was in favor of the existing law. The association favors a higher grade of sugar and syrup, and a law to sustain such a standard. Improved methods for sugar making are also advocated. The display of maple products made in recognition of this meeting was large and artistic, excelling even that which was exhibited by the state at the World's fair. From the statistical reports it is shown that the state has produced 20,000,000 pounds of maple sugar in a year.

Telephones For Vermont Towns.

Montpelier, Vt., Jan. 14.—The People's Telephone company was organized here yesterday, and will begin the work of installing a telephone system in Addison, Washington, Chittenden, Lamoille, Orange, Franklin and Windsor counties. The officers chosen were as follows: Directors, Henry James, E. G. Hooker, C. D. Robinson of Waterbury; George H. Almon of Montpelier and N. N. Power of New York. Henry James was elected president; C. D. Robinson, vice president; E. G. Hooker, treasurer, and George H. Almon, secretary and general manager.

For Injuries Received 30 Years Ago.

Providence, Jan. 14.—A suit for damages, alleged to have been sustained 30 years ago by Mrs. Abner J. Thornton of Woonsocket in the factory of the Social Manufacturing company, of which Governor Lippitt is the head, is now before the courts. Mrs. Thornton lost a leg by an accident in the factory when she was 20 years old, but being a minor she was disbarred from bringing suit at the time. Suit was only instituted this year, the plaintiff claiming $20,000 damages. The company has offered a demurrer, based on the statute of limitations.

Threatened Damage to Wharves.

Nantucket, Mass., Jan. 14. — Recent heavy storms have made an opening in the narrow strip of land connecting Great Point and Coatue with the main island, which is called the "haulover," and now the open sea rushes through into the harbor. The opening at low tide is 150 feet wide and 7 feet deep, and the lifesaving service men have come to town by water. It is expected that the next northeast storm will create great havoc around the wharves, owing to the current which will set in.

Paper Box Makers.

Boston, Jan. 14.—The annual meeting of the New England Paper Box Manufacturers' association was held at Young's last night. At the business meeting the following named were elected officers: A. H. Sweet of Boston, president; E. M. Lowe of Brockton, first vice president; Charles Place of Cambridgeport, second vice president; Edward A. Hale of Newburyport, secretary; William Barbour of Boston, treasurer; Warren T. Morse of Boston, B. E. Grover of Lynn and H. P. Fletcher of Stoughton, executive committee.

Liked to Frighten Women.

Fall River, Mass., Jan. 14.—John White, alias Arthur Bell, was arrested yesterday on a charge of breaking and entering a number of houses in this city. It has been White's custom to enter houses and going up stairs into the rooms occupied by the ladies of the house and sitting beside their beds, wait there until they woke up, and then scare them. He never attempted robbery, but always ran out of the house, after he had thoroughly scared the inmates. This is the second time he has been arrested on this charge.

Chicago Bricklayers Return.

Worcester, Mass., Jan. 14.—The sessions of the annual convention of the Bricklayers and Masons' International union were marked yesterday by the reception of a body of delegates from Chicago, who came here to secure the readmission of the Chicago local union into the national body. The Chicago union left the international union several years ago, but is now anxious to return. The convention adopted resolutions expressing sympathy for Cuba.

Portland's New Charter.

Portland, Me., Jan. 14.—A public hearing was held by the city council last night for discussion of the proposed new city charter. Many prominent citizens and city fathers, present and past, took part in the proceedings. The arguments in the main were favorable to many of the features of the new draft, but some of the points were severely criticized. The city council will act on the matter next Tuesday.

Time and Wages Cut.

Woonsocket, R. I., Jan. 14.—The Woonsocket Machine and Press company has decided to reduce the running time of its factory here to 32 hours per week, beginning Monday next. The firm has also decided to make a reduction in wages of 10 per cent. This action is a surprise, as the plant has been running night and day for the past 16 months. Four hundred people are affected.

College Boys' Friendship.

Hanover, N. H., Jan. 14.—John O'Donnell of the Dartmouth Medical college, who was recently fined $1500 in the Norwich, Vt., county court for depredations in the burying ground of that town, during which a body was stolen, and who is now in jail in default of his fine, expects to be free very soon. His college friends have subscribed nearly the amount of the fine.

☞ Committees of the Legislature in placing advertisements of hearings should remember that the Quincy DAILY LEDGER is the only daily in Norfolk county, and that Quincy is a city.

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(Signed) F. C. PLATT.

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NOTICE TO PARENTS.

CITY OF QUINCY.

CITY CLERK'S OFFICE, Dec. 14, 1896.

THE Record of births in any city or town is always more or less unsatisfactory, owing to the fact that the canvasser finds difficulty in getting the necessary information. Names and dates are frequently given incorrectly. The importance of accuracy is shown in many cases where there is a question of descent, or inheritance of property, or collection of life insurance or pensions. The City Clerk's copy of the record is accepted as conclusive evidence in a court of law. While great pains are taken by this office to have the record correct, experience shows that it is necessary that parents themselves should lend their assistance. In fact the law requires that parents shall give notice to the City Clerk of the birth of their children, and provides a penalty for neglect to give such notice for the space of six months.

It often happens that only children or servants are at home when the canvasser makes his call, and the answers to his questions are open to doubt. I therefore request all parents in whose households a birth has occurred in the year 1896, to place upon a paper or card the required information, and keep it in a convenient place until the canvasser appears.

The canvass will be commenced on Jan. 1, 1897.

HARRISON A. KEITH, City Clerk.

Dec. 14 to Feb. 1. Dec. 19—7w

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Quincy and Neponset.

Leave CITY HALL for Neponset—6.00 A. M., 6.15, 6.30, 6.45, 7.00, and every 15, 30, 45 and 60 minutes past the hour until 7.00 P. M., then every half hour until 10.50 P. M. Cars leaving Quincy on the hour via. Norfolk Downs, except 6.00 P. M.

Leave NEPONSET—6.22 A. M., 6.37, 6.52, 7.07, 7.22, and every 7, 22, 37 and 52 minutes past the hour until 7.00 o'clock, then every half hour until 11 P. M.; last car for Quincy at 11.15 P. M. Cars leaving Neponset 22 minutes past the hour via. Norfolk Downs.

Quincy and East Weymouth.

Leave CITY HALL (10 minutes later from Quincy Point and 22 minutes later from North Weymouth)—5.45, 6.20, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, 11.20, 11.50 A. M.; 12.20, 12.50, 1.20, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20 4.50 5.20 (5.30 to East Weymouth car house), 5.50, 6.20, 6.30, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.50 P. M.

Leave EAST WEYMOUTH (20 minutes later from North Weymouth and 30 minutes later from Quincy Point)—6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11, 11.30 A. M.; 12, 12.30, 1, 1.30, 2, 2.30, 3, 3.30, 4, 4.30, 5, 5.30, 6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11.30 P. M.

Quincy and East Milton.

Leave CITY HALL, 5.55, 6.25, then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 7.55 P. M., then at 9.50 and 10.50 P. M.

Leave EAST MILTON, 6.30, 7.00 A. M., then on the hour and half hour until 9.30 P.M., then at 10.20 and 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and Holbrook.

Leave QUINCY for SOUTH BRAINTREE and HOLBROOK at 6.10 and 6.40 A. M., and every 10 minutes past and 20 minutes of the hour until 10.10 P. M. Last car leaves at 10.50 P. M. On Saturdays the last car leaves Quincy at 11.50 P. M.

Returning cars leave HOLBROOK for SOUTH BRAINTREE and QUINCY at 5.55 and 6.25 A. M., and every 25 minutes past and 5 minutes of the hour until 9.55 P.M. Last car leaves Holbrook at 11.30 P. M.

☞ On Sundays on the Weymouth route cars will leave Quincy on the hour and half hour and East Weymouth at quarter past and quarter of the hour.

☞ Special trips can be arranged on application to the Superintendent.

☞ At Quincy Centre close connection is made with Electric Cars on all the routes.

☞ At Neponset close connection is made with West End Street Cars to and from Boston.

☞ Cars are due at Beale street, Wollaston, ten minutes after leaving Neponset and seven minutes after leaving Quincy.

BENJ. J. WEEKS, Superintendent.

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r 11 12 abc		11 30	2 30 cba		2 49 r
r 12 12 abc		12 30	3 30 cba		3 49 r
r 1 12 abc		1 30	4 30 cba		4 49 r
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r 10 08 abcdef		10 30	10 30 fedcba		10 53 r
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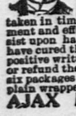
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MOON'S PHASES.

New Moon	3	1:03 a.m.	Full Moon	18	3:17 p.m.
First Quarter	10	4:46 p.m.	Third Quarter	25	3:08 p.m.

THE WEATHER INDICATIONS.

ALMANAC, THURSDAY, JAN. 14.
Sun rises—7:11; sets, 4:36.
Length of day—9h. 25m.
Moon sets—3:47 a. m.
Full sea—7:45 a. m., 8:15 p. m.

Forecast for New England: Partly cloudy, probably followed by light snow in southern portion this afternoon or tonight; not so cold in northern and western portions; winds shifting to easterly.

Coxey's Convention Adjourns.

St. Louis, Jan. 14.—After a two days' session, the conference called by "General" Jacob S. Coxey to launch a new party, adjourned last night. As a result of their deliberations, a long address, or declaration of principles by the middle-of the-road People's party was issued, and an organization committee selected, composed of J. S. Coxey, chairman; Carl Brown, secretary; John J. S. Streeter, treasurer, and J. B. Osborne, Paul Vandervoort, John S. Dore and J. J. Masterson. A motion was adopted instructing the committee to call on the unemployed of every city in the Union to hold a mass meeting on Washington's birthday and ask for work, and parade each week thereafter until work is obtained.

Congressman Sued For Divorce.

Washington, Jan. 14.—Representative David F. Wilbur of New York was sued yesterday in the equity branch of the district supreme court for alimony and the support of his child Edith, by Mrs. Myra C. Wilbur. She alleges that he abandoned her a year ago at Oneonta, and that the income of her property is now being collected by her husband. She demands the custody of the child. Mrs. Wilbur charges her husband with desertion and non-support, and alleges he is wealthy. Mr. Wilbur denies the charge, and says he cannot live with his wife because she has an ungovernable temper. He has amply provided for her support. Last year the father was appointed custodian of the child by the court.

Agricultural Society in Debt.

Meriden, Conn., Jan. 14.—The annual meeting of the Connecticut Agricultural society was held here yesterday, and the following officers were elected: President, G. A. Hopson, Wallingford; corresponding secretary, B. W. Collins, Meriden; recording secretary, R. S. Gold; secretary, E. A. Hall, Meriden. The reports of officers showed that last year's fair premiums and salaries are unpaid and the society is in debt to the amount of about $4800. The question of holding a state fair is left with the executive committee.

Congressman McMillan to Wed.

Washington, Jan. 14.—Cards are out announcing the marriage of Congressman Benton McMillin of Tennessee and Miss Lucille Foster, daughter of Captain James M. Foster of Shreveport, La. The ceremony will be solemnized at the First Presbyterian church of that city on Wednesday evening, Feb. 20.

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Monetary Conference Delegates Go For Congressman.

Resolutions Adopted Demand Gold Standard.

Permanent Commission to Act With Congressional Committees.

Indianapolis, Jan. 14.—Congressman Walker of the house banking committee ran afoul of the delegates to the monetary conference yesterday, and a hot debate resulted. The difficulty arose over the adoption of the report of the committee on resolutions. Immediately after the morning opening Congressman Fowler, Walker's associate on the house banking committee, made a report, which started the ball rolling. He said: "There are three ways of escaping national bankruptcy at some time if the present plan is to be continued:

1—We could assume full functions of banking, a step which is altogether out of the question.

2—We can tax the people when the emergency arises, which must prove, as it always has, a most expensive and burdensome policy, and one to which the people will not long submit.

3—The retirement of the demand obligations of the government, a policy that is clearly demanded by our own experiences and approved by that of all of the rest of the world. This is the only practical solution, and it is our only remedy.

Mr. Fowler said that the late campaign involved the personal integrity of every man living under the American flag. Whether he desired to do so or not, a different termination of that issue would have compelled him to defraud his creditors.

The afternoon session was called to order at 2:45. Word had been received by Chairman Patterson that the committee on resolutions would not be ready to report until 4:30, and a recess was taken after a short discussion.

The adjourned session was called to order at 4:25. M. E. Ingalls then read the resolutions that had been unanimously concurred in by the committee of resolutions.

The first part of the resolutions, urging the maintenance of the gold standard, was loudly applauded.

J. H. Walker, chairman of the house banking and currency committee, opposed the resolutions, declaring that no financial legislation could be had in congress, as the resolutions proposed. He said the action of the convention would tie the hands of the banking and currency committee and damn the cause.

Following are the resolutions as adopted by the conference:

This convention declares that it has become absolutely necessary that a consistent, straightforward and deliberately planned monetary system shall be inaugurated, the fundamental basis of which should be:

First, that the present gold standard should be maintained; second, that steps shall be taken to insure the ultimate retirement of all classes of United States notes by a gradual and steady process, and so as to avoid injurious contraction of the currency or disturbance of the business interests of the country, and until such retirement provision shall be made for a separation of the revenue and note issue departments of the treasury. Third, that a banking system be provided which should furnish credit facilities to every portion of the country and a safe and elastic circulation of the loanable capital of the country as will tend to equalize the rates of interest in all parts thereof. For the purpose of effectively promoting the above objects:

Resolved, That 15 members of this convention be appointed by the chairman to act as an executive committee while this convention is not in session, with full powers of this convention. The executive committee shall have the power to increase its membership to any number not exceeding 45, and five members thereof shall at all times constitute a quorum of said committee.

The executive committee shall have special charge of the solicitation, receipt and disbursement of contributions voluntarily made for all purposes, shall have power to call this convention together again when and where it may seem best by said committee to do so, and said committee shall continue in office with power to fill vacancies until discharged at a future meeting of this convention.

Resolved, That it shall be the duty of this executive committee to endeavor to procure, at the special session of congress which it is understood will be called in March next, legislation calling for the appointment of a monetary commission by the president to consider the entire question and to report to congress at the earliest day possible.

Or failing to secure the above legislation they are hereby authorized and empowered to select a commission of 11 members according to the rules and plans set forth in the suggestions submitted to the convention by Mr. Hanna of Indianapolis, as follows:

Article I—The commission shall consist of 11 members to be named by the executive committee appointed by this convention. The executive committee shall have power to fill vacancies in the commission as they may occur.

Article II—The first meeting of the commission shall be held at a time and place to be designated by the executive committee of this convention in a call to be issued therefor; and at such meeting the committee shall organize by the election of such officers and the adoption of such rules and by-laws for its own government as may be agreed by a majority of its members, and thereafter it shall be governed by such rules and by-laws subject to these articles.

Article III—All rules and by-laws of the commission and all its proceedings shall be directed toward the accomplishments of the subjects of its creation, which is to make a thorough investigation of the monetary affairs and needs of this country, in all relations and aspects, and to make appropriate suggestions as to any evils found to exist and the remedies therefore; and no limit is placed upon the scope of such inquiry or the manner of conducting the same excepting only that the expenses thereof shall not exceed the sum set apart for such purpose by the executive committee.

Article IV—The executive committee of this convention shall use so much of the voluntarily contributions made to it as may be available for that purpose to defray all necessary expenses of the commission, and shall notify the commission from time to time of the amount so available in order that it may regulate its expenditures accordingly, and no liability shall attach to said committee or to this convention beyond the amount so notified.

Article V—When the labors of this committee have been completed as far as practicable the executive committee, if it deems it advisable, shall issue a call to bring this convention together again at a time and place designated in such call, and at the meeting so convened the commission shall make report of its doings and suggestions in such manner and form as it shall deem best adapted to present the same to this convention and its members for action, and if legislation is deemed impossible shall accompany such report with a draft of such bill or bills providing for such legislation.

Resolved, That all messages and communications as to methods as to currency reform which have been presented to this convention be read to this commission when formed.

After the reading of the resolutions J. H. Walker of Massachusetts, chairman of the committee on banking and currency, was recognized, and hurled a bombshell into the convention. He said:

"The congress of the United States, through the last congress, deferred action upon any reform of the financial and banking system of this country to the present congress, the presidential election being so near that the whole question was put over to the present congress. At the first session of this congress, for the same reason, it was delayed until the present session of congress. The committee on banking and currency of the house and finance of the senate have taken no special action, but up to the present moment it had been determined that before this congress closes there should be some definite scheme formulated to be presented to the proposed extra session of the Fifty-fifth congress.

"And but for this convention some scheme would have been provided. This convention was called. What have you done? The extra session meets—you cannot inaugurate your commission before the close of the present congress, you cannot determine whether you will appoint this commission by this body until that scheme is tried, and then it goes over to the regular session of congress, and when the next congress is elected, if legislation has not before been had, you will not get it. You will not, in my judgment, get it for 10 years. I don't believe there is a member of congress here or in Washington who believes by the machinery you have devised here anything can be accomplished until the Fifty-sixth congress. I ask the people—if you wish to face the people again—if the financial condition has been revealed to them."

In closing, Mr. Walker said: "Now I did propose that you say something about the methods of securing legislation if there had been the slightest hope or encouragement from this convention, but I want to say to you that you have damned the whole reform, damned it here today in the weakness of human nature, and there is no salvation."

F. L. Roots of Connersville, Ind., jumped up at once to reply to Mr. Walker. He said:

"I take it that he has misunderstood the motive of the men who have been active in the calling of this convention. Rather let it be the beginning of a grand future in politics that we are so interested that we will spend our money—we from the east, west, north and south act as citizens because the republic is in our hands and not in the hands of congresses or senates. We came here for a purpose. We came here to express our sentiments, and dangerous is the position of that man in congress who charges us with being lobbyists for immoral or any other purpose."

Mr. Roots also introduced resolutions, upon which no action was taken. By this time the delegates were aroused and interested and began to prepare for the squall that was to come. Congressman Fowler offered an amendment to the committee's report, which provided that the permanent executive committee of this body shall consist of one member from each state represented, and that said committee shall confer and cooperate with the banking and currency committee of the house and the finance committee of the senate to secure the inevitable passage of a bill carrying out the principles adopted.

Mr. Fowler spoke to his amendment, after paying his respects to Mr. Roots in a sarcastic tone.

Mr. Bullitt of Pennsylvania spoke against Mr. Fowler's amendment, urging that it would not be feasible to appoint a commission composed of one man from every state in the Union. He said: "On that committee you want men of the same caliber of the men who brought this convention together—men who are not to be deterred from doing their duty, even by being told by the chairman of the committee on currency that our movement is damned. No man should rest from going forward in a movement he believes to be right because some man in a moment of disappointment tells you that you are damned.

"You have a right to call upon congress. You have a right to say to them that they must do what will conduce to the true interests of the country and what will preserve to you and to other citizens the rights that they enjoy. They have that right, and so far from disbelieving that this movement is to fail in the future, or it is to be cut down, that members of congress, gentlemen, will notice it. Let us move forward confident that we are right, determined to assert our rights and determined to hold them responsible if they do not come up to what is rightfully expected of them."

A running debate followed, in which E. C. Kamp of Knoxville, Mr. Rhodes of New York and Mr. Walker took part.

M. F. Ingalls of Cincinnati, in remarks that evidently voiced the sentiments of every man on the convention floor, except Congressmen Walker and Fowler, said: "If our friend Walker wishes to give a lecture on the best way to help congress I will hire a hall and give him an evening."

Mr. Fowler here withdrew his amendment. A tremendous burst of applause greeted Mr. Fowler's action.

The vote was called for and the report of the committee was adopted as a whole by a large vote.

At this point Mr. Fowler again interrupted the convention to say that there would be no men in the United States who would more readily listen to suggestions emanating from the convention than Mr. Walker and himself. A vote of thanks to the people of Indianapolis and to all concerned was carried unanimously. At 6:20 o'clock the delegates moved from the hall and the convention was over.

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THE MACHETE.

The Terrible Weapon Used by the Insurgents In Cuba.

The impression prevails that the weapon with which the Cuban insurgents are fighting the Spaniards is the identical implement with which, in time of peace, they hack down sugar canes and prune trees. While there may be a few insurgents armed with these primitive weapons, as a matter of fact the machete used by the Cuban army is a regular weapon of war, manufactured especially for fighting purposes. For use when at peaceful employment the Cuban farmer has a short, heavy machete with a broad, curved blade. It is a terrible weapon at close quarters and is more like an ax in its cutting powers, but it would be of little use against bayonet or sword, as these weapons could stretch an enemy lifeless long before the short machete could be brought into service.

The machete, in the hands of the insurgent Cubans, is a knife about two feet long, with a blade very slightly curved at the end and unprovided with a hand guard. It is a deadly weapon for close fighting, but has the disadvantage of being only a cutting knife. It cannot be used to advantage for thrusting. In fact, the Cubans know so little about thrusting when in a sword conflict that many of them break off the point of the weapon, which they regard as quite useless, and use the machete as a short sword for slashing purposes only.

The insurgents have just arrived at the conclusion that the machete at present in use is not an ideal weapon. The absence of a hand guard leaves the wielder of a machete open to lose his sword hand at the first crossing of weapons, and the insurgents, with muscles long trained to the cutting sweep of a heavy implement, find the heavy machetes at present in use too light for their purpose.

The result is that orders have been placed with German and English firms for the manufacture and shipment to Cuba of a weapon that the insurgents have decided is the ideal one for their use. It is a machete with a short hand guard and a blade 28 inches long and 2½ inches across in the widest part. It will make a weapon that, in the hands of men who have been used from boyhood to wielding a heavy cutting implement, will prove a deadly one at close quarters.—New York Herald.

A VALUABLE DOCUMENT.

New York Loyal Legion Presented With a Historical Treasure.

The New York commandery of the Loyal Legion has received a document of much historical value. It was given to the commandery by Mrs. Ely S. Parker, the widow of General Grant's military secretary, who was with him at the Appomattox surrender.

The document is the first manifold copy of the terms of General Lee's surrender, April 9, 1865. It is in the handwriting of General Grant and is the only one of three manifold copies he made that is known to be in existence. The copy is in two sheets, protected by glass, in a folding frame, and over the heads of the sheets in Grant's hand is a note signed by him saying:

"The document below is one of the original impressions from manifold on which I wrote the terms of surrender of General Lee's army at Appomattox Courthouse, April 9, 1865. It is one of the three impressions taken by the manifold."

This note is dated New York city, Oct. 21, 1880. The document remained in General Parker's possession until he died. In General Grant's memoirs is a photograph of the terms of Lee's surrender. This was made from the copy now in the hands of the Loyal Legion.

FORGING AHEAD.

Germany Rapidly Building an Immense Foreign Trade.

Not so much to praise as to warn is the explanation given by United States Consul Monaghan, at Chemnitz, for the frequent reports that are sent into the state department to illustrate Germany's magnificent growth as an industrial state. And then he gives some surprising comparative figures to show that already Germany stands second only to England and much exceeds the United States in the value of her exports and imports.

For 1895 these aggregated for England $3,125,820,600; for Germany, $1,926,729,000; for the United States, $1,524,770,000. Germany has also gone ahead of France in ocean tonnage, and Hamburg, her great seaport, is surpassed only by London, and she has the largest single steamship company in the world.

All this is the work of little more than 20 years, and it grew out of almost nothing. Now the Germans demand a powerful navy to protect this magnificent merchant marine and prevent its destruction, as happened to Spain and Holland.

A Farmers' Syndicate.

Some time ago the Kenton (O.) Milling company failed, and in consequence one of its large buildings has been unused. It is now proposed that the farmers of the county buy this large brick mill and do business for themselves. Each farmer is to be assessed at the rate of 10 cents per acre of land owned. A gigantic stock company is to be formed, of which every farmer in the county will be a member. They will elect officers to look after the business, attend to the storing, milling and shipping of the grain, etc.

His Fortune Left to Science.

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TELEGRAPHIC.

3 O'CLOCK.

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VICTORY FOR CUBANS.

Gomez Drives Spanish From Santa Clara After Hard Fight.

Bandera, Cuban Leader, Killed During Battle.

Insurgents Now Marching on to Havana With 18,000 Men.

New York, Jan. 15.—The Press this morning has the following: News which, if correct, is more important than any since the death of Maceo, was received in Cuban circles last night. It was that the town of Santa Clara, sometimes called Villa Clara, had fallen to the insurgent arms, but that in the charge, which resulted in victory, the intrepid cavalry leader, Quentin Bandera, was slain. Gomez, it was said, is now pushing on toward Havana with an army of 18,000 men.

This news was not given out at the Cuban junta. It came from private sources. It is not yet confirmed from official sources, but that is not strange, considering that the death of Bandera is a blow to the Cubans which almost offsets the capture of Santa Clara.

It will be remembered that little news came from Maximo Gomez during December. It was known that he had plans for pushing into the west, but no word came from him.

The news received last night was to the effect that he was not heard from because he did not know just what to do after he got half way between Puerto Principe and Santa Clara. While he hesitated word came to him of the death of Maceo. Immediately afterward came the news from Washington that the greatest barrier in the way of recognition of the insurgents by this government was the constantly reiterated statement that the insurgents did not hold a single important town.

It looked to Gomez like a crisis in the affairs of his beloved island. If he could capture a city he felt that the local effect would be tremendous. He decided to take the risk. He learned that Santa Clara's garrison had been weakened. Troops had been sent out as escorts and to strengthen the garrison of the coast towns. That fact and the fact that it was nearer Havana led him to choose Santa Clara.

The commander of the garrison at Santa Clara was the governor general of the province, Major General Luque. On Jan. 5, Gomez decided to invest the town, which was well fortified, and had a population of 30,000 inhabitants.

The infantry under General Rabi was sent to the west of the city. The cavalry, of which there were 4000 well equipped men, under General Bandera, were sent to the other three sides, its main strength being concentrated immediately to the east. Rabi, with his infantry, was to attack the town from the west at daybreak. Bandera, the dashing negro cavalryman, was to wait until the attention of the garrison was concentrated on the attack from the west, and then hurl his 4000 men on the works in front of him. The attack was made on Jan. 9. General Rabi's men opened fire, keeping under cover as much as possible, and creeping closer and closer to the city. When he felt that the proper moment had come, Bandera, crying, "Avenge the death of Maceo," started forward with his command.

There was the clatter of horses' hoofs deepening into a roar. On they went, with two long rows of horsemen, each striving to be first to the outworks. Spanish rifles began to crack here and there along the line of fortifications. The shots came faster and faster, until a line of flame appeared in front of each works. Now the cannon belched, and up in the citadel the gatling gun hurled its leaden rain.

In the face of the awful fire not a Cuban faltered. Bandera kept in the lead. His horse leaped over the nearest earthworks. He slashed at the fleeing garrison with his machete. His men were close behind him. Horses fell all about him, wounded and killed, throwing their riders headlong.

Suddenly Bandera's machete fell from his hand. He leaned forward on the sorrel. He swayed for a moment and then toppled over.

Twenty minutes after Bandera had fallen a messenger came back with the news that Santa Clara had fallen and the enemy had been routed.

"And Luque?" asked Bandera.

"He escaped in a valenta drawn by six horses."

"Ah, well, let him go," replied the general. "I die content."

A shiver ran through Bandera's body and he was dead.

Most of the Spanish garrison and General Luque escaped to the south. Many fell at the hands of General Rabi's men. The sun was not far up when the victorious Cubans were in possession. Gomez took the quarters Luque had occupied, and received reports of the battle.

The news received said that the losses were: Spanish, estimated killed and wounded, 900; prisoners, 700; cannon captured, 18; battle standards, 4; rifles in the Spanish arsenal, 5000, with plenty of ammunition.

Cubans killed and wounded, 1500, which is 600 more than the Spanish loss.

So the occupation of Santa Clara cost the Cubans the death of the best negro general, next to Maceo, and 1500 of his brave followers.

Someillan Sentenced For Life.

Havana, Jan. 15.—Yesterday, before the reassembled tribunal, Magistrate Maya read the charges brought against Louis Someillan, a native of Cuba, but an American citizen, whose trial on the charge of rebellion against the government has just been ended. The charges were considered to be in all instances unfavorable to the prisoner, and Someillan was sentenced to imprisonment for life. Senor Mesa, counsel for the defense, will appeal to the supreme court at Madrid on the ground of the illegality of the proceedings.

No Reform For Cuba.

Madrid, Jan. 15.—A semi-official denial is published here that Spain and the United States have arrived at an agreement regarding the terms of settlement of the Cuban question. Senor Canovas Del Castillo says that at the present time there is no question of the introduction of reforms in Cuba.

Biddeford Without Hotel.

Biddeford, Me., Jan. 15.—This city will once again be without a hotel, as the proprietor of the only hotel at present here announces that he will close his house as soon as possible. He says he is being persecuted by the county officials, having twice in a year paid a fine of $150 for violating the liquor law. He maintains that a hotel will not pay without a bar, and that he cannot pay $500 or $600 in fines yearly to run one.

To Organize Firemen's Association.

Portland, Me., Jan. 15.—Some time next week representatives from nearly all of the principal Maine cities will assemble here and take steps toward organizing a Maine Active Firemen's association. Lewiston and Bangor have not yet signified their intention of sending delegates. The date for the meeting has not been fully decided upon.

Keene Station Agent Dead.

Keene, N. H., Jan. 15.—C. R. Caswell, Boston and Maine station agent here, died suddenly yesterday from heart failure. He was 61 years old. The funeral will occur in Lowell, Mass., Monday next.

Steamer Delaware's Adventure.

Jacksonville, Fla., Jan. 15.—The Clyde steamship Delaware, Captain Ingraham, which arrived in port yesterday from Boston, had quite an unexpected adventure just before daylight yesterday when off the bar, being mistaken for a filibuster by the dispatch boat Dolphin. About 2 o'clock a. m. David Kemps, one of the bar pilot, took out a small launch, bound for St. Augustine. After getting out he gave the owner of the launch, who was no navigator, his bearings. The pilot then lay by in his skiff waiting for the Delaware. The Dolphin's searchlight was being used almost constantly, and it discovered that the Delaware was lying rather close in shore. The light showed that the steamship was too near shore, and it immediately headed out. At the same time the launch had lost its position, the compass failing to work, and instead of proceeding south it headed east, apparently to meet the Delaware. This aroused the suspicion of the Dolphin's officers, and the vessel went in pursuit of the two crafts, soon overhauling them. An officer was put aboard each vessel, and they were escorted back to the bar. The officer aboard the Delaware reporting that vessel all right it was allowed to come up to the city, the officer still remaining aboard. The captain of the launch explained matters satisfactorily and was allowed to proceed.

Embezzler Surrenders.

Detroit, Jan. 15.—Eugene Berenson of Chicago, accompanied by his wife, entered police headquarters at noon yesterday and said: "I want to be arrested. I was formerly manager of the Akron and Canton Stone company at Chicago. In August, 1894, I absconded with a large sum of money." Mrs. Berenson at this point fell to the floor in a faint. Berenson was locked up and the Chicago police notified. Berenson said that since leaving Chicago they had roamed the country, haunted by constant fear of arrest. The matter preyed upon his wife's mind, especially as their funds had dwindled to almost nothing, and she finally induced him to surrender. It was learned that the amount of the embezzlement was $5000. Mrs. Berenson is said to be the daughter of a Boston millionaire. Her father cast her off upon her marriage.

Business Rivals Object.

Washington, Jan. 15.—The secretary of the treasury has directed the chief of bureau of engraving and printing not to use the portrait of Cyrus McCormick of Chicago on the new ten-dollar silver certificates as was contemplated. The proposition was opposed by persons interested in rival harvesters of those manufactured by the McCormick company.

Indicted For Forgery.

Cleveland, Jan. 15.—The grand jury has returned a true bill against Charles N. Cunningham, president of the Warwick Electric Manufacturing company, charged with forging the name of Judge E. T. Hamilton to a check for $75,000.

Why Not?

London, Jan. 15.—The Chronicle suggests that there should be a formal celebration for the signing of the Anglo-American general arbitration treaty.

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HIS BROTHER'S BLOOD.

Solomon Millington a Fratricide as a Result of Rum Drinking.

Tragic Ending of Sabbath Drinking Bout.

Slayer Claims He Fired In Self-Defense After He Had Been Struck.

Bennington, Vt., Jan. 15. — Another tragedy resulting from whisky drinking is added to the list in this state. During a quarrel one brother shot another, causing his death after many hours of terrible agony.

The fratricide occurred at Shaftesbury Hollow, a little village a few miles from here, and it was the outcome of Sunday dissipation. Solomon and John Millington got drunk and quarrelled over a trivial matter.

As John died without having told the whole story, only Solomon's version of the affair is known. He says that in the quarrel John, who was boarding with him, struck him twice in the face, and threatened to kill him. Later he took possession of the house, and when Solomon became involved in another quarrel the latter fired three shots, one penetrating John's breast over the heart.

The shooting, Solomon says, was in self defense. John had admitted striking Solomon before he died. Solomon is under arrest, but no inquiry has been opened yet. Both men were over 50 years of age, and, according to those who know them, inclined to be reckless.

The Shelburne Tragedy.

Shelburne Falls, Mass., Jan. 15.—There are a few new developments in the McCloud murder case. The wafers and cookies purchased by Mrs. McCloud Friday night have been found. They were lying beside the body when it was found by Mr. Crittenden, and with several other articles were carried home, but owing to the excitement had been forgotten. William O'Connell, Chick Heathcote and Tim Kennedy were examined by the detectives yesterday afternoon. It is claimed that Kennedy says he saw O'Neil at 5:40 on the night of the murder on the Buckland side of the river. It has been stated that O'Neil obtained the $10 bill from O'Connell, but the latter says he did not. John O'Neil, Sr., and his daughter, Nellie, went to the Greenfield jail yesterday afternoon, but were not allowed to see the prisoner. They were accompanied by Lawyer Fred F. Dawlin of North Adams, who has been retained as counsel for the accused man. Mr. Dawlin spent about two hours in consultation with the prisoner. It has been decided to hold the inquest at Shelburne Falls next Tuesday. It is stated that George D. Crittenden has received a letter from a conductor of a freight train on the Fitchburg road saying that last Saturday morning his train was boarded by a tramp, who kept mumbling to himself: "I didn't kill her," and whose actions were suspicious. The officers have the letter, but apparently take no stock in it.

A. P. A. and Public Schools.

Bath, Me., Jan. 15.—A public meeting, quite out of the ordinary, was held here last night, and it was under A. P. A. auspices. It was called because of a claim which had been made, and which had aroused much interest, that several boys attending the grammar school had burned their psalm books. The meeting was a lively and interesting one, and as an outcome the following was adopted: "Resolved, That while tolerant to the creeds, we consider the nonsectarian free public school the bulwark of American institutions, the best place for the education of American children. To keep such we protest against the influence by the priesthood with the reading of the scripture in our public schools. Resolved, That we protest against any laxity of our school board and demand that all laws in their code be strictly and impartially enforced." Rev. Father O'Brien, pastor of St. Mary's church, emphatically denies that his church influenced any scholars to burn any books.

Dartmouth Alumni.

Boston, Jan. 15.—The Dartmouth Alumni association of Boston and vicinity held its annual banquet last night at Hotel Vendome. Fully 300 graduates of New Hampshire's college, gathered about the long and round tables, where they ate, drank, sang and cheered for their alma mater. Charles W. Bartlett, one of the shining lights of the Boston bar, acted as toastmaster, and introduced sedate guests and rollicking graduates with a joviality which was infectious, and which made the dinner one of the most enjoyable for many years. At the business meeting the following officers were elected for the year: President, Dr. Arthur Little, '60; vice presidents, Edward Boynton, '45; Leverett M. Chase, '56; David H. Andrews, 69, and Isaac F. Paul, '78; executive committee, George W. Estabrook, '61; William B. Orcutt, '71; George W. Stetson, '86; William Odlin, Charles W. Bartlett, '69; John H. Colby, '85; treasurer, Dr. Berge Tenney, '88; secretary, D. B. Ruggles, '90.

Two Postmasters Indicted.

Boston, Jan. 15.—The grand jury of the United States district court for the January term reported 27 indictments, 14 of them being against persons charged with selling liquor without having paid the internal revenue tax. Among the indictments reported were those of W. H. Blair, alias Brown, alias Hinkle, and Thomas Donner, charged with maintaining an illicit still at South Boston. Miah Margolitz and David Colun were also indicted on a similar charge in the West End. Fred E. Holmes, the former postmaster of Canton, was indicted on a charge of embezzling $292.60 from the money order fund and $808.93 from the postal fund. Frank R. Moore, who had been postmaster of Medfield, was indicted on the charge of embezzling $217 from the money order fund and $217 from the postal fund

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CITY CLERK'S OFFICE, Dec. 14, 1896.

THE Record of births in any city or town is always more or less unsatisfactory, owing to the fact that the canvasser finds difficulty in getting the necessary information. Names and dates are frequently given incorrectly. The importance of accuracy is shown in many cases where there is a question of descent, or inheritance of property, or collection of life insurance or pensions. The City Clerk's copy of the record is accepted as conclusive evidence in a court of law. While great pains are taken by this office to have the record correct, experience shows that it is necessary that parents themselves should lend their assistance. In fact the law requires that parents shall give notice to the City Clerk of the birth of their children, and provides a penalty for neglect to give such notice for the space of six months.

It often happens that only children or servants are at home when the canvasser makes his call, and the answers to his questions are open to doubt. I therefore request all parents in whose households a birth has occurred in the year 1896, to place upon a paper or card the required information, and keep it in a convenient place until the canvasser appears.

The canvass will be commenced on Jan. 1, 1897.

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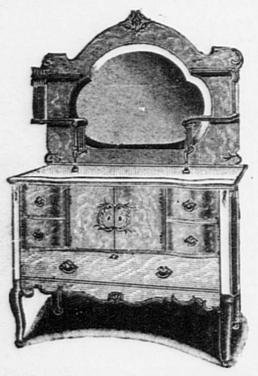
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Two Weeks' Temperature.

	This Week.	Last Week
Sunday	43	39
Monday	42	54
Tuesday	31	59
Wednesday	20	41
Thursday	30	34
Friday	33	29
Saturday	—	28

King's Daughters.

The Unity Circle of King's Daughters held its annual business meeting and supper Thursday evening at the Bethany chapel. Social time from 6 to 6.30, after which all were invited to supper. The pastor and his wife were there to enjoy the good things. From 7.45 to 9 devotional exercises, singing, reading of the annual reports from the secretary and treasury, after which the election of officers for the ensuing year took place:

President,—Miss Addie L. Tupper.
Vice President,—Miss Charlotte Sargent.
Secretary,—Miss Addie Perry.
Treasurer,—Miss Leila Miller.

The Sailors' Home.

The usual service was held at the National Sailors' Home, Wollaston, Sunday afternoon, under the charge of Rev. Mr. Butler, of Quincy, who gave a short address, which was both interesting and instructive. The music under the charge of Mr. T. B. Emery was excellent, consisting of a short prayer service, also a solo by Mrs. E. A. Crossman of California, and a duet by Miss Sadie Emery, of Wollaston and Mrs. Crossman, both of which were finely rendered and much enjoyed by those present.

W. C. T. Union.

At annual meeting of Quincy W. C. T. Union held January 7, the officers elected were as follows:

President,—Mrs. A. A. Harlow.
Vice Presidents,—Mrs. Henry Barker, and Mrs. Charles L. Pierce.
Secretary,—Mrs. Charles A. Spear.
Treasurer,—Miss L. A. Pierce.
Committee on Literature,—Mrs. Henry Barker and Mrs. Charles A. Spear.

Meetings to be held first Thursday in each month.

Change in Trains.

Changes in Sunday trains will go into effect Sunday. The train from Quincy to Boston which has left at 1.12 will leave five minutes earlier, and the train from Boston will leave at 12 35 instead of 12 30.

The Sunday noon train from West Quincy to Boston will leave at 1.11 instead of 1.16, and the train from Boston will leave at 12 23 instead of 12 18.

Vesper Music.

The usual 4 o'clock vespers will be held at the Unitarian church on Sunday. The choir will be assisted by Mrs. H. M. Faxon. The following anthems will be sung:

"Hark, Hark my Soul," Shelley
"Jerusalem the Golden," Le Geune
"Sweet is ThyMercy," Barnby
"Sanctus from Mass. of St. Cecilia," Gounod
"Thou Art from First to Last," "Noel," Saint Saens
Solo, "He that Keepeth Israel," Schloesser

The Predictions.

In New England the temperature will probably rise slowly Saturday and Sunday; the weather now promises fair both days, with partly cloudy skies and variable winds shifting to south and southwest.

—The Selectmen of Milton have petitioned the Legislature that the Neponset Valley Metropolitan sewer be extended to the town of Milton.

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POPE—MANSFIELD—In Quincy, Jan. 14, by Rev. E. C. Butler, Mr. Jasper P. Pope of Beverly to Miss Martha Mansfield of Lynnfield.

RICHARDSON—BESSE—In Quincy, Jan. 14, by Rev. E. C. Butler, Mr. LeRoy A. Richardson to Miss Annie M. Besse both, of Boston.

DIED.

CORCORAN—In Quincy, Jan. 12, Mrs. Mary A., wife of Mr. Timothy Corcoran, aged 49 years.

REEVES—In Milton, Mr. Charles W. Reeves, aged 44 years, 5 months and 10 days.

MORE BURGLARIES.

A Freight Car and Livery Stable Robbed Last Night.

It was reported this morning that burglars or sneak thieves were about Quincy again Thursday night but just how much booty they secured is not known at present.

The places entered were the livery stable of Joseph T. French, and a freight car of the N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R., at the Quincy depot, which contained a quantity of miscellaneous freight. Entrance to the freight car was had by breaking the seal of the car. Once inside the parties smashed open a number of packages among which were two cases of shoes consigned to the Quincy Shoe Co. They took a number of pairs of shoes but just how many can not be learned until the goods are checked off, and when the owners of other packages check off their goods they may also find some missing.

At French's stable the parties were evidently acquainted with the premises, for the indications are that they entered the stable sometime during the evening and hid themselves in the hay loft, and after the night man had retired they came down stairs, which they could easily do without disturbing the night man, who sleeps over the office.

In the carriage house was a team of the New York Biscuit Co. and from this the parties took an ulster and pair of gloves and some crackers. They then went into the office and took a bundle of under clothing and made their exit by the big door, which was found unlocked this morning.

The police are inclined to think that the breaks were made sometime between 2 and 4 o'clock this morning and that the parties do not live more than a thousand miles from Quincy.

Overdriving.

Thursday afternoon the police were notified that two men in a buggy were cruelly overdriving a horse toward Quincy. Officers Barry and George McKay went out and stopped the team which contained David R. Cole and Stephen Tenney. The officers found the horse wringing wet with prespiration and the water running off the animal in streams. The officers also found Cole more or less intoxicated and they locked the two men up and put the horse in French's stable.

It was not shown in court that the men beat and ill-treated the horse. But according to the testimony the animal was young and fiery, and had not been harnessed for several weeks and it was difficult for them to manage him.

Pettengill—Walton.

Mr. Charles F. Pettengill, one of Quincy's well-known business men, was united in marriage Thursday evening to Mrs. Lizzie Walton of Boston. The ceremony which was confined to the immediate families took place at the residence of the bride's brother, Mr. J. Frank Dunbar, of Ruskins street, Roxbury.

Miss Grace Pettengill, a daughter of the groom was bridesmaid and Mr. J. Frank Dunbar, the brother of the bride, was best man.

A reception followed the ceremony after which Mr. and Mrs. Pettengill left for a trip through the South. They will reside on Canal street in this city.

Flag Lunch.

Class of '97, High school, gave a lunch today at recess. The counter was tastefully decorated in white and looked very tempting with dainties and good things. Miss Louise Cook and Miss Emma Curtin tended and soon disposed of all articles for sale. The proceeds are to go for a flag.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease, and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven catarrh to be a constitutional disease, and, therefore, requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses from 10 drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials. Address,

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—Postmaster Holmes of Canton and Postmaster Moore of Medfield were both indicted this week for embezzlement of postal funds, the former to the amount of $1000 and the latter $400.

Sales Talk

With Hood's Sarsaparilla, "Sales Talk," and show that this medicine has enjoyed public confidence and patronage to a greater extent than accorded any other proprietary medicine. This is simply because it possesses greater merit and produces greater cures than any other. It is not what we say, but what Hood's Sarsaparilla does, that tells the story. All advertisements of Hood's Sarsaparilla, like Hood's Sarsaparilla itself, are honest. We have never deceived the public, and this with its superlative medicinal merit, is why the people have abiding confidence in it, and buy

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THE DAILY DIVIDEND

Readers of the Ledger Get Return on Investment.

Stock of News in "City of Presidents" Above Par.

Direct Wires from Wollaston, Atlantic South and West Quincy and Point.

N. E. O. P. installation this evening.

A small tenement is advertised to let.

Harry W. Reed is away on a business trip.

Abel Nutting has been granted a pension.

Mrs. F. J. Stewart of Appleton street is quite ill.

John Hunt has moved from Norfolk Downs to Appleton street.

Arthur Priest has returned from a business trip through the west.

Frank Johnson has moved from Billings street to Old Colony street.

J. H. Cunningham has added a new Brigg's table to his pool rooms.

A travelling minstrel troup is to appear in the near future at Music hall.

Miss Amy Alden of Clive street has returned from a visit to New York.

Frank C. Packard has recovered from the grip and is able to be about once more.

Daniel W. Osborne formerly with Timberlake & Small is now located at Whitman.

The "Recognition Party" at the Memorial church, Wednesday evening, was a success.

It is announced that a number of changes will be made on the Old Colony system, taking effect Sunday.

Mr. Candlin made a good jump today in the school teachers' contest, and is only 2000 behind the leader.

Fred Moxon and John P. Wilder are to play an exhibition game of billiards at Cunningham's rooms, Saturday.

Prayer meeting tonight at Calvary Baptist church, Franklin street. Choir meets at the close of the service.

Miss Alice Orne of Freeport, Maine, a former resident of this city, is spending a few days with Miss Alice Litchfield.

At a meeting of the directors of the Granite National bank Thursday Theophilus King was re-elected as president.

It is said that one of Atlantic's popular grocery clerks is to shortly take one of the principal parts in a marriage ceremony.

The High school alumni are favored with pleasant weather for the reunion tonight. After two stormy years it will be appreciated.

Vaccinations are going unusually hard with children. About 500 have been operated upon in this city recently, and many have had to take to their beds.

Howard W. Battison, the president of the association of the alumni of the Quincy High School, visited the school one day this week and addressed the pupils.

The case of John Shea of Dorchester vs. J. L. Miller of Quincy is on trial at Dedham. It is an action of contract to recover $145 for work performed and material.

At a meeting of Philiedian Senate, K. A. E. O., held Thursday evening a committee was appointed to arrange for a ladies' night to be held early in February.

The Prospects won easily from the Roxburys in the City bowling league Thursday evening, 2329 to 1998. None of the Roxburys rolled over 157 on a string, their average being but 133.

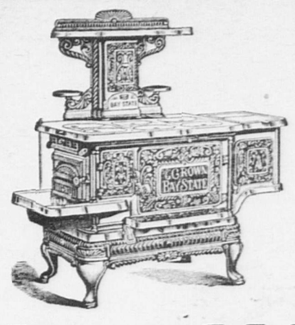
Representative Thompson had occasion in the House Thursday to defend the report of his committee, recommending $15,000 for the civil service commission. The attack failed and the bill was ordered to a third reading.

There will be a Recognition party at the residence of Mrs. George Sprague, corner of Washington and River streets, on Monday evening. The proceeds are to assist the Universalist choir in buying music, etc. All friends of the choir are invited.

Mr. Moody will speak on "How to deal with inquirers" at the morning meetings next week. Secretary Colton of the Y. M. C. A. has secured a limited number of tickets for each day, morning and afternoon. He will be glad to secure tickets for Sunday School classes or parties desiring to attend.

There was a very pretty party that attended the dance at East Milton Wednesday evening. Those from Quincy were: Mr. and Mrs. Walter Packard, Miss Alice Litchfield and Miss Alice Orne, Mr. Henry Edwards and Miss Hattie Pierce, and Mr. D. E. Wadsworth. There was a special car from Quincy to take the Quincy people, home.

The thirteenth anniversary of the St. John's C. L. and A. A. was celebrated at the hall on School street Thursday evening by a concert, card party and dance. The concert was by Miss Gusie Dell, Miss Maud Welsh, Miss Tate, Miss Mary Doran and Mr. John Phelan. President Shay welcomed the audience, and he was followed by Rev. F. A. Cunningham in a short address. A collation was served before the dance.



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Blue Label Peas, 12 1-2c. can, 1.30 doz.
Peerless Peaches, 20c. can, 2.20 doz.
Clover Leaf Salmon, 20c. can, 2.20 doz.

5 Gallons Best Oil
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Handkerchiefs.

We have secured great bargains for the Christmas shoppers. Silk Initial Hdkfs, **15, 25 and 50 cts.** Extra fine Letter Linen Hdkfs, **10, 15, 25 cts.**

Mufflers,

Cardigan Jackets, Sweaters, all specially selected for the Christmas trade.

Men's Fancy Shirts,

White Shirts, Collars and Cuffs, make a most acceptable present. We sell only the best grades.

Children's Suits,

$2.00 to $5.00. Knee Pants, 25c. to $1.00.

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English twilled, close roll case and tassel, silver trimmed, $1.00, $1.25, $2.00.

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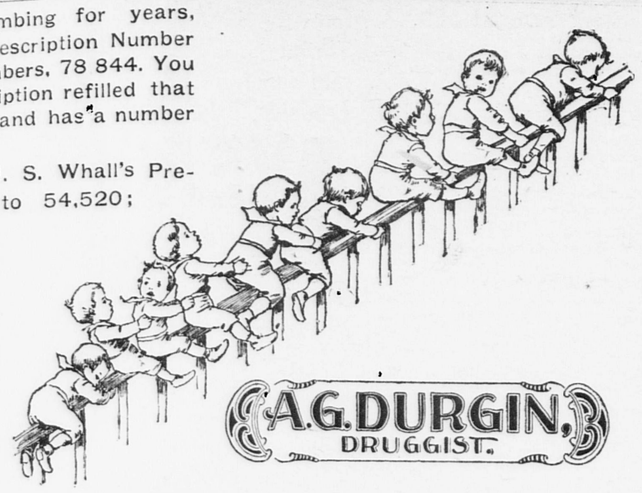
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Adjoining President Hill Property. Very near to public and private Schools. Terms very reasonable.

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Known as Cranch Hill, are many good lots at low prices. None better for the price ever offered in Quincy.

NEAR MERRY MOUNT PARK,

On Hancock street, very desirable lots. Street Cars pass between the two cities every few minutes.

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On Willard street, comprises about 80 lots. Borders on Blue Hill Reservation, is handy to manufacturing plants, schools, electric and steam cars, etc.

Hillside Terrace. Close to all works on line of Quarry Railroad. Short distance to West Quincy depot and schools. Good lots, small amount down and small monthly payments.

Also a few lots off Bates avenue; and Sea Shore lots at Houghs Neck.

IMPROVED PROPERTY.

Estate on Greenleaf St. Large modern house in thorough repair, and good lot of land. Owner wishes to leave city. A rare bargain. Call and obtain particulars.

House and Lot on Fort St. for sale cheap.

Fine Corner Lot with large dwelling house on Garfield street. Close to electric cars and granite works. Very easy terms.

Large Double House, and also single house, for sale on Brackett St.

Three-tenement House and land on Trafford street. Liberal inducements.

Two Single Houses corner Wilson and Station streets.

Estate on Mt. Pleasant. Price reasonable.

Two Single Houses on Quarry St. Very desirable properties for working man. Prices low.

Lots for Sale in all parts of the city.

Houses Rented. Mortgages Placed.

Will be on land at President's Hill from 2 to 4 P. M., in pleasant weather.

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Mr. Durgin or Mr. Merrill will be found upon the premises to show any one through the building who may call.

Quincy, Jan. 1.

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The Quincy System.

The special act secured by the city of Quincy in 1895 allows all the latitude wanted in levying the cost of a sewer system. The city must pay one-third to one-half as determined by the City Council, and the remainder can be assessed by any plan or combination of plans that may be agreed upon; either frontage, area, valuation or rental. It is a great problem which will require much study to do justice to all, and at the same time cause no hardship.

The section of the Quincy act relative to assessment of cost reads:

SECTION 8. The City Council of said City of Quincy may by vote determine what proportion of the cost of said system or systems of sewers said city of Quincy shall pay; provided, that it shall not pay less than one-third nor more than one-half of the whole cost. The remaining cost of said system or systems shall be borne by the owners of estates situated within the territory embraced by it and benefited thereby, but no estate shall be deemed to be benefited unless or until a sewer is constructed into which it can be drained. Assessments or charges for defraying said remaining cost shall be made on the owners of such estates by said commissioners in such manner as the city council of said city of Quincy may by vote determine, in a ccordance with the provisions of chapter fifty of the Public Statutes and acts in amendment there of and in addition thereto; and every su ch owner shall within three months after written notice of such assessment or charge, served on him or on the occupant of his estate, or sent by mail to the last address of said owner known to said commissioners, pay the sum so assessed or charged, to the city treasurer; provided, that said board shall, on the written request of any such owner made within said three months, apportion such assessment or charge into such number of equal parts or instalments, not exceeding ten, as said owners shall state in such request, and they shall certify such apportionment to the assessors; interest from the date of said apportionment at the rate of five per cent. per annum shall be added to each of said assessments or charges until they are paid, and one of said parts shall be added by the assessors to the annual tax on such estates for each year next ensuing until all said parts have been so added, unless sooner paid, as hereinafter provided; and provided, further, that nothing herein contained shall be construed to prevent the payment at any time in one payment, notwithstanding its prior apportionment, of any balance of said assessments or charges then remaining unpaid, but interest on such balance at the rate of five per cent. per annum shall be paid to the date of such payment; and thereupon the city treasurer shall receive the same and shall certify such payment or payments to the assessors, who shall preserve a record thereof. In cases of corner lots and lots abutting on more than one sewered street the same area shall not be assessed more than once.

MILTON.

Politics in Milton are beginning to warm up a little and unless all signs fail there will be a hot time over the election of selectmen.

The warrant committee meet Friday night to consider the annual appropriations.

HOOD'S PILLS cure Liver Ills, Biliousness, Indigestion, Headache. A pleasant laxative. All Druggists.

☞ Owing to the dull times, the prices for board for the winter months have been reduced at the Quincy Hotel to $3.50 for gentlemen, and $3 for ladies. Full course dinner 25 cents.

—W. H. Felker, aged 69, of Avon, died of heart failure on Thursday.

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THE IMPEACHMENT.

A State House Correspondent Throws Cold Water.

A State House correspondent of the Boston Advertiser attempts to dispose the Brookline petition, which has the endorsement of other Norfolk county towns, rather summarily. He says:

"If the proposed impeachment of County Commissioner Morrell fails to come to a head, it will not be surprising, when one stops to consider the amount of time the proceedings will take, necessitating as they would the entire suspension of all other business by the legislature. Of course, if the Brookline selectmen, who have brought the petition, make out a good case, the mere fact that to try it would consume probably three or four weeks at least, and thus inevitably prolong the session, would be no good excuse for either branch to shirk its duties in the matter. Nevertheless, I have already discovered that this consideration is having weight in influential quarters, particularly in the senate, where the idea of transforming itself into a high court of impeachment, interesting as such a proceeding would be, is not being received with enthusiasm.

"A senator, indeed, who was connected with the investigation of Norfolk county affairs last year and who cannot be suspected of any inclination to shield Commissioner Morrell on the merits of the case, said to me yesterday that he was inclined to draw the line on impeachment, believing that inasmuch as the commissioner's term expires this year, giving the people of the county a chance to get rid of him in a short time, the game was not worth the candle, especially when the candle would have to be kept burning for several weeks at the cost of serious delay to other business of really greater importance to the public at large. Still another argument that is likely to be made is that the batch of bills introduced on petition of the Brookline selectmen, and which the senator thought were pretty certain to become law, would prevent the repetition of past abuses. It must be remembered, however, that the senate will have no say, officially at any rate, about the impeachment. The house does the impeaching, and if the house, which, by the constitution, is the high court of inquest of the commonwealth, votes to impeach Commissioner Morrell, the senate will have to try the case.

"If Commissioner Morrell should be impeached, the proceedings would be a distinct novelty for this generation. State Librarian Tillinghast, who is an authority on everything that ever happened at the state house, tells me that he knows of no impeachment proceedings in Massachusetts since 1821, though before that date there were four. There have been several cases of 'removal by address.' This is the term used to describe a form of getting rid of a public official by a process more mild than impeachment. In such cases the legislature is memorialized to address the governor, asking him to remove the party complained of. In this way Gov. Long on May 26, 1882, removed J. M. Day, the judge of probate of Barnstable Co., E. G. Loring in 1858 and Abraham Jackson and Francis Monroe in 1876 were similarly removed from judicial offices."

The Enterprise.

The results of the famous Clare investigation are summed up in the annual report of the State Nautical Training school, including complimentary words for Commander J. G. Eaton, Captain of the ship and Superintendent of the school. The arguments and testimony in the case cover more than 1100 pages; the stenographer's bill was $1180 50.

An official copy of the proceedings during the investigation is on file in the office, which is accessible to any citizen of the Commonwealth.

As a result of the investigation, the commissioners have decided to have the following paragraph inserted in the applications for admission to this school:

This schoolship is in no sense a reformatory, a sanitarium or a craft for pleasure sailing, and only boys of good character who will appreciate and avail themselves of the instruction are admitted; nor will they be allowed to remain on board unless they yield prompt and willing obedience to the rules and regulations of the ship, and obtain fair marks in their studies. Boys who are not rugged in physique and resolute in spirit, or boys who are at all afraid of work or wet or cold, or the general privations that may accompany a seafaring life, are not suited to become members of this school. These facts should be clearly understood by parents before entering their boys in the school.

The commission has also passed the following vote:—Voted,—That the rules and regulations of the United States Naval Service be in force on board the Training Ship "Enterprise," as far as applicable to the conditions of the school.

The 92 cadets now in the school are "progressing steadily and satisfactorily in the knowledge of their adopted profession, while the discipline and morale of the corps are all that could be desired."

So far as known, 78 graduates of the school have obtained employment on merchant vessels, tugs, coast survey steamers and steam yachts.

An appropriation of $15,000 is necessary to cover all contingencies of repair aboard the old Enterprise.

Out of $4500 appropriated for office expenses, the commission saved four cents.

—An electric car mail service is proposed for Winchester, Woburn, Stoneham, Wakefield, Melrose, Malden, and neighboring towns, to save time on delivery.

FOR IRELAND'S FREEDOM.

Lovers of Em rald Isle Called Upon to Strike If Necessary.

New York, Jan. 15.—The Irish National alliance has issued the following:

Call for support for the men at home in their fight for restitution of the millions stolen, and for all to be ready to meet any demands that may be made, even to marching with Lord Castletown at the head of a patriot army. Party and religious differences to be forgotten.

Ireland is awake. She has discarded trumpery politics and arisen as a nation, demanding that justice must be done. Peer and peasant, cleric and layman, Protestant and Catholic, Orangeman and Nationalist, parliamentarian and fenian, are upon one platform united, to see that injustice shall not be tolerated in Ireland. The royal commission appointed to inquire into the financial relations of England and Ireland, a commission composed mainly of the ablest financiers of the governing country, has declared that the poorer in the enforced partnership is being robbed yearly of some $12,000,000. This over-taxation has gone on ever since the so-called union, and England today owes Ireland over $1,000,000,000, acknowledged even by Englishmen to have been stolen from her. This, of course, is only as a drop in the ocean. If we consider the entire relations of the two countries, but it has been sufficient to arouse Ireland to formulate a national demand. It is not now a mere question of tenant and landlord. There is a great national issue. The men who were looked on as England's garrison have turned their faces home. They have seen the folly of their ways and recognized at last that a depopulated Ireland, an Ireland a mere graveyard within its four seas, is not to their interest. They have come to acknowledge that England is not their country, and that a great change must take place if Ireland is to be saved. England, through her own commission, has demonstrated the truth of Wolftone's assertion that so long as English connection remains Ireland cannot be contented or happy.

Lord Castletown of Upper Ossery has stepped into the front rank and told England that if justice is not done there may be an Irish Boston. Other lords have backed him up, and bishops, Protestant and Catholic, have declared with him, while our friend, John Daly, has saluted him as the possible Washington of Ireland.

Never in Ireland's history has there been such a union. Religion and politics are forgotten, and a nation is marching boldly to its future.

England will scout the Irish demand, and what then? The question of taxation made this great republic. Who knows what in the providence of God is in store for Ireland? Whatever it be, it is our duty to give earnest support to this movement which has brought about this great National alliance, and if it should come to revolt with Castletown at the head of the patriot army let us be ready, one and all, to give him assistance.

In view of the possibilities of the immediate future, we call on you to make ready for whatever demands may be made upon our resources.

And since this is not a mere question of party, we ask Irishmen, no matter t what organization they may belong, to unite with us in support of the present movement at home. This does not involve your loyalty to your organization. Surely Ireland is above all, and petty squabbles should not be carried into the field of battle.

Ireland now expects every man to do his duty.

William Lyman, President.
O'Neil Ryan, Vice President.
P. V. Fitzpatrick, Treasurer.
C. O'Connor McLoughlin, Secretary.

Aspirants For the Toga.

Columbia, S. C., Jan. 15.—The legislature has decided to elect a successor to Senator Irby on Jan. 26. At a primary of the Democratic party last summer, Circuit Judge Joseph H. Earl was nominated for the position, against Governor Evans, and he will be elected by the legislature on the date fixed without opposition.

Boise, Ida., Jan. 15.—The ballot for senator yesterday resulted: W. H. Claggett, 31; Fred T. Dubois, 26; C. W. Cooper, 6; J. R. Wester, 3; scattering, 4. Claggett lost the votes of two Democrats who supported him Wednesday.

Springfield, Ills., Jan. 15.—Martin B. Madden, the Chicago alderman who has been one of the leading candidates in the senatorial contest, withdrew from the race last night, throwing his support to ex-Congressman William E. Mason of Chicago, who had been his most prominent rival for Senator Palmer's seat. His withdrawal was immediately followed by that of Samuel Allerton, the millionaire packer of Chicago, who went at once to personally congratulate Mr. Mason. It is generally believed that Madden's action makes the selection of Mason by the caucus today a certainty.

Salem, Ore., Jan. 15.—The Republicans in joint caucus last night, by a unanimous vote of the members present, nominated John H. Mitchell to succeed himself in the United States senate. Forty-four members were present, and letters were read from two others, who were detained by sickness, stating they would abide by the will of the caucus. This gives Mitchell a bare majority of the legislature.

Millionaire Miner Missing.

Chicago, Jan. 15.—Millionaire Mine Owner George S. Hammond of the San Juan mining district of New Mexico is missing, and it is feared he has been foully dealt with. Hammond left Albuquerque Christmas night, bound for New York, to dispose of some mining property. He had several thousand dollars with him and a quantity of valuable jewelry. Detectives have learned that the ticket purchased by Mr. Hammond was used to this city, but further than that there is no clew to the man's whereabouts.

Howard Gould to Wed.

San Francisco, Jan. 15.—The Post has an interview with Mrs. J. W. Dayan of Palo Alto, mother of Miss Katherine Clemmens, the actress, in which Mrs. Dayan says her daughter is engaged to Howard Gould, son of the late Jay Gould, and that Gould acknowledged the engagement to her recently while in New York, and that Katherine is coming to California in a few days to visit her family prior to her marriage.

Platt Chosen Senator.

Albany, Jan. 15.—The Republican caucus last night selected Thomas C. Platt as nominee for United States senator, to succeed David B. Hill. The vote stood: Platt, 142; Choate, 7; absent, 2.

Fourth Evening of the Conference.

The Rev. Scott F. Hershey, Ph. D., the prominent and popular pastor of the First Presbyterian church of Boston, was the preacher for Thursday evening. He spoke to the largest congregation thus far, several having come from as far as Wollaston, and gave a logical and heart-searching sermon of great power on the Conscience. The Rev. E. N. Hardy was able to attend the latter part of the service.

This evening, the composer and gospel solo singer, Rev. Robert F. True, of the New England Evangelistic Association, accompanied by Mr. E. A. Lawrence, field secretary of the association, will sing and speak. It will be an inspiring service, and a fitting close of this successful conference.

Sunday there will be Evangelistic sermons by the Rev. E. N. Hardy in the morning and the pastor in the evening. Monday evening Evangelist Rev. Thomas Clayton, who has just closed a series of meetings in Binghampton, New York, and has received a call to the pastorate of a thriving Congregational church in that city, will begin a ten days' Evangelistic campaign. The Rev. Dr. Plumb, of Roxbury, speaks of the Rev. Mr. Clayton as a remarkably able and convincing speaker, and he is not at all sensational, but deeply earnest and powerfully.

Installation at Wollaston.

The officers of the John Hancock lodge, I. O. O. F., were installed on Wednesday evening by D. D. G. M. Edmund Q. S. Litchfield and suite as follows:

N. G.,—Levi H. Milberry.
V. G.,—P. R. Glass.
Sec.,—Edward E. Hoxie.
Treas.,—Judson L. Smith.
Per. Sec.,—George C. Ela.
Warden,—F. A. Griffin.
Cond.,—J. F. McLeod.
O. G.,—John P. Thomas.
I. G.,—G. Wardwell.
R. S. N. G.,—Charles F. Marr.
L. S. N. G.,—D. A. Goodwin.
R. S. V. G.,— F. A. Whittier.
L. S. V. G.,—E. L. Wright.
R. S. S.,—A. S. Johnston.
L. S. S.,—H. W. Waite.
Chaplain,—David Brown.
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Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

NORFOLK, ss. COURT OF INSOLVENCY.

NOTICE is hereby given that the third meeting of the creditors in the case of the Quincy Cycle Company of Quincy, in said County, an insolvent debtor, will be held at the Court of Insolvency, at Dedham in said County, on the first WEDNESDAY of April, A. D., 1897, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at which meeting creditors may be present and prove their claims. The Assignees will present their account at said meeting, and creditors may appear and object to the allowance of the same.

KIMBALL J. FENNO,
ASA P. FRENCH,
Assignees.

87 Milk St., Boston,
Dec. 16, 1896. j15-22 2t

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

NORFOLK, ss. PROBATE COURT.

TO the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin and all other persons interested in the estate of

ELIZA A. TOWNSEND,

late of Brookline, in said County, deceased.

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, has been presented to said Court for probate by Frank A. Townsend of said Brookline, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, without giving a surety on his official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Dedham, in said County of Norfolk, on the third day of February, A. D., 1897, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week for three successive weeks, in the QUINCY DAILY LEDGER, a newspaper published in said Quincy, the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, and by mailing, post-paid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, George White, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this thirteenth day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.

3t 15-22-29

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Quincy and Neponset.

Leave CITY HALL for Neponset—6.00 A. M., 6.15, 6.30, 6.45, 7.00, and every 15, 30, 45 and 60 minutes past the hour until 7.00 P. M., then every half hour until 10.50 P. M. Cars leaving Quincy on the hour via. Norfolk Downs, except 6.00 P. M.

Leave NEPONSET—6.22 A. M., 6.37, 6.52, 7.07, 7.22, and every 7, 22, 37 and 52 minutes past the hour until 7.00 o'clock, then every half hour until 11 P. M.; last car for Quincy at 11.15 P. M. Cars leaving Neponset 22 minutes past the hour via. Norfolk Downs.

Quincy and East Weymouth.

Leave CITY HALL (10 minutes later from Quincy Point and 22 minutes later from North Weymouth)—5.45, 6.20, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, 11.20, 11.50 A. M.; 12.20, 12.50, 1.20, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20 4.50 5.20 (5.30 to East Weymouth car house), 5.50, 6.20, 6.30, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.50 P. M.

Leave EAST WEYMOUTH (20 minutes later from North Weymouth and 30 minutes later from Quincy Point)—6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11, 11.30 A. M.; 12, 12.30, 1, 1.30, 2, 2.30, 3, 3.30, 4, 4.30, 5, 5.30, 6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11.30 P. M.

Quincy and East Milton.

Leave CITY HALL, 5.55, 6.25, then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.55 P. M., then at 9.50 and 10.50 P. M.

Leave EAST MILTON, 6.30, 7.00 A. M., then on the hour and half hour until 9.30 P. M., then at 10.20 and 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and Holbrook.

Leave QUINCY for SOUTH BRAINTREE and HOLBROOK at 6.10 and 6.40 A. M., and every 10 minutes past and 20 minutes of the hour until 10 10 P. M. Last car leaves at 10.50 P. M. On Saturdays the last car leaves Quincy at 11.50 P. M.

Returning cars leave HOLBROOK for SOUTH BRAINTREE and QUINCY at 5.55 and 6.25 A. M., and every 25 minutes past and 5 minutes of the hour until 9.55 P. M. Last car leaves Holbrook at 11.30 P. M.

☞ On Sundays on the Weymouth route cars will leave Quincy on the hour and half hour and East Weymouth at quarter past and quarter of the hour.

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TO BOSTON.			FROM BOSTON.		
Leave Quincy.	Stops at	Arrive Boston.	Leave Boston.	Stops at	Arrive Quincy
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r 7 12	abc	7 30	7 30	cba	7 49 r
7 29	a	7 48	8 30	cba	8 49 r
r 7 42	abc	8 00	9 30	cba	9 49 r
r 8 12	abc	8 30	10 30	cba	10 49 r
8 29	a	8 45	11 30	cba	11 49 r
r 8 42	abc	9 00	12 00	(xx)	12 15
r 9 12	abc	9 30	12 30	cba	12 49 r
r 10 12	abc	10 30	1 30	cba	1 49 r
r 11 12	abc	11 30	2 30	cba	2 49 r
r 12 12	abc	12 30	3 30	cba	3 49 r
r 1 12	abc	1 30	4 30	cba	4 49 r
1 46	(xx)	2 00	5 00	cba	5 19 r
r 2 12	abc	2 30	5 15	a	5 32
r 3 12	abc	3 30	5 30	cba	5 49 r
r 4 12	abc	4 30	6 00	cba	6 19 r
r 5 12	abc	5 30	6 15	a	6 32
r 6 12	abc	6 30	6 30	cba	6 49 r
r 7 12	abc	7 30	7 00	cba	7 19 r
r 7 41	abcdefghi	8 07	7 30	cba	7 49 r
r 8 08	abcdef	8 30	8 30	fedcba	8 53 r
r 9 12	abc	9 30	9 30	cba	9 49 r
r 10 08	abcdef	10 30	10 30	fedcba	10 53 r
r 10 34	abcdefghi	11 08	11 00	ihgfedcba	11 27 r
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SUNDAYS.

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r 9 12	abc	9 30	8 30	(xx)	8 45 a
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1 12	abc	1 30	10 30	ihgfedcba	10 57 r
2 16	(xx)	2 30	11 30	(xx)	11 45
r 3 04	abcdefghi	3 30	12 30	cba	12 49
r 4 04	abcdefghi	4 30	1 30	(xx)	1 45
5 16	(xx)	5 30	4 30	cba	4 49 r
r 6 08	abcdef	6 30	5 00	(xx)	5 15
r 9 08	abcdef	9 30	7 00	fedcba	7 23 r
9 38	adf	9 55	10 30	fedcba	10 53 r

*The letters in the same line as the figures stand for different stations and indicate that trains stop, as follows:

a, Wollaston.
b, Norfolk Downs
c, Atlantic.
d, Neponset.
e, Pope's Hill.
f, Harrison Square.
g, Savin Hill.
h, Crescent Avenue.
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MOON'S PHASES.

New Moon 3 1:03 a. m. | Full Moon 18 3:17 p. m.
First Quarter 10 4:46 p. m. | Third Quarter 25 3:08 p. m.

THE WEATHER INDICATIONS.

ALMANAC, FRIDAY, JAN. 15.

Sun rises—7:11; sets, 4:38.
Length of day—9h. 27m.
Moon sets—4:48 a. m.
Full sea—8:30 a. m., 9:15 p. m.

Forecast for New England: Generally fair, possibly preceded by light snows in the early morning on the southern and southeast coast; northeasterly winds; colder in northern portion.

Physical Test at Tufts.

Medford, Mass., Jan. 15.—The annual physical examination of the students of Tufts has been completed by Dr. Woodbury. Rolla E. Healey, '97, of Claremont, N. H., has for the second year proved himself to be the strongest all-round man in college. His total strength is 1331 kilos, and his special ability was shown in the leg lift of 605 kilos, or 1330 pounds. The remaining nine men and their avages in kilos are as follows: F. E. Griswold, '99, 1145; H. A. Davis, '97, 1001; C. Tousey, '98, 994; R. T. Wells, '98, 784; L. Bartlett, '99, 738; C. H. Rand, '99, 720; S. T. Hall, '99, 701; G. B. Hill, '99, 696; R. H. enton, '97, 689.

Baseball In Maine.

Waterville, Me., Jan. 15.—The Maine State College Baseball league will meet in this city today to arrange for the season's schedule. Delegates from Colby, Bowdoin, Bates and the Maine state college will be present, and an amicable understanding is expected, as Bates is not expected to object to medical students of Bowdoin playing on that team. Bates will hardly continue its objections, as Colby and the Maine state team will play with Bowdoin in any event.

Canton Water Suit Verdict.

Dedham, Mass., Jan. 15.—The Lexington print works won its suit for damages against the town of Canton, by a jury verdict of $803, returned yesterday. Yet the verdict is also a victory for the town over a previous award to the plaintiff of $2195.94, made by Marcus Morton of Newton, as auditor. The case was one of considerable interest, as it required considerable technical evidence on the water shed of Canton and territory contiguous to Beaver Brook.

All Succeed Themselves.

Concord, N. H., Jan. 14.—At a meeting of the governor and council yesterday Governor Ramsdell appointed Josiah G. Bellows of Walpole railroad commissioner for three years. Fred Gowing of Nashua was appointed superintendent of public instruction for two years, and Edwin G. Eastman was nominated attorney general for five years, all to succeed themselves.

New Hampshire Club Officers.

Boston, Jan. 14.—The annual meeting of the New Hampshire club was held at the Parker House yesterday, and was attended by about 25 members. Hon. Napoleon Bryant was elected president, Hon. W. F. Daniel the first on a long list of vice presidents, and General Elbert Wheeler, secretary and treasurer.

Governor Wolcott Elected President.

Boston, Jan. 14.—The state board of agriculture met yesterday and elected officers for the ensuing year, as follows: President, Hon. Roger Wolcott; first vice president, James S. Grinnell of Greenfield; second vice president, E. W. Wood of West Newton; secretary, William R. Sessions of Hampden.

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LAND AND BAD BUTTER.

Free Homestead Bill Passed by the Upper House.

Open All Indian Lands to Settlement.

Oleomargerine Under Discussion In House of Representatives.

Washington, Jan. 15.—The free homestead bill, which has been under discussion since the holidays, was passed by the senate yesterday.

It is a measure of far reaching importance, particularly to the west, and the interest in it was shown by the fact that a plank concerning it was a feature of the several national platforms. The effect of the bill is to open to settlement all public lands acquired from Indians free of any payment to the government beyond the minor office fees, and to release from payment those who have heretofore settled on these lands. The number of acres involved, according to an estimate made by the commissioners of the general land office, is 33,250,541, which would have yielded the government at the prices heretofore established $35,343,006. To offset this statement it was brought out during the debate that the lands were mainly arid, and that those who had settled upon them were unable to make payment by reason of the scanty products of the soil. The western senators in the main favored the bill as an extension of the general homestead policy of the government. The opposition was directed mainly by Mr. Platt (Conn.) and Mr. Vilas (Wis.) As the bill passed in the house it covered only the lands acquired from Indians in Oklohama, but as passed yesterday the bill includes all Indian lands. The final vote, taken by agreement at 4 p. m., showed a decisive majority in favor of the measure.

The house spent almost the entire day debating the Grout bill, to subject oleomargarine and other imitation dairy products to the laws of the states into which they are transported. The advocates of the measure took the view that the states should be allowed to regulate the sale of a product sailing under false colors, and the opponents the view that the bill would establish a dangerous precedent and invade the power of congress to regulate interstate commerce. Those who supported the measure were Messrs. Northway (Rep., O.), Morse (Rep., Mass.), Lacey (Rep., Ia.), Hainer (Rep., Neb.), Willis (Rep., Del.), Grosvenor (Rep., O.), and Henderson (Rep., Ia.). Those who opposed it were Messrs. Cooper (Dem., Fla.), Tucker (Dem., Va.), Cannon (Rep., Ills.), Boatner (Dem., La.), Clardy (Rep., Ky.), and Williams (Dem., Miss.). The bill was finally passed, 126 to 96. The full text of the bill is as follows:

"That all articles known as oleomargarine, butterine, imitation butter, or imitation cheese, or any substance in the semblance of butter or cheese not the usual product of the dairy, and not made exclusively of pure and unadulterated milk or cream, transported into any state or territory or remaining therein for use, consumption, sale, or storage therein, shall, upon arrival in such state or territory, be subject to the operation and effect of the laws of such state or territory enacted in the exercise of its police powers to the same extent and in the same manner as though such articles or substances had been produced in such state or territory, and shall not be exempt therefrom by reason of being introduced therein in original packages or otherwise: provided, that nothing in this act shall be construed to permit any state to forbid the sale of oleomargarine except in such a manner as will advise the customer of its real character."

Brilliant Scene at White House.

Washington, Jan. 15.—The White House presented a brilliant appearance last night, on the occasion of the first evening state reception of the season given by President and Mrs. Cleveland. The diplomatic corps was the guest of honor, and those invited to meet it included the members of congress, the judiciary and the officers of the army and navy. The decorations of the East room were much the same as those used with effect at the New Year's reception. Growing plants, ferns and cut flowers were scattered about the room. Palms, crotons and ferns were banked up before the windows, smilax was wreathed artistically around the chandeliers. Roses, hyacinths and carnations were on the mantels in front of the huge mirrors. The floral decorations of the three state parlors were less elaborate than those of the East room. The conservatory, with its wealth of flora, was thrown open for the inspection of the guests. President and Mrs. Cleveland, with the members of the cabinet and their ladies, awaited the guests in the blue parlor. The diplomatic corps, headed by Sir Julian Pauncefote, were first presented. Colonel Wilson of the army, assisted by Lieutenant Gilmore, made the introductions. After the diplomatic corps, the other guests filed past and were cordially welcomed. The Marine band, under Professor Fancuelli, furnished the music for the occasion.

Poured Sulphuric Acid on Body.

Montreal, Jan. 15.—A special dispatch from Rouse's Point says that the body found there turns out to be that of a 70-year-old man named Malloux, from Pittsfield, Mass. The old man's son and daughter identified the remains. New York detectives are investigating the circumstances attending the apparent crime. Malloux was a well known trader between Montreal and Rouse's Point, who usually carried from $500 to $1000 with him. Until the time of finding his remains it was thought he had gone to Pittsfield. Examinations show that he had been shot through the head, and some strong acid had been poured over the body, as all the flesh was consumed from the crown of the head to that portion of the legs covered by his socks. A five-gallon can of sulphuric acid was stolen from a printing office at Rouse's Point at the same time that he disappeared. The body was identified by a gold ring upon the bones of the left hand and by the teeth.

Killed by Bostonians' Train.

Buffalo, Jan. 15.—Jacob Batch, farmer, living near Eden Center, 25 years of age, and a companion, whose name is not known, were killed at the Erie crossing at Eden Center yesterday. The men attempted to cross the track ahead of a special train carrying the Bostonian Opera company.

LUDLOW STREET JAIL.

Four Federal Felons Escape and Only One Is Captured.

New York, Jan. 15.—Four prisoners took French leave of Ludlow street jail early last evening. One of them was caught, more by accident than anything else, by the local police. The three others are still missing. Thus far there seems to be no clew to the various directions which they took after their most sensational method of flight from the prison walls.

The fugitive from Ludlow street now in custody is Peter Masso, 27 years old, born in France, who was charged on the books of Ludlow street jail with bringing French girls to this country from Paris and other places in France for immoral purposes.

Those who are still at large are:

William Post, 23 years old, a mail robber.

Michael Egan, 24 yars old, a counterfeiter.

George Polyerannis, a Greek, also a counterfeiter.

The manner in which the men made their escape was as follows:

The top tier of the jail on the east side, the windows of which look out upon a large court yard which divides the jail from the Essex Market prison, had, until lately, been occupied by United States prisoners. A few days ago, however, these prisoners were transferred to other parts of the jail, and the upper tier on the east was given over to plumbers for repairs, thus leaving the cells empty. The four men, who had the freedom of the corridor, made their way in the semi-darkness to the upper tier and twisted the lock off from one of the unoccupied cells. Into this they went, and from the window of the cell, which looks over a space of five feet to the prison wall in which are the windows that open into the outer air. It was not difficult to remove the window, and this was done. Then one of the men took the dangerous leap across the open space and landed on the sill of the outer window. He had a sharp saw of some kind, for he sawed the fourth stout bar in the upper frame of the window. It is supposed that the saw was one of those left by the plumbers who had been working there. After the bar in the window had been broken, the bar being of iron and about half an inch in diameter, the halves were twisted so that a space a foot wide was made and sufficiently long to permit a body to squeeze through.

The window on which the men stood when they had clambered outside was but a little less than 60 feet above the ground. Five feet above them was the roof of the jail, with a large overhanging cornice. How i was done no one can tell, but the men in some way swung themselves from the cornice with the yard yawning 60 feet below, and by main strength lifted themselves to the roof. On the roof they were safe for a moment, but there was a sharp spiked fence, 10 feet in height, between them and the adjoining tenement house roof. This was scaled in safety, and then the men had access to the stairway of the tenement house by way of the roof. It is supposed that Masso was the first of the fugitives, and his encounter with the people in the house led to his arrest. While the scene which ended in his being locked up was enacted, his companions in flight were secreting themselves on the roof. About half an hour afterward one of them, a man in a light suit, the Greek, was seen to pass down the stairs, and still later another stranger was noticed to leave the building. When the third of the three still missing left it is impossible to say.

None of the prison officials would speak of the case in the remotest way.

Captain McGiffin's Mind Unhinged.

New York, Jan. 15.—The Press this morning says: Captain Philo McGiffin lies in the post graduate hospital with body shattered and mind unhinged by wounds received in the greatest naval battle of modern times. A retired officer of the United States navy, he took command of the Chinese ironclad Chen Yuen in 1894, and fought her for five hours in the Yalu river on Sept. 17 of that year against an overwhelming force of Japanese warships. The Chinese were defeated and Captain McGiffin was wounded badly in the head and thigh by flying splinters of wood and iron. He returned to America and wrote a graphic account of the fight for the Century magazine in 1895. About three months ago he began to display eccentricity, and imagining that he was tormented with worms crawling under his skin he cut numerous gashes in his body. Then Dr. Graeme Hammond took him in hand, and when he is in a fit physical condition to undergo an operation a small fragment of a Japanese shell, which it is believed was not found by the surgeons after the famous battle, and is now pressing on his brain, will be removed. This, it is hoped, will restore him to perfect health.

King of Benin to Be Attacked.

London, Jan. 15.—The Daily News announces that Lord Salisbury has consented to a punitive attack upon the Kink of Benin in the Niger coast protectorate on account of the massacre of a British expedition, in which were included Acting Consul General Phillips, Major Copland Crawford, Captain Boisragon, Captain Maling, Messrs. Campbell and Locke, consular officials, Dr. Elliott, Messrs Powis and Gordon, civilians, and a number of Kroomen and native carriers. The attack will, however, be delayed about a month, until the arrival of fresh officers from England. The expedition will comprise nearly 1000 men, and will be a determined expedition to avenge the massacred Europeans. The men-of-war Widgeon, Thrush, Alecto, Philomel and Phoebe will anchor off New Benin during the operations.

New Fodder Industry.

Chicago, Jan. 15.—Edwin S. Cramp of the Philadelphia shipbuilding firm completed plans here yesterday for the operation of a factory at Rockford about Feb. 1, for the manufacture of ship bedding and cattle fodder from corn stalks, a patent for which was recently granted him. Before the harvesting of the next crop, it is expected that several other factories will be erected in the corn belt, and material which has been heretofore practically worthless, will become a source of revenue to the farmers.

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Newest Features In Hand Embroideries. Cut Flowers This Season—Delicious Oyster Loaf.

In embroideries on silks and linens natural flower forms are the most popular, but all have an element of the conventional, either in the border alone or in arabesques and rococo forms intermingled with the flowers, and the union is very pleasing. Instead of the honiton lace, once so popular, Art Amateur, already quoted, says that a heavier lace is used, and an insertion about the center of a square piece, with a heavy buttonholed edge, is effective and graceful. Some of the stiffer flower forms are among the new English designs, as bleeding heart, fuchsia, and even mignonette. Cosmos has been used, too, for the first time in the Heminway embroideries, and, when worked in white, with dark centers, makes a beautiful contrast, with its feathery foliage. Seaweed also is a novelty and is worked entirely in feather stitch to give it a delicate effect.

Among the silks, some new colors are six in a pink called the sunset rose, which is the same as the tearose. There are also six shades of a dark red, called dull rose, suitable for orchids and some rich flowers, and there is a new set of green shades brought out by this firm called poppy greens, between the gray and the yellow greens.

As a relief from one style of embroidery, the Bulgarian designs can be worked where Turkish floss is used, and the stitches go across the designs in a rather bias direction, all the designs being conventional, and usually outlined with black. They are worked on a coarse linen, gray or white, and in low tones of color, as dull reds, greens and wood browns. In another piece of conventional work the stems of the flowers were worked in three parallel rows of buttonholing, giving an odd raised and twisted effect, and some of the forms were worked in a basket style—three stitches, then an equal space, three more, etc. In the centers of such designs the raised effect which is used in honiton work can be made here in color.

Cut Flowers This Season.

Poinsettia roses have been especially popular in this winter's decorations. If proper care is given it, a plant will keep its blossom for a month and remain fresh and bright looking during that time. It must be well watered and protected from cold drafts. After the flower has been cut the plant will bloom again if it is restored to the moist, artificial heat of the greenhouse. The cut flowers will keep fresh for about a week in a vase of water. Cut flowers, so expensive during the holidays, have begun to decline in price. From $12 a dozen, the regular price for the long stemmed flowers, American Beauties reach the climax at Christmas week of $40 per dozen. The New York Tribune, which reports the prices quoted, says: Two new ideas this season serve to increase materially the expense of presenting flowers. To correspond with the latest fashion they must be sent either in extremely artistic and decorative boxes, tied with ribbons fully 6 inches wide, or in deep vases of the real or imitation Bohemian glass. The boxes are triumphs of daintiness, and the green and gold of the vases seem to bring out with especial charm the beauty of any flower.

Photographs For Wall Decoration.

In selecting photographs for wall decoration, The Art Amateur advises a few well chosen, large photographs as being better than a number of little ones, if selected with a definite purpose. The suggestion is also made that the decorative effect of a large framed photograph is nearly always enhanced by putting it under yellow instead of ordinary glass. It should be remembered, too, that simple wooden moldings are the best settings for such pictures. Gilt frames should be reserved for paintings in oil, water color or pastel, or facsimiles of them.

There are numerous photographs on a scale to show every detail of the original paintings they represent. For the parlor or dining room of a private house a selection might be made from the many beautifully toned prints which illustrate the works of the great masters of painting.

Delicious Oyster Loaf.

Did you ever eat any oyster loaf? If not, try this recipe, from the New York Tribune: Cut an oblong slice from the upper side of a Vienna loaf of bread, then scoop out the crumbs from the inside of the loaf. Spread the casing with butter, fill with raw oysters, about a quart; add a tablespoonful of chopped parsley, half a cup of cream, some small bits of butter, pepper, salt and 2 drops of tabasco sauce. Put on the upper crust, put in a baking dish and pour the oyster liquor over it. Cover and bake 20 minutes, basting often with the oyster liquor. When done, put on an oblong dish, cut in slices and serve hot.

Cream Ribbon Candy.

Cream ribbon candy is a novelty for home candy makers, noted in Good Housekeeping. It is made by first rolling several colors of fondant (the familiar foundation cream) very thin, then laying them together and passing the rolling pin lightly over them. This presses the layers, which must be of uniform thickness, together, and when the candy is cut in squares or oblongs it looks very dainty.

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Soap tree bark makes an excellent cleaning fluid for removing spots from men's clothing or any kind of black goods. Put 10 cents' worth of powdered bark in a quart of soft water and let it steep an hour or more. Strain through a fine cloth into a quart jar and add 2 tablespoonfuls of alcohol to it. Use a soft brush on a piece of black cloth to rub the soiled places.

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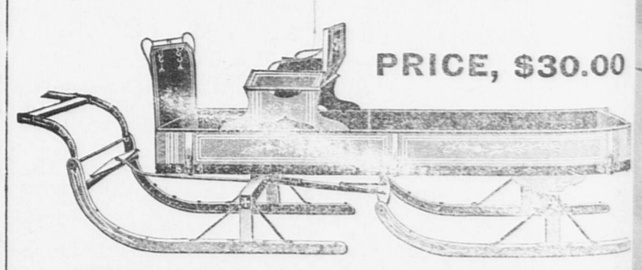
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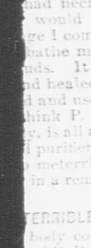
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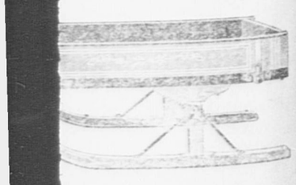
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And we shall meet!
—*John Keble.*

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Hurdy Gurdy party tonight.

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Very pretty prizes were given by Miss Ruth Randall at her whist party on Wednesday evening. Of the ladies' prizes Miss Clara L. Baxter won the first and Miss Jennie B. Field the second. Mr. Max Butler won first and Mr. George Follett second in the gentlemen's prizes.

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Old fashioned flounces are coming back, even half way up the skirt. They supply a graceful way to renovate an old silk.

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Commissioner and Mrs. Knowlton have moved this week from Granite street to Mrs. George W. Morton's house next to the library on Spear street.

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Miss Thompson gave her second reading in the parlor of the First church, Braintree, on Wednesday afternoon.

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Mr. and Mrs. George Ames hold their third "at home" on Tuesday evening at their home on Franklin street.

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Miss Floretta Vining is a guest at the Parker House, Boston, for the month of January.

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Eiderdown cloth trimmed with bands of ermine makes a most charming as well as serviceable evening wrap.

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The Every Other Tuesday club met on Tuesday afternoon with Miss Louise Thomas of Washington street.

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Mrs. Samuel H. Spear has given up boarding and gone to housekeeping at her house on Granite street.

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Miss Fay Hitchcock's friends are pleased to hear that her illness is not diphtheria but a severe cold.

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The illness of Miss Madeleine Fish, one of the favorite teachers at the High school has cast a gloom over the school as well as at The Greenleaf, where she boards. She is getting along nicely but typhoid fever is very tedious and it will be several weeks before her friends may hope to see her about again.

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Mrs. Theophilus King is to be one of the matrons at the dramatics given at Braintree, next Friday evening, by the Bachelor club.

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Mrs. Henry M. Faxon is to sing Sunday at the vesper services at the Unitarian church.

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Miss Jesse Baker of Washington street, who has been confined to her house for several week with a severe cold, has so far recovered that she is able to be out once more.

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Cards were received Friday announcing the marriage at West Roxbury on Thursday, January 14, of Mr. Charles F. Pettengill and Mrs. Lizzie Dunbar Walton. On their return from a trip through the South Mr. and Mrs. Pettengill will reside at 21 Canal street, and be "at home" to their friends Wednesday evenings, February 17 and 24.

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The City Council of Chicago has passed an ordinance against the woman who persists in wearing a hat at a theatre, making her liable to a fine of three dollars. Wonder how it would work in Boston. Nothing was said by the men in the council about fining the men who have seats in the middle of the house, who persists in making a whole row of people rise every few minutes to allow them to go out between the acts. They need women in the Chicago City Council.

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The regular meeting of the Society of the Daughters of Vermont will be held at the Vendome, Boston, next Thursday afternoon from three until five.

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Judge and Mrs. E.C. Bumpus are at The Vendome, Boston, for the remainder of winter.

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Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Mischler, of Braintree, received many beautiful presents upon the occasion of their silver wedding which took place Saturday.

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Miss Clara L. Baxter has issued invitations for Saturday evening when "hearts" will be enjoyed.

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The Quincy High school is very fortunate in being able to secure Miss Bessie Burns to substitute for Miss Fish. Miss Burns was graduated from Wellesley college, and has taught at Thayer academy, Braintree. She is in every way fitted to teach in a high grade school.

Miss Gertrude Sherman of Wollaston is to usher for the Bachelor club dramatics at Braintree on Friday night.

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Everyone is interested in the Hurdy-Gurdy party to be given this evening for the benefit of the Fragment society of the Unitarian church. The patronesses are: Miss Elizabeth C. Adams, Mrs. Lewis Bass, Mrs. T. S. Sturtevant, Mrs. Henry M. Faxon, Mrs. George S. Keyes and Mrs. Thomas A. Whicher.

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The ladies of the Granite City club and their friends had a pleasant afternoon on Wednesday at the Club rooms indulging in whist. The first prize was a cut glass silver topped vinaigrette, was taken by Mrs. E. Granville Pratt; the second silver nail file by Mrs. Arthur Mitchell; third, silver bonnet brush by Miss Annie Nightingale and the fourth prize cut glass, silver topped cream jar by Mrs. Osborne Rogers.

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The Braintree whist club met with Dr. H. L. Dearing last night. Mrs. Aubrey Hillard won the first ladies' prize and Mrs. Davenport the second, Mr. E. W. Stone, the first gentleman's prize and Mr. Kingsbury, second. There were twenty-six members present. A lunch of ice cream, frozen pudding, nuts and coffee was served after the contest and the remainder of the evening devoted to social chat.

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Odd Fellows' ball next Thursday evening.

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Members of Adams Chapter are to give another matinee whist on Monday afternoon at The Greenleaf for the benefit of the John Adams birthplace. About a hundred ladies are to attend and doubtless it will be a very pleasant affair.

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The engagement is announced of Mr. Leonard Clark Hewson of Quincy to Miss Alberta White of Hanover.

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Next Friday evening the Bachelor club will present in Long's hall, Braintree, two short farces entited, "An Intelligence Office," and "Careless Cupid." All the parts will be taken by members of the club. The patronesses are Mrs. E. W. Arnold, Mrs. C. A. Pitkin, Mrs. A. C. Drinkwater and Mrs. Theophilus King. The ushers are Miss Ethel Pitkin, Miss Florence Gilman, Miss Jessie Arnold, Miss Sophie Thayer, Miss Miriam Lane, Miss Gertrude Weeks and Miss Gertrude Sherman.

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Mr. and Mrs. George Monk and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Batson attended a dinner party given by Prof. Herbert Butler of Huntington avenue, Boston.

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The Sigma club met with Grace E. Batson Friday evening. Three members were initiated. A delegation from Beta club, Boston, composed of Messrs. Call, Payton and Eldridge were present.

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It will be a year on Wednesday the 27th, that Adams Chapter, Daughters of the Revolution, was organized and on that date they are to celebrate their first birthday by holding a reception at The Greenleaf. It will be a gentlemen's night and the Chapter members and their guests are anticipating a pleasant time.

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Charles Hardwick, is quite ill at his home on Canal street.

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Mr. Cushing Faxon of River street, Braintree, entertained the Monatiquot whist club Friday night.

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Miss Mary A. Souther of Foster street is confined at home with inflammatory rheumatism.

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Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Curtis and Mr. Dexter E. Wadsworth attended the reception given to Miss Lulu Glaser, Francis Wilson's leading lady, by Miss Robbins on Monday afternoon at her home on Monadnock street, Dorchester. Miss Robbins is well known to many Quincy people, her mother at one time being a guest at The Greenleaf.

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The annual meeting of the members of the corporation of the City Hospital is to be held with Dr. Gordon on Monday evening.

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Our young people not only go to Braintree for dancing and to enjoy good dramatics, but the past few weeks they have found the best skating at Braintree as well. Braintree is a convenient suburb for the City of Quincy.

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Several Quincy people took part in a fine concert given at Braintree on Wednesday night by the Choral society. Among them were Mr. Walter H. Hersey, Mr. Walter E. Arnold and Mrs Helen B. Batson.

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Persian lamb has never been more in vogue than at present, for jackets, capes and muffs as well as for trimmings.

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Miss Adams Tells What High School Should Stand For.

The attendance at the High school reunion last evening at the High school building was the largest in recent years, and it was a social and enjoyable party. The hall was prettily decorated with plants and smilax, very little being required to make the grand building look attractive.

The receiving party at the reception were: President Battison, of the association; President Bryant, of the City Council, and his wife; Principal Tupper, of the High school, and his wife, and Chairman Porter, of the School Committee, and his wife.

Mr. Percival Hall and his aids introduced the graduates and their friends as they arrived between 7 30 and 8 15, and the time was spent socially previous to the literary and musical programme at 8 30.

President Battison welcomed the Alumni and friends, and was gratified at the increased attendance. He hoped that soon their might be large crowds at the reunions so that the problem would be how to accommodate all, rather than how to interest enough to make the reunion a success. The association should be a credit to the school and the city.

Miss Bemis, '94, rendered a beautiful piano solo, and President Bryant of the City Council was introduced. He said he had expected to see more of the older graduates present. He spoke interestingly of the building the school and work of the association.

Messrs. Fuller and Lord gave a fine duet on guitar and banjo.

Miss Adams, '82, a member of the School Committee then read the paper of the evening, which was received with favor. It is given in full below:

Hon. Charles H. Porter read a letter from W. G. Corthell, and reported progress on art decorations for the building.

A selection by the orchestra was followed by remarks by Superintendent Lull, who gave a lesson in geography, corrected an error relative to High school attendance, and complimented the teachers of the Quincy High.

Miss Hayes gave a charming solo, and Mr. Frederic Allison Tupper, the principal of the school, made a happy speech.

Hendrie served ices, cake and coffee after the exercises, and dancing followed until midnight.

Miss Adams' Paper.

What should the High School stand for in the community? What function should it fulfil in order to have a reason for being? Optimistic patriots will tell you that every child can have a High school education in these days in our country. Enthusiastic educators will declare that secondary education is within the reach of all, but those of us who exercise cool common sense, know better. It is often said that any boy or girl who really wants to go through the High school can do it, and this saying is, at least in a certain sense, true. Massachusetts has done much, especially with her free text book law and put secondary education within the reach of many.

But if every boy and every girl really wanted to go through the High school, *every* boy and *every* girl couldn't do it. It does not lie within the bounds of possibility, under existing social conditions, that every family can afford to maintain every child up to the age of seventeen or eighteen without financial help from the child himself. A few families can send all their children through the High school, and a good many families can send one or two, but it very often happens that one boy or girl can have a High school education because the older brothers and sisters went from the grammar to employment of some kind and are increasing the family income.

If then, it is only theoretically true that every child can have a High school education; if practically, only about 8 or 10 in a hundred can hope to enjoy that privilege, what should we do? Should we take the money which we spend on our High schools, and the sum is relatively large, for it is much more expensive to educate a High school pupil than a grammar one, should we take this money and spend part of it in rendering our grammar schools more efficient, and save the rest?

We want to see the grammar schools all over our country more efficient, certainly, but not at the expense of the High schools. If, however, only one-tenth of the population is to take advantage of them, it may be asked, most pertinently, what gain is the community to receive from them in return for its outlay?

The answer is not difficult, out of the High schools must come the leaders of the community, the men and the women, who are to shape the thought and show the way to the great mass of the people; the holders of public offices, the influential

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MY LAST CHANCE.

"My chances!" Yes, that is what my niece called them before she walked from my drawing room, holding her head very high and bestowing a contemptuous glance at what she considered my old maidish surroundings. "Your chances!" she repeated, and, returning to her two cherubs, left me to my fate. And now, as I sit here alone, let me face the question once for all. First, and most awful for a single woman, I am not old, but far, far worse—I hate the horrid word; I am middle aged.

It is very hard to confess, but I was 35 upon my last birthday and unmarried. Not from any want of good looks, for I have, or had, more than my share. Nor did I lack admirers, for until lately they were numerous. There is not much comfort in quoting "a man is as old as he feels, a woman as old as she looks." Still I can recall the incredulity with which my pretty niece regarded me when I met her advice about a most bewitching and becoming, but, alas! too youthful hat, with a bland statement of my years. With a curious stare at me, she answered, "Well, but, Aunt Barbara, you never look more than 25, so that it really does not matter." Still the dreadful fact remains—I am 35.

Before I lose the spirit of subdued meekness to which Jane's candid statements have reduced me I will tell over my "lost chances," as she mercilessly recounted them.

"Ever since you were 18 or so, Aunt Barbara," began Jane, "you have turned up your nose at and snubbed every one of your lovers, and of course other girls married them. There was George Mackenzie, tall, good looking, jolly and in an excellent position."

Here I lose myself in a reminiscence of George and break in with the words, "Do you remember the night he told us of his visit to Spain and his experience with the donkeys?"

Instantly Jane crushes me with the remark, "I am thinking of how a big donkey treated him, and I can see his haggard, drawn face as he said 'Good-by' to us so suddenly one summer evening."

And my heartstrings tighten as I, too, remember that night, which was the last of my happy girlish ignorance. For next day brought with it a story, which they tried to keep from me, but I learned of his disgrace, his sin and his cowardly flight to escape it all. Thus did my hero fall.

"I always thought it strange he never wrote to you," continued Jane. But I did not tell her of the letter that years ago I had cried over for two long nights, then burned unopened.

"Leaving out Willie Trail," Jane's merciless voice begins again, "he was too young for you, and therefore doesn't count. Then there was Frank Smith, the ugly, but clever literary man. You know, Aunt Barbara, you did not treat him well, for you really induced him to dance after you and read original poems to you for a whole year. Then you allowed the little red haired girl to marry him."

"Yes," I am goaded into answering, "and she was welcome to take him." He was too domineering, and I felt that if he improved my mind much more it would have been improved out of existence. "My dear Jane, you don't know how I enjoyed myself after that year of culture?"

"Nonsense!" retorts Jane. "You would not have had to keep it up after you married him." But I think of Frank's strong, ugly face and secretly hug myself over that "last chance."

"Then there was the Rev. Septimus Green," went on candid Jane. "You know, Aunt Barbara, you might have married him."

"Jane," I exclaim, "he preached at me from the pulpit!" But Jane merely answers, "He would not have done it after you married him, and if he did select texts and apply them to you it only showed his eagerness."

I could not see the force of her reasoning, and, with some asperity, assured her that I looked upon this "last chance" as a lucky escape.

"After him came Harry Summers," she resumes in a very reproachful tone, and I am goaded into asking her if she has been keeping a diary; but, disregarding my gibe, she continues:

"I met him in Buchanan street the other day, and he is getting fat. I never could understand what you quarreled about, for you were certainly treating him better than any of the others when it all stopped."

I gaze away from her pretty, matronly figure and think, as my hands tighten their clasp on each other, of that weary, weary time when it "all stopped."

It was just about the time of Jane's wedding, and Ned, her husband, who never liked Harry, said that my lover had boasted of his being acceptable to me on account of his father's wealth. How could I ever have believed him guilty of such a contemptible remark? Yet I did so and cut him dead in the street. I will never forget how he looked as I gazed straight at him, then passed on. That is 12 years ago, and I have seen him exactly seven times since then.

The last time was quite recently. One day I happened to enter a car and sat down beside him. He looked up from his paper, but I was gazing out at the opposite window. After a long glance he looked down again, but, with a guilty joy, I saw that one paragraph held his eyes all the way. Even then it was not too late, if I had only spoken; but, no, I was determined to be a fool, and when I reached my street left the car seemingly unconscious of his presence.

I am conscious that I have never given him a chance to explain, but the only comfort I have—and it is a slight one—he has never married. But has he forgotten it all, or does he, as I do, think of the old, happy times with regret?

But I am brought back to a sense of the present by Jane pronouncing a new name with special emphasis. While I have been lost in the past she has been piling up my iniquities in the shape of every man with whom I have been on friendly terms during the last ten years, including the poor unfortunate who ran away from his bride. In vain I declare that I was not to blame. Jane calmly informs me that I encouraged him and that people talked.

Of course people will talk, but I have no qualms of conscience. Still Jane goes on, and at last she has reached Mr. Carson. I wince at the name, for here I have a guilty feeling that I am not quite free from blame.

My pride had been piqued by his evident indifference, and I had laid myself out to be agreeable, with the result that we are now very good friends.

But Jane comes in again with her merciless common sense and sums it up thus:

"He is your last chance." (How I hate the word!) "He is not bad looking, is clever, sensible and in a comfortable position. Besides, he is only two months younger than yourself, which is practically no difference."

"Poor Mr. Carson!" I ventured to put in. "Is he 35 too?" But nothing would stop Jane or turn her from her purpose.

"You have only to give him a little encouragement," she went on, "and if you don't the widow will marry him. Remember, you are no longer young." (Ye gods, here it is again!) "Your beauty is going off, and in another year you will be quite stout. Encourage him a little, just as I used to do with Ned. With your experience"—

But at this stage the worm turns. I can bear no more, and with the refrain, "Your last chance," ringing in my ears, the door is closed, and I am left alone.

What am I to do? Ought I to take Mr. Carson, my "last chance?" Or shall I go on making a fool of myself over a man whom I have not spoken to for the last 12 years? Poor Harry! Why was I so obdurate?

Next afternoon, with Jane's candid, even cruel, expression, "last chance," still ringing in my ears, I went out to make a few purchases. At the corner of our street I stepped into a car, when, oh, horror, whom should I sit down beside but Harry Summers!

He looked at me very hard, but I stared straight out at the opposite window. Unluckily, my umbrella dropped on the floor. Instantly he picked it up, saying, "Allow me, Miss Watson."

I thanked him and stole a glance at his face.

"Charming weather?" he remarked.

"It's dreadfully wet," I returned. "I mean it's delightful!" I gasped in horror at my mistake, for the day was lovely. My veil was down, fortunately, and might hide my blushes, but I had no time to recover myself, when he said, with the utmost audacity:

"We have not met so much of late, Miss Watson? Can you tell me if that is your fault or mine?"

I was quite taken aback by his question, but managed to articulate the only word I could think of—"No!"

At this moment the car stopped, and then I thought of Jane, and with a smile and a pleasant "Good morning" hurried out. Scarcely had I reached the pavement when Harry was at my side with the words:

"Your umbrella, Miss Watson," which I had most unfortunately left in the car.

Again I thought of Jane, the merciless, and smiled and thanked him in quite a friendly way, expecting that he would hurry after his car. Instead of that he walked on at my side and began talking as if we had been meeting every day for months back. I must admit, even if Jane were here, that I forgot everything and became quite happy.

At a jeweler's window I stopped to admire a lovely diamond bracelet, when Harry said, "I never pass this shop without remembering something that happened long ago."

I glanced up in his face, the hot blood mounting to my cheeks, for I felt the crisis had come.

"Twelve years ago I bought a ring in that shop. Would you like to see it, Miss Watson?" he asked.

I thought of the horrid words "last chance," and looking up in his face answered with a very faint "Yes."

Taking a small case from his pocket, he opened it and held it before my eyes.

I could not but admire the ring, for it was lovely. Then Harry said: "Barbara, it was meant for you. Try if it will fit you now."

"Yes, Harry," I managed to reply. I am certain that Jane herself did not give Ned more encouragement than I did Harry, for I pulled off my glove and allowed him to slip the ring on my finger, and that was all.

After a little Harry said quietly, "We have been a pair of fools."

"No," was my answer, "I have been the fool; you the victim of my folly!"

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The same afternoon, just as I had finished a cup of tea, Jane bounced into the room.

"Aunt Barbara," she said, "Mr. Carson has come to spend the evening with us, and I want you to meet him."

I could not help smiling at Jane's eagerness, and, leaning back in my chair, assured her that I was not equal to going out.

"Why, aunt, I never saw you looking so well. You look quite young tonight," she continued.

"The result of being happy, my dear," was my quiet reply.

Jane for once was puzzled. "Were you out today, and did you meet some one?" To her two questions I quietly replied, "Yes."

Jane opened her eyes wide. "And, oh, Harry Summers!" she gasped.

"Yes, Jane, dear, I have had a lucky escape from my "last chance."

But Jane, the practical, was not convinced. "Mr. Carson might not have asked you, after all, you know," she says, "and Aunt Barbara, you were wise to accept Harry, for really it might have been your last chance."—Scottish Nights.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR.

Topic For the Week Beginning Jan. 17. Comment by Rev. S. H. Doyle.

TOPIC.—Revivals at home and in mission fields.—II Chron. xxx, 13-27. (A missionary topic.)

This chapter tells the story of a remarkable revival. It was brought about under the direction of Hezekiah, the good king of Israel, who had succeeded Ahab, the wicked king. The story really occupies the twenty-ninth as well as the thirtieth chapter. It places before us in an interesting and striking manner the characteristics of a revival in religion, whether at home or on mission fields. Taking in the whole story, we find these characteristics to be:

1. A consciousness of need. Hezekiah realized this need. God had been neglected. He had been forsaken. The doors of the temple had been closed, the lamps put out and neither incense was burned nor burnt offerings offered. The consciousness of need is a necessary element to a true revival in religion. Men must be made to feel their need of a Saviour before they will come to Him to be saved.

2. Preparatory steps. 1. The first step was reformation among the religious leaders. Hezekiah summoned the priests and Levites and ordered them to sanctify themselves. A revival must begin with God's people in the first place. This is what revival means—a reviving of those who are already Christians. Awaken the church and the world will be awakened. Revive the saint and the sinner will easily and speedily be revived. 2. Obstacles overcome. There will always be apparent obstacles in the way of a revival. The regular time for the passover, which was to be used in reviving the people, had passed by a short time. Many would argue that they should wait the regular coming of the time again. But Hezekiah believed that now the iron was hot and it was time to strike. So applying a law to the congregation which gave individuals the permission to keep the passover in the second month he determined to celebrate it in the second month. God's laws will point out some way of overcoming difficulties if we are sincere and in earnest. 3. Invitations were sent out. The king issued a decree calling upon the people to return to God. Some mocked it, but others heeded it. There will always be mockers and scoffers, but still the work should be done. Invitations should be given to all to come to God and to the church. Personal solicitation is a very important preparatory step to a revival. People must be brought under the influences of the gospel, and nothing will bring them quicker than a kind personal invitation.

3. The revival. The time came. God was present. The people were present. There was earnest prayer. The people turned from idols. There was spirited music. It was a great success.

Bible Readings.—II Chron. xxxv, 1-6; Isa. i, 1-18; Ezek. xxxvii, 1-14; Ps. lxxxv, 6, 7; Hos. xiv, 1-9; Joel ii, 28-32; Hab. iii, 2; Zech. iv, 6; Mal. iii, 10; Math. xxviii, 19, 20; Luke xv, 1-10; John iii, 1-16; Acts ii, 1-47; Acts iii, 19-21.

SUBJECTS OF PRAYER.

Suggested For Christian Endeavor Prayer Chain.

JANUARY—FOR THE CONVERSION OF THE WORLD.

Pray that the beginning of the new year may witness the beginning of a universal revival of religion. Pray for a great manifestation of the power of the Holy Spirit throughout the world, and that the unsaved everywhere may be turned to Christ.

FEBRUARY—FOR ARMENIA.

Pray that Armenia may be spared further persecution, and that a way to prosperity may be opened to the thousands left destitute by the Turk.

MARCH—FOR OUR CHURCHES.

Pray that churches may be filled with the evangelizing spirit of Christ; that the members may dwell together in Christian unity and service; that they may loyally uphold the pastors' hands, and that the great mission of the church in winning men and training them into Christlikeness may be fulfilled.

APRIL—FOR UNSAVED FRIENDS AND RELATIVES.

Pray that the members of our own families may be won for Christ, and that Christians may be faithful in witnessing to them for the Master. Pray for the unsaved friends and relatives of others.

MAY—FOR THE CAUSE OF TEMPERANCE.

Pray that the drink traffic everywhere may be destroyed, and that all Christians may labor together for this end.

JUNE—FOR UNIVERSAL PEACE.

Pray that war everywhere may give way to arbitration, and that Christian nations may become examples of fellowship and mutual toleration.

Floating Endeavor.

Two English merchantmen recently stopping in San Diego harbor were visited systematically by the local Endeavorers, with the result that before the ships left port an officer on each and 19 men on one and 12 on the other had confessed Christ. A prayer circle was formed on each ship.

Having Their Own Way.

If you could have your own way, you would speedily ruin yourself and do great harm to all that stand in close relation to you.—American Friend.

Much Easier.

How often is it found easier to teach 20 what were good to be done than to be one of 20 to follow our own teachings!—Presbyterian Messenger.

Hardly Consistent.

The man who is too poor to buy a newspaper is generally rich enough to take his whole family to the circus.—Christian Instructor.

Christian Magnanimity.

To have the advantage of an enemy and yet abstain from using it is to display true Christian magnanimity.—American Friend.

OUR NEW YORK LETTER.

The City Has Little Use For Mediocrity. Solving the Servant Girl Problem—A Pretty Custom.

[Special Correspondence.]

Thousands of persons come to New York every year from all portions of the country to seek their fortunes. They seem to think that it is an easy matter to rise here, where there are so many opportunities. Of course they fail to consider that there are also a great many people here ready to snap up the opportunities as they present themselves. Still some do succeed, and the success of one is sufficient to bring a horde more who fondly hope for the same result. An enormous proportion of the persons who regard New York as the Mecca where greatness is lying around loose, fairly importuning passersby to pick it up, are women. Most of these upon arrival here seek employment as typewriters or copyists, and a considerable number of them drift, or attempt to drift, into journalism. In almost every case failure results, and the disappointed ones return to their country homes sadder and wiser and with a surfeit of New York life. This is perhaps the worst city in the world for the exploitation of mediocrity. Of course transcendent ability will be recognized here, as anywhere else, but New York has no room for commonplaces. She has too many of her own to be willing to make room for strangers.

Plenty of Room For Domestics.

Still there is a constant demand for one class of country girls here. The supply has never yet been adequate to supply it. I refer to competent servant girls. Young women from the rural districts are always given the preference by housekeepers because they are more reliable and willing than the domestics who are city raised. The wages paid run from $12 up to almost any figure for nurses or general houseworkers, while expert cooks get a great deal more. As there is no expense for board or washing, a comparatively comfortable living is assured, which may be also a very pleasant one if one happens to secure employment with a good family at the head of which is a considerate mistress. There are thousands of these places going begging every day, and the most serious problem in this city for married people is the servant girl puzzle. It is getting more unsolvable, too, every day.

A Scheme That Raised Wages.

A unique organization to overcome this increasing difficulty has recently been tried here with some success. A large number of ladies got together and made a list of the domestics then in their employ, together with those whom they had previously given up for unavoidable reasons not discreditable to the girls. All of them were told that whenever they happened to leave, provided it was done in a proper way with regard to length of notice, etc., they would receive a high rating on the books of the little society, and that employment would be found for them free of charge. Naturally the number of girls on the list has increased materially, and there are also many more patrons than at first. The scheme is working very well and will probably be found even more satisfactory when its scope shall have been somewhat broadened. The strange phase of this experiment is that, because of its weeding out of the incompetents, it has resulted in raising the standard of wages for those who are continued on the lists as efficient domestics. Brooklyn, it is said, will shortly have an organization of housekeepers on similar lines, and it is possible that in this plan may eventually be found the solution of the vexed "servant girl problem."

An Artist's Pretty Custom.

Alfred Brennan, the illustrator and painter, has a pretty custom. He not only uses his beautiful wife as a model in much of his work, but he makes it an invariable rule that once a year since their marriage he shall make a sketch or a finished painting of her. These pictures, some dozen in number, are varied in treatment and most original, all representing the subject in some peculiarly attractive pose. Mr. Brennan's marriage was highly romantic and odd. He had always, although of the auburn haired style of blond himself, had an extravagant fondness for that shade of hair which Titian loved to paint.

A friend to whom he once spoke of this fancy said that he knew of a woman of exactly that type and would introduce Brennan if he chose. He did choose, and they went that evening to call upon the lady, who was a sister of Margaret Lee, the novelist. When they left the house, Mr. Brennan remarked to the mutual friend, "I shall marry Lucy Lee."

In a month's time they were engaged, and in six weeks the acquaintances of both families received telegrams containing these words: "Alfred Brennan and Lucy Lee will be married tomorrow at the Little Church Around the Corner. Come if you can." They most of them went. The bride was radiant in an oddly artistic gown of her future husband's designing. The bridegroom was very late, because he had forgotten the wedding ring until the hour of the ceremony. And so they were married.

A Matron's Setback.

The mistress of a certain household in need of a cook was rejoiced the other afternoon by a visit from an applicant who seemed to be the embodied fulfillment of the long felt want. All that was required was to verify the references the girl gave. As one of these was near at hand, the mistress just threw on her wraps and rushed right around to interview the former mistress without stopping for ceremony. She rang the bell, and a maid appeared at the door. "I came," began the visitor, "to see about a cook." But she got no further. With indescribable hauteur and a subsequent slam of the door the maid at once interrupted, "Shure and we've got one!"

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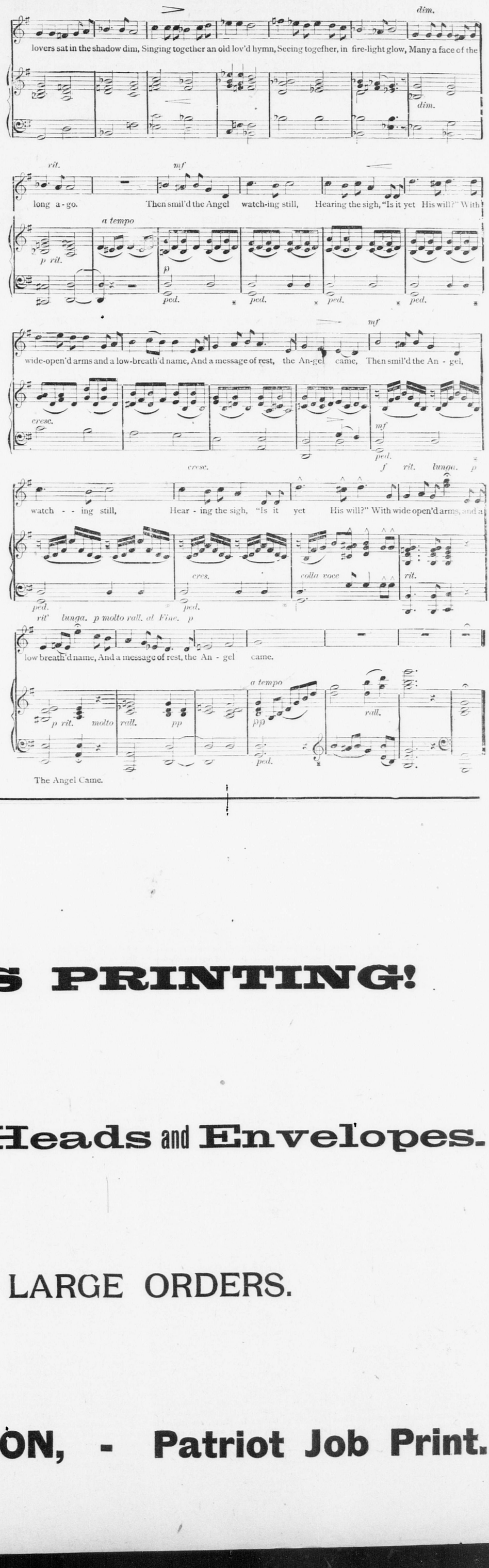
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Two Weeks' Temperature.

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	This Week.	Last Week
Sunday	43	39
Monday	42	54
Tuesday	31	59
Wednesday	20	41
Thursday	30	34
Friday	33	29
Saturday	36	28

JUNE'S MELANGE.

Some Pertinent Comments on Topics of Local Public Interest.

In the absence of the City Report, it is only in the Quincy papers that the taxpayers may look for information relative to city affairs. Why will not the editors of the LEDGER and PATRIOT do a great service to the public by carefully examining the books at City Hall, and give to the citizens every day that knowledge of the financial condition and conduct of the various departments, which it is their right to have, and which they will be glad to know and will surely appreciate. Is it not true that but few of the people understand how the city stands financially? If they are informed by the local papers will not they take more interest in public affairs and bring their influence to bear upon the City Council in the interest of economy?

THE SEWER PROBLEM.

In view of the fact that the Sewer Commissioners ask for an appropriation of $160,000 in addition to $60,000 already appropriated, *for a beginning only*, of a sewerage system, will it not be well for the Mayor and City Council to pause and consider how we stand financially, before going any further in this matter? Agreeing that a sewer is needed in some portions of the city, will it not be prudent and wise, considering the state of business and the exceeding hard times, to postpone its construction until the prospect for business improvement is more promising than it is at present?

That the times are wofully hard, no one can deny. But of a tax levy of over $300,000 for 1896, less than $200,000 has been paid into the treasury, which shows beyond question how pinched the people are for money and that they are unable to meet even the present excessive tax rate. In the water department there are thousands of dollars overdue and unpaid for the same reason, and yet it is proposed to add to the already heavy burden, an immense sum for sewers and water mains, which, while needed, can with safety be done without until more prosperous times. Not a dollar appropriated by the Council, but must be paid principal and interest by the taxpayers.

The present appropriation asked for sewer and water purposes (about $250,000) represent in addition to the principal, a yearly interest charge of $10,000. This, if payable in twenty-five years will add $1.50 per thousand to our present tax rate, excepting only the decrease in interest as the principal is paid off. When it is borne in mind that the $220,000 already asked for (and part of it appropriated) is to pay for but a small portion of the whole scheme, the City Council may well hesitate to proceed at present.

In addition to the amount of the sewer cost, there is another very large expenditure which will fall upon the people; that is the cost of connecting with the sewer and plumbing and ventilating every fixture. Considering the fact that Quincy is almost the healthiest city in the United States; that it is already heavily in debt; that its tax rate and valuation are both excessive, and that the times are so hard, it can but be desired that the Council will not grant these appropriations at the present time, but will wait for a more favorable condition of trade.

PUBLIC DOCUMENTS.

The public books and documents now stored at City Hall, are of such great value for purposes of record that they ought not to be left practically unprotected from fire and other damage. Many of them could not be replaced if destroyed. This matter should receive the immediate attention of the Mayor.

STREET RAILWAY.

The Quincy and Boston Street Railway out of regard for the public at large and their own welfare, ought not to abandon the project of double tracking their road from the Centre to Neponset bridge. There will be ample time to petition the City Council for a location for double tracks, before the building season opens, and this petition will undoubtedly be granted without any but the usual fair restrictions for paving between the rails and eighteen inches outside. The coming year will be one of cheap excursions in electric cars by thousands of people who cannot afford more expensive recreation. The immense unmber of passengers who will desire to use this connecting link to Boston, ought not be left to the uncertaintity of a single track and turnouts.

BREVITIES.

The people will be pleased when Chief Williams is thoroughly recovered and at his post of duty. The services of no man in the employ of the city, are more appreciated than are his.

Did any man know which was the best way to make sewer assessments after hearing Mr. Snow or reading his lecture.

"JUNE."

BIG SCORES.

The Quincys Win in a Closely Contested Match.

There was some good bowling last night on the Quincy alleys in the bottle pin games, and Quincy carried off the honors, not only defeating the South Bostons by a score of 2,420 to 2,412, but by bowling the highest in totals of any game bowled last night. In single strings Bartlett of South Boston was high man with 205 and Wheeler of Quincy a good second with 200. In totals Bartlett also led with 519 and Wheeler was second with 512.

But four games in the league were bowled last night the other scores being as follows:

Boylston, 2,252; Murray & Irwin, 2,228. Sherman, 2,263; Shawmut, 2,207. Columbia, 2,180; McCarthys, 2,081.

The full score of the Quincy-South Boston game was as follows:

QUINCY.

Bowler.	1	2	3	Total	st	sp	ms
Fratus,	168	134	150	452	7	10	11
Lennon,	138	180	172	490	7	11	7
Ross,	150	141	179	470	6	12	8
Wheeler,	154	158	200	512	7	14	6
Peverley,	172	173	151	496	7	14	4
Team totals,	782	786	852	2420	34	61	36

SOUTH BOSTON.

Bowler,	1	2	3	Total	st	sp	ms
Clack,	169	148	162	470	8	6	3
Bergood,	146	140	188	474	11	2	10
Bartlett,	205	154	165	519	11	9	4
Gumbright,	141	177	184	502	10	8	9
Berlo,	118	184	145	447	4	12	7
Team total,	770	803	839	2412	44	37	31

Installation of Officers.

A social good time was had last evening by Quincy lodge, N. E. O. P., some seventy members being present, and visitors from Columbia lodge, No. 28, and Ocean lodge of Beachmont. The following officers were installed by Deputy Grand Warden Volney F. Mitchell and suite of Ocean lodge. Several applications for membership were received and collation served. Dancing closed the evening's enjoyment.

The officers:

Junior Past Warden,—Charles W. Garey, M. D.
Warden,—Melville C. Holmes.
Vice Warden,—Isabel A. Souther.
Secretary,—I. M. Holt.
Financial Secretary,—Wesley Walsh.
Chaplain,—Mary A. H. Crane.
Treasurer,—Lois J. Davidson.
Guide,—Addie G. Holton.
Guardian,—Beatrice H. Porterfield.
Sentinel,—Onslow Q. Ball.
Master for 3 years,—Walter H. Cobb.

Rebekahs Installed.

Amana Rebekah lodge, No. 96, I. O. O. F., held its regular meeting Thursday evening in Odd Fellows' hall, South Braintree. The principal business of the evening was the initiation of one candidate and the installing of the officers for the current year, by Mrs. Mary A. Wilbur, D. D. G. M., and suite, of Golden Star lodge, of Randolph, in the following order:

P. G.,—Christiana Dyke
N. G.,—Louise C. Boyer
V. G.,—Margaret V. Carmichael
Secretary.—Lizzie W. Page
Financial Secretary,—M. Jennie Daviss
Treasurer,—M. Lizzie Furnald
Warden,—Nettie Whitcomb
Conductor,—Elida N. Stevens
Chaplain,—Lizzie A. Monk
R. S. N. G.,—Eliza A. Hobart
L. S. N. G.,—Ella A. Thayer,
R. S. V. G.,—Mary Kelley
L. S. V. F.,—Florence Litchfield
I. G.,—Lizzie L. Porter

Speech making was next in order, which was listened to by a large gathering. A number of visitors were present from Carrie E. Ruggles' lodge, of Wollaston, Reliance, of Neponset and Golden Star, of Randolph. The work was performed in a very able manner. A fine turkey supper, served by six of the brothers, was heartily enjoyed, which closed one of Amana lodges' famous and enjoyable evenings.

Murray Appointed.

The anxiety that has been felt in certain circles as to who would receive the appointment as a permanent patrolman to fill the position created by the amendment of the ordinance was settled last night when Mayor Adams announced the appointment of special officer James W. Murray, who has been assigned to the beat patrolled by the late Michael J. Canavan.

The Morning Alarm.

The alarm from Box 446 at 6.45 this morning, was pulled in for a small fire in the office of George L. Miller, on Miller street. The fire, however, was little more than smoke or steam, and as the department were unable to find any fire, the recall was sounded promptly.

Q. H. S. REUNION.

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men of the city, the women who interest themselves in reforms and educational questions, the teachers in the common schools. all these the High schools undertake to prepare for life.

Understand me, I do not mean the *great* leaders, the *great* scholars, or the great reformers, neither do I mean the professional folk, the colleges and universities claim these although the High school had its influence in shaping the career of many of them. But, I do mean the men and the women who have local influence, who are looked up to by their immediate neighbors, the men who hold city offices and the women who do the organized charity work which is such a feature of our present life, all these pass through the High school and carry its influence into the community wherein they dwell. They are from no one class, they may be children of a patriotic millionaire, who insists that the public schools are good enough for him, or they may be from homes where a hand-to-hand fight for bare existence goes on daily, they may be of foreign parentage, or they may trace back to the Mayflower, but they make a class when they enter upon the business of life with their diplomas in their hands, a class which represents no monied interest no political interest, a class which has affiliations with all interests and represents all interests.

The university-bred may be the prophets, but it is the High school graduates who must interpret their teachings to the people. It is not from the great political leader, but from the newspaper and the stump speaker that the average man gets his politics.

Without for one instant depreciating the great influence for good which our colleges and universities exercise, we may yet concede that the social aspect or complexion of a town or a city depends largely upon the character and disposition of the men and the women who owe their formal education to the High school. [For present purposes all free secondary schools are included under this head.]

If then, the High school has its definite office to perform, if it should mould our leaders for us, what should we demand from it as a fulfilment of its duty, or to put it differently what should we be willing to accept, and what should we reject, in order that our future leaders may be symmetrically developed?

It is a great question, a question of too much moment to be easily answered, but we may demand a few things, most earnestly and reject some others most decidedly even in a very short space of time.

In the first place we can and we do demand that the boy or girl who does not expect to go to college shall have equal opportunities with the one who does, that never, under any circumstances shall superior teaching or extra opportunities be meted out to the pupil who is preparing for college at the expense of the pupil who is nursing a so-called general, or commercial course. That our own High school does not commit this injustice is a subject for congratulation, and we must look to it that it never does.

Then, we can, and we do, demand that the English language shall have an honorable place in the curriculum of our school, that the spirit of the school shall be such, that to misuse the mother-tongue will be a disgrace, and to acquire a free and elegant diction, the highest distinction, a distinction more to be valued than high marks in any foreign language; indeed, we question if any pupil who cannot or does not use his own language fluently and well can deserve a high mark in a lesson in another language, since remarkable linquistic ability should certainly discover itself through the most flexible medium, and it is safe to assume that High school pupils know more English, whatever its quality, than Latin, Greek, French or German.

Besides the ability to speak and write their own language well, we demand that the treasures of that language be opened to the pupils that they enter into the rich inheritance which we claim with other English speaking people. It is not wise to take it for granted that pupils will read an author because they are told where he was born, when he died, and what he wrote. The bookish boy and girl may be lead to go farther, but the average boy and girl will be contented with the entry in their note-books. The High School can give to its pupils no greater good than a genuine love for literature, and we look to our High School to do this for us.

Further, we can, and we do demand that world history shall be so taught that our future leaders may know through what struggles our present civil liberty has been won. (I don't mean the Revolutionary war!) Civil Government is taught, in a necessarily narrow way in our grammar schools, but Civil Government should be taught to the student in the High School in such a broad way as to show him his place and his duty as a citizen of the world as well as a citizen of a city in the United States. This much we demand for every pupil, whatever his future. If the fluent use of English can be acquired best through the study of a foreign language, well and good, but the High Schools must assure us that it is acquired. Subjects so important as English Literature and History should not be elective, the student whom the community is educating should be obliged to study those subjects for the future good of that community.

After this our demands cease. The parting of the ways has come, and it is for the students or their parents with the help of the teachers to choose whether they will spend four years in gaining an entrance, and an entrance only through that gateway which leads to the wealth of antiquity, or whether they will actually enter into and abide in that great domain of modern culture which exists about us today.

Two or three hundred years ago there would have been no choice, at that time a man who would be educated must perforce know Latin and Greek in order to have access to the existing literature of the world.

Thirty years ago the college-bred man who acknowledged that there was a choice, was rare, and today, the tradition is so strong in our midst, that when we say that a man has enjoyed a liberal education we mean that he has studied Latin and Greek.

But the time is coming when the study of modern thought, modern literature and modern languages, the sciences and the arts will be as honorable and as profitable as the study of ancient languages and literature.

It is literally true that no man can "know it all" in these days, he must elect along what lines he will pursue his education, and to many minds the lines which lead through the life of today seem most alluring.

When the superintendent and the School Committee, away back in the seventies, took so many of the old studies out of the course in the Quincy High school, I suppose they had some idea of substituting modern for ancient culture, but unfortunately for us who were graduated in the succeeding years, they took away the old, and did not put in the new. It was years before our High School recovered from that blow; its pupils during those years can never recover from it. We look back upon the poverty of the course and we feel that only the personality and the culture of the teachers saved the time from being actually wasted.

Our present High school in its beautiful home offers to the young people of Quincy opportunities as great as any private school in the land. So far as it goes, for Quincy cannot afford to maintain a college, the education at our High school is as good as money can buy.

And now it is for us, as graduates, so to mould public opinion, so to stand behind our High school, so to defend it when it is attacked, and so to demand of it, lest it weaken, that it may be the back-bone of our community, the one firm, strong thing which gusts of popular opinion cannot sway, which politics cannot touch, nor sectarian prejudice injure, an institution which shall send forth the young men and young women disciplined in mind and heart, to take high places in our midst, places which, so filled, will leave no room for the demagogue and the self-seeker.

Let us see to it that we do our duty, and so make our Alumni Association stand for something.

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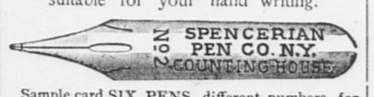
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"Mind you behave today
And don't get into mischief or
Play pranks while I'm away.

"I'm only going down the street
To number twenty-three
To see Miss Mouser, and perhaps
I shan't be back for tea."

But scarcely had their mother left
When Tib and Tab begin
To turn the house quite upside down
And make a fearful din.

They first dress up as Mrs. Scratch,
But quickly tire of that.
So other naughty antics soon
Engage each pussy cat.

They drag into the drawing room
An old board and a box.
"What a fine seesaw!" they exclaim.
"How splendidly it rocks!"

Alas, a pair of hidden nails
Catch in their borrowed clothes,
And how they are to free themselves
Nor Tib nor Tabby knows.

Meanwhile Miss Mouser and her guest
Pass time in pleasant chat
About such things as interest
The mind of every cat—

Why muzzled dogs aren't always seen,
Why mice are caught in traps,
Why cats' meat men call once a day,
Sometimes not that perhaps.

At last: "I really must go now.
My kitties wait for me.
They will be wondering, I'm sure,
What has become of me.

"Goodby, my dear," says Mrs. Scratch,
"Or, rather, won't you come
And see how Tib and Tab behave
When I'm away from home?

"Such kits as these you seldom find,
So quiet and so good.
They always do what they are told
And act as pussies should."

"If that's the case," Miss Mouser says,
"I'll come with you, my dear."
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What happened next perhaps you'll guess.
'Twas rather sad, I fear.

Only a Piece of String.

To a hunter or fisherman a piece of stout string, such as is used to tie up heavy bundles, is often of great value. If the fishing rod breaks, the string mends it again. Should the gunstock break, the string is invaluable. If a pack basket strap fails, a string takes its place. A tear in a tent is sewed up with string. Game is hung out of reach of animals with string. A lost man makes snares out of string and catches birds and rabbits enough to keep him from going hungry. Likewise a stout string will serve as a fishing line in the absence of regular tackle. A boat can be anchored with a rock and cord. A raft is easily made with a string and three or six logs, according to the size, and many a skin boat is sewed with rawhide strings.

With a piece of string in his pocket, no man need starve or lack for sport, though lost and 40 miles from anybody. He can break off a branch, make a bow, use a slender sapling for an arrow and shoot game as the Indians did. Fire may be started in an unraveled string by striking sparks into it from two hard rocks. A very important use of a string is stopping the flow of blood from a wound. A strip of bark, with a round stone to press into the artery and a string to tie tight over the bark, has saved many lives and will save more. The strip of bark prevents the string from cutting the flesh. In case of a broken leg, a bark sheaf and a string keep the bones in place.

Restless Giants.

The elephant is so bulky that we can hardly believe that he is really a most restless creature, and the natives have a saying that "an elephant's shoulder is never still." An English writer mentions a curious instance of their restless habits as noted by a sea captain in whose steamer 40 elephants had been shipped. The vessel was anchored in a perfectly smooth sea off the coast of Zanzibar; but, to the great surprise of the passengers, the steamer began to roll. At first they supposed the motion to be caused by the ground swell, but when the motion kept increasing there was general alarm, and the captain made an inspection of the ship. Then it was revealed that the elephants had in some way found that by swaying to and fro all together a rocking motion was produced, which seemed to please them immensely. So the great heads and bodies rolled and swung in unison, until the steamer, which had no other cargo and rolled light, was in imminent danger of rolling clean over. The drivers were hurried down into the hold, and after a great deal of shouting and thumping they made the elephants "break step," so to speak, and thus stopped their dangerous amusement.

A Visit to France.

Richard Obadiah Vance
Thought he'd like to visit France,
Packed his bag, and off he set,
Hoping he much fun would get.

Richard Obadiah Vance,
When he set his foot in France,
Found not any in the land
What he meant could understand.

Some one stole his bag and ran.
Richard tried to chase the man.
Gendarmes stopped Dick, made him stay,
So the thief got quite away.

Richard's feelings were much hurt.
Stolen was his Sunday shirt.
Toothbrush, slippers, were gone too.
What could woeful Richard do?

As once more he crossed the sea
Very sick and sad was he,
For the sea was high and rough,
And he soon had had enough.

When the ship drew near to shore,
All his griefs he felt were o'er.
Very gladness made him dance,
Richard Obadiah Vance.

Lyonnaise Potatoes.

Chop a small onion and fry it slowly in 2 tablespoonfuls of butter. When slightly colored, add about 3 cupfuls of cold potatoes, sliced or diced. Sprinkle over them a little salt and pepper, a tablespoonful each of chopped parsley and lemon juice. Stir carefully with a fork till all the potatoes are buttered and hot, but not browned.

TO THE PATRONS

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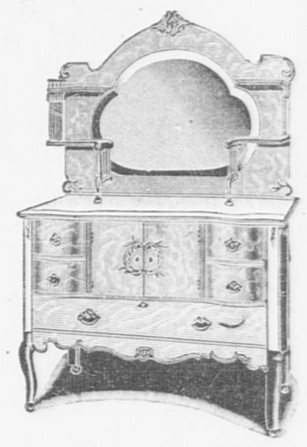
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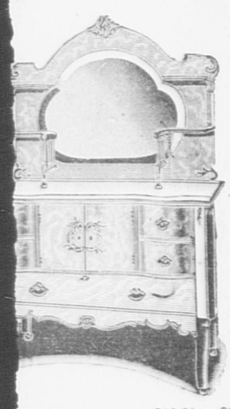
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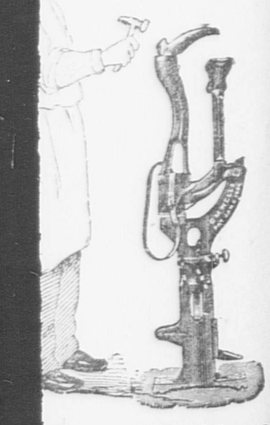
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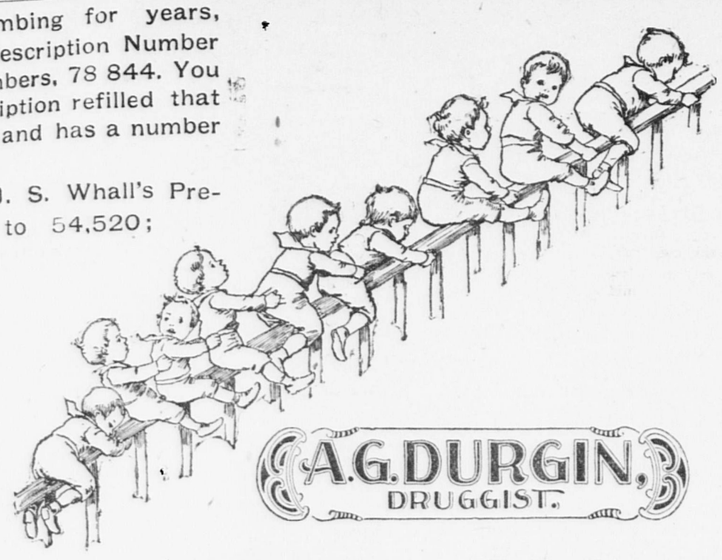


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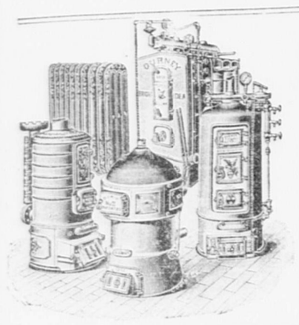
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Julius Johnson is building two houses on Cranch hill for speculation.

Mr. G. H. Sampson is the new proprietor of the Wollaston steam laundry.

Miss Nina Fuller of the Point has taken the position of bookkeeper at the store of H. M. White at Braintree.

"Leah, the Forsaken," will be presented at Hancock hall on Wednesday evening by the Holbrook Dramatic Company.

Chief Engineer Williams report the loss by fire in Quincy, during the year 1896, to have been $21,000.

The carpenter work on Andrew Mischler's house on Cranch hill is completed and all ready for the painters.

One of the shoes taken from the store in Braintree by burglars Thursday night was found this morning on the railroad track near Verchild by a boy named Hadden.

A lady has offered the First United Presbyterian church, which worships in Wilson's hall, a lot of land at South Quincy, which the trustees have accepted thankfully.

TODAY'S COURT.

The court rendered its finding in the case certain goods seized from Carmine P. Gardner at Atlantic which were claimed by George H. DeHuff. The court ordered the two sashes returned to Gardner and the horse, farm wagon, stove and plough delivered to DeHuff. An appeal was taken by Gardner.

Charles Roundbeller was arraigned for assault on Charles M. Hall, with a horse shoe, at Cohasset. The court found probable cause to believe Roundbeller guilty and held him in $300 for the grand jury.

—If any doctor who has been in active practice for twenty years could collect all the money that is owed to him, he could retire with a fortune says the Somerville Journal. If any newspaper publisher, who has been in the business twenty years could collect all that was due him, he would think he had a fortune, if it was not as large as the doctor's.

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Is especially true of Hood's Pills, for no medicine ever contained so great curative power in so small space. They are a whole medicine chest, always ready, always efficient, always satisfactory; prevent a cold or fever, cure all liver ills, sick headache, jaundice, constipation, etc. 25c. The only Pills to take with Hood's Sarsaparilla.
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BRAINTREE.

Car No. 15, on the Randolph line, in charge of conductor Stoddard and Motorman Oliver, broke an axle Thursday morning but the car was promptly stopped and no one was hurt.

The little difficulty in the arrangement of seats last Wednesday night at the concert will not occur again.

Miss Tirrell, a Weymouth teacher, who is on a leave of absence, is substituting for Miss Thayer at the Union school, whowas called out by the sickness and death of her father.

Two cases of diphtheria are reported on Shaw avenue.

The selectmen are very busy getting ready for the annual report.

Mr. John Coughlin has accepted a position as fireman at the Braintree & Weymouth power station.

Rev. A. A. Ellsworth of the First church and Rev. C. H. Walter of the M. E. church, will exchange pulpits tomorrow.

The Knights of Pythias will install officers next Monday night. Dyonetius lodge of Campello will work the third degree. District Deputy Grand Chancellor, R. C. Doten of Brockton, will install the officers.

Mr. Josiah Warren Thayer, another old and respected citizen, died at his home on Pond street Thursday morning.

Mrs. Ashie, wife of Thomas Lang, died at the home of her father, Mr. James Wilson, in East Braintree, Jan. 13. Mrs. Lang has been in ill health for a long time.

The Braintree orchestra played at the reception given in West Quincy, Monday evening, to Rev. Father Cuff.

A large party from Braintree Council of Royal Arcanum attend public installation of Webster Council of Randolph on Thursday night.

Those who were present at the Union Choral concert were much pleased with the programme. In the past Braintree has stood in the first ranks as a singing community, and it is pleasant to have the old times back again.

The Thirty associates met this week and elected their officers. Mr. L. W. Thayer was chosen for president; H. A. Simonds, secretary; and H. S. Bates, treasurer. They will probably have their annual dance March 26th.

The band concert netted about $100.

Doctor Samuel Ellsworth is at home for a few days.

Another well has been driven at the pumping station.

Hundreds of people have been skating on the meadows this week.

The fire companies are to be reduced from fifteen men to twelve each.

The ladies of Universalist society will hold a novel social in G. A. R. hall next Tuesday evening.

Mr. E. C. Wellington has moved from Washington street to Readville and will make his home there.

Burglars in Braintree.

About two o'clock Friday morning while Officer Gallivan was going his rounds he heard the sound of broken glass in the direction of Mrs. Frampton's Dry Goods store. He hastened to the spot and found that an attempt had been made to enter a window and that failing in this, the would be burglars broke the glass in a rear door, but evidently became frightened as they were not to be seen when the officer reached the spot. Had it not been for the fact that Mr. Gallivan was on hand, a large haul might have been made.

Three strangers have been seen hanging around in the neighborhood of late, two dressed as tramps and one dressed up like a gentleman of leisure. They were seen, it is said, in communication with each other and it is thought they may have been the culprits. A detective is at work on the case.

Thayer Academy.

Prof. Gallagher has come recently from Williston Academy to take Prof. Sewall's place, from which he resigned after nineteen years' of service. Prof. Sewall was a learned man, dignified, and honorable, but his heart didn't melt enough for him to get down where the boys and girls were.

But we think Prof. Gallagher is a man of far different temperament, and wishes to be in touch with his school—their desires, their needs, their wishes—and if allowed the liberty which a principal should enjoy, will make Thayer Academy one of the most popular academies in this State.

The question remains, however, can he overcome the exclusiveness of an ice bound board and admit the people—those who are parents and would send their sons and daughters to Thayer did they best know the excellencies of the institution.—*Randolph Register.*

HOOD'S PILLS cure Liver Ills, Biliousness, Indigestion, Headache. A pleasant laxative. All Druggists.

—Moses F. Gay of Stoughton was found dead on his door step Tuesday night.

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Take laxative Bromo QuinineTablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. 25c.

DIED.

OSBORNE—In Quincy, Jan. 15, Mr. Joseph Osborne of South Boston, aged 79 years, 2 months and 27 days.
Services at the residence of Mr. W. W. Osborne, 2 Bigelow street, Monday, Jan. 18, at 2 o'clock. Burial at Hanson, Mass. Relatives and friends are invited.

THAYER—In Braintree Jan. 14, Mr. Josiah Warren Thayer, aged 85 years.

HUNTER—In Braintree, Jan. 7, Mr. Edward Hunter, aged 52 years.

LANG—In Braintree, Jan. 13, Mrs. Ashie, wife of Thomas Lang, aged 40 years, 11 months and 9 days.

Close of the Conference.

Another very satisfactory congregation assembled in the First Presbyterian church last evening. Mr. E. A. Lawrence, of the New England Evangelistic Association, preached upon "Qualifications for Work," and his words were at once a fitting crown of the conference theme, and introduction for the Evangelistic services to come. The Rev. Robert F. True, of the same association, sang two beautiful and effective gospel solos and also spoke a few words of strong commendation of the Rev. Thomas Clayton, the evangelist, whose services begin next Monday evening.

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The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers, that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.
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Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

STATE HOUSE, BOSTON, Jan. 14, 1897.

THE Committee on COUNTIES will give a hearing to parties interested in the petition of the Town of Brookline for certain amendments to the existing laws relating to the duties and liabilities of County Commissioners and County Treasurers as set forth in House Bills 18, 19, 20, 21, 22 and 23, at Room No. 425 State House, on WEDNESDAY, Jan. 20, at 10.30 o'clock A. M.

ALBERT L. HARWOOD, Chairman.
EMERY B. GIBBS,
Clerk of the Committee. 16-2t

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

NORFOLK, ss. PROBATE COURT.

TO the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin, creditors and all other persons interested in the estate of
PATRICK DONNELLY,
late of Quincy in said County, deceased, intestate.

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to John F. Merrill of said Quincy, or to some other suitable person.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Hyde Park, in said County of Norfolk, on the twenty-seventh day of January, A. D. 1897, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive, in the QUINCY DAILY LEDGER, a new-paper published in said Quincy, the last publication to be one day, at least before said Court.

Witness, George White, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this fifteenth day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.
jan16-3t 16-18-25

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

NORFOLK, ss.

TO the Honorable the Justices of the Supreme Judicial Court sitting at Dedham, within and for the County of Norfolk:

The undersigned, being all the stockholders of the W. H. Doble Company, respectfully represents that said Company was duly constituted a corporation according to the provisions of the one hundred and sixth chapter of the Public Statutes of said Commonwealth, on the second day of February, A. D., 1893, that the purpose for which said corporation was constituted was to manufacture and sell at wholesale and retail pies, cakes, puddings, candies and pastry of all kinds, and the wholesale and retail purchase and sale of groceries, provisions, meats, boots, shoes, slippers, men and women's foot wear, dry goods and men and women's furnishing goods of all kinds, and crockery, glass, china, wooden and earthen wear of all kinds; that the place within which said corporation was established was the city of Quincy, within said Commonwealth; that the capital stock of said corporation was twenty thousand dollars divided into two hundred shares of the par value of one hundred dollars each; that the said capital was fully paid in, in cash at the time of the organization; that the said business was thereafter transacted at a loss; that the corporation does not owe any debts; that a special meeting of the company held on this date, in which the entire capital stock was represented, it was unanimously voted to petition this Honorable Court for dissolution; that your petitioners desire to close the concerns of said corporation, and that reasonable cause exists therefor as set forth above.

Wherefore they pray that a decree may be made by this Honorable Court dissolving the said corporation.

Dated February 14, 1896.

Name.	Residence.	No. of Shares.
ARTHUR H. DOBLE,	Quincy, Mass.,	five.
ENOCH H. DOBLE,	Quincy, Mass.,	one hundred and ninety-five.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

NORFOLK, ss. Supreme Judicial Court.

Upon the foregoing petition it is ordered that the petitioners give notice to all persons interested, to appear before the Justices of our said Supreme Judicial Court, to be holden at Dedham, within and for said County of Norfolk, on the first Monday of March next, by causing an attested copy of said petition and of this order thereon, to be published in the QUINCY DAILY LEDGER, a newspaper published at Quincy in said County, once in a week for three successive weeks, the last publication to be thirty days at least before the said first Monday of March next, that they may then and there appear and show cause why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.

By the Court,
LOUIS A. COOK, Clerk.
Jan. 11, 1897.

A true copy of petition and of the order thereon.

Attest: R. B. WORTHINGTON,
3t 16-23-30 Assistant Clerk.

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WANTED—A situation by a Swede girl to do general housework. Call or address HANNAH JOHNSON, 22 Clark avenue, Quincy. jan14-3t

WANTED—An experienced dressmaker who can cut and fit wants a few engagements by the day. Address R. S. EMBREE, 275 Washington street, Quincy Point. j11-6t*

WANTED—Any kind of work by the day or hour. First-class cook and laundress. Apply at 54 Canal street. Quincy, Jan. 11. 6t*

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TO RENT.
Half House of 6 rooms and bath at 47 Elm street, with hot and cold water and gas. Rent, $17.00 per month.
Single House of 5 rooms on Elm Place, with city water. Rent, $10.50 per month.
Half House of 5 rooms on Baxter Place, with city water. Rent, $8.50 per month.

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AROUND THE CAPITOL.

Consideration of Private Bills Makes Dull Day In House.

Bill Introduced For Purchase of Cuba.

Committee on Pacific Cable Holds Important Session.

Washington, Jan. 16.—Yesterday was private bill day, andthe house preceedings were exceedingly dull and uninteresting. The widow of the late Major General John Gibbon was the beneficiary of one of the bills passed, carrying $100 per month, and the widow of Brevet Major General W. A. Nichols of another, carrying $75 per month. The free homestead bill, which came back to the house with senate amendments, was referred, under a ruling of the chair, to the committee on public lands.

At the evening session of the house 14 private pension bills were reported with a favorable recommendation. Among them were bills granting a pension of $50 per month to the widow of General Green Clay Smith, and $75 per month to the widow of General Henry A. Morrow. The last mentioned bill was advocated by Representative Mercer, who had the amount increased from $50 to the amount named.

Representative Spencer of Mississippi introduced a bill which follows:

"The secretary of state is hereby authorized to offer to the government of Spain a sum of money, not to exceed $200,000,000, for the purchase of the island of Cuba.

"And the sum of $10,000, or so much thereof as may be necessary to defray the expenses of pending negotiations, is hereby appropriated."

The Pacific cable project was considered again yesterday by the house committee on commerce, which listened to a statement by General Wager Swayne, in behalf of the Pacific Cable company of New Jersey, in which he is associated with Colonel Spaulding of Honolulu, Ogden Mills, James J. Hill, Abram S. Hewitt and other capitalists.

General Swayne urged the house committee to recommend the senate bill, which authorizes the postmaster general to contract for a cable from the Pacific coast to Japan, by way of the Hawaiian islands, with an annual subsidy not exceeding $160,000. A bill has been reported to the house for a subsidy of $100,000 a year to the Pacific Cable company of New York, in which James Scrymser and J. P. Morgan are interested.

The recent colonial conference, which decided upon the project of a British cable from Vancouver to Japan, by way of Australia and Honolulu, General Swayne said, endangered the success of an American enterprise, unless immediate steps were taken by congress. He urged the house to adopt a plan which would insure competition for the subsidy, believing that no bill giving a subsidy to a particular company would succeed while it was known that other responsible parties desired to bid. That part of the project of the Scrymser company which contemplates a cable from Japan to China, General Swayne held to be unnecessary, because two established cables fill that field now. Nor did he believe a cable could be finished to Honolulu within a year and Japan within 18 months, as that company offers to do. He offered in behalf of the corporation which he represents to deed Colonel Spalding's concessions from the Hawaiian government to the successful bidder under any bill which provided for competition.

Robbed Their Union.

New York, Jan. 16.—Assistant District Attorney Battle has given out the facts regarding the defalcation of funds of the Plasterers' union, and in which two arrests have been made. The men arrested are Michael Kiernan, 29 years old, and Lawrence C. Sory, a keeper in the Tombs, and a friend of the co-defendant. A third man, Timothy Sullivan, has not yet been arrested. Kiernan has made a full confession of his crime, and it was on his evidence that the indictments were found. Kiernan and Sullivan were members of the board of trustees of the union. It is a large organization, and the annual income is more than $20,000. The money was always placed in the Union Dime Savings bank and the Emigrant Savings bank. By arrangement, money could be drawn upon the order of Kiernan, as a member of the board. According to the confession, he drew out $5367, which he spent with Sullivan and Story. The money was taken in November, and two of them went south. Story is charged with having got a share of the stolen money.

Seven Men In Peril.

Menominee, Mich., Jan. 16.—Last night nine men were clinging to a block of ice a few rods square that was being driven out of Green bay into Lake Michigan by a fierce southerly gale. The wind was blowing 30 miles an hour, and carried on a zero temperature and an occasional snow squall. The men are fishermen, clad only in the none too heavy clothing worn while tending their nets, and unless the ice floe has been blown against Chamber's island or Green island, there is little possibility that they lived through the night. The doomed men are residents of the little fishing village of Menekauneo, and their wives and children and neighbors spent last night on the mountains of ice that fringe the beach, weeping. The men were all fishing, when the ice suddenly broke up, and they were carried away from shore before assistance could be rendered.

Election Declared Void.

Winnipeg, Jan. 16.—The election of Hugh John MacDonald as member of the Dominion house of commons for Winnipeg has been declared void on admissions made by his election agents. Only one witness was examined, and his testimony related to the hiring of vehicles to take voters to the polls. This is against the Canadian election law. MacDonald has entered an appeal to the supreme court.

Hub Associated Cyclers.

Boston, Jan. 16.—The annual meeting of the Associated Cycling clubs of Boston and vicinity was held last night at Young's, and F. S. McCausland was elected president after a spirited contest. The directors elected were H. C. Nickerson, A. D. Peck and J. W. Porter. The auditing committee elected were Warren Dow, G. H. G. Ferguson and C. E. Gilchrist.

SECRETARY OF STATE SHERMAN

Authoritative Announcement From Senator on Cabinet Position.

Canton, O., Jan. 16.—"I have accepted the state portfolio," said Senator John Sherman at the Fort Wayne depot a few minutes before the senator left for Washington yesterday afternoon. The senator had but a few moments before left the presence of President-elect McKinley. Concerning other matters connected with the incoming administration the senator was very reticent. Asked as to whether Mr. Hanna would be appointed senator, the senator replied that he did not know, that that was the affair entirely of Mr. Hanna and Mr. McKinley, and that he had no desire to interfere with anybody's private matters. Mr. Sherman was asked if any other cabinet officials had been settled upon by Major McKinley, and replied that he did not know of any others. Senator Sherman was in the city a little more than three hours, and all the while was at the McKinley home, where he took lunch, together with other prominent callers. The interview confirming his offer and acceptance of the premiership was given the press as he was boarding an eastbound train on the Pennsylvania railroad for Washington.

Senator Burrows, who came with Mr. Sherman, left with him. At the station the Michigan statesman said: "You can say that I had a very pleasant talk with Major McKinley."

Has General Alger been decided upon for the war portfolio?" was asked.

"I cannot say."

"You are here in the interest of General Alger, are you not, senator?"

"Yes, Major McKinley and myself talked over the situation, but as to the result I am not in a position to say. Major McKinley has a high regard for General Alger, and will give careful consideration to anything said in his favor."

Ex-Governor John D. Long of Massachusetts, whose name has been connected with the McKinley cabinet as the New England representative, held a conference with the incoming president yesterday afternoon. He left for Cleveland on the 4:30 train.

TIDE IS RISING.

Wool Market Already Shows Marked Improvement.

Boston, Jan. 16.—The Boston Commercial Bulletin today says of the wool market: The tide is rising, the first week in the year being the turning point. The large sale of Australian wool last week was the forerunner of the large sales that have followed this week. Bargain lots have all been picked up, and a general advance of 1 cent on the scoured pound established throughout the list. The demand has been general, covering fleeces as well as western unwashed wools.

All the big buyers are taking on large blocks of wool, believing that by next summer a new tariff will be in force and that purchases for future consumption are not merely safe, but profitable.

The sales of the week are 5,220,500 pounds domestic and 2,040,000 pounds foreign, against 1,737,500 pounds domestic and 1,448,000 pounds foreign last week, and 1,289,000 pounds domestic and 1,076,000 pounds foreign for the same week last year.

The sales to date show an increase of 3,239,000 pounds domestic and 910,000 pounds foreign from the sales to the same date in 1896. The receipts to date show a decrease of 3748 bales domestic and an increase of 1245 bales foreign.

Senatorial Contests.

North Carolina Populists have nominated Dr. Cyrus B. Thompson, it is claimed, to unite the opposition against Pritchard.

Henry M. Teller will be unanimously re-elected by the Colorado legislature.

The Idaho deadlock continues, with Cook two votes ahead of Dubois.

The senatorial situation in Illinois has been further complicated by the announcement of the candidacy of Congressman A. G. Hopkins of Aurora.

Completion of Public Buildings.

Washington, Jan. 16.—Secretary Carlisle has sent a letter to the postmaster general informing him of the probable time a number of public buildings now in course of erection will be completed and ready for occupancy. Following are the names of some of the cities and the probable dates of completion: Taunton, Mass., June 30, 1897; Lynn, Mass., Dec. 31, 1898; New London, Conn., Dec. 31, 1897; Pawtucket, R. I., Aug. 31, 1897.

Treaty Indorsed.

New York, Jan. 16.—The following dispatch was received yesterday: London, Jan. 15. Chamber of Commerce of New York: London Chamber of Commerce desires to express conviction that treaty just signed will tend to increase friendly feeling between two great English-speaking nations and promote extension and security of their commercial and material relations. (Signed) Convention, London.

Death of Prominent Banker.

Philadelphia, Jan. 16.—Colonel Charles H. Banes, president of the Market Street National bank, died yesterday. Colonel Banes was stricken with apoplexy last summer, and had been very ill ever since. He was 65 years old. Colonel Banes had been prominent in financial and business circles for many years. He had been president of the Market Street National bank since its organization, 10 years ago.

Thought Czar's Life In Danger.

Berlin, Jan. 16.—The Lokalanzieger publishes a dispatch from St. Petersburg reporting a lamentable incident which has occurred in the czar's presence. The czar, it seems, beckoned to a gardener who was working in the park. The guard, seeing the man running toward the czar, shot him dead, supposing that he was a would-be assailant. The czar was deeply affected by this occurrence.

Minister Resigns.

Penacook, N. H., Jan. 16.—Rev. E. G. Spencer has resigned as pastor of the Congregational church here. He came direct to the church after his graduation at Andover seminary, and his installation was delayed on account of his advanced theological views, which had caused considerable discussion in the denomination.

Rheumatism is a Foe which gives no quarter. It torments its victims day and night. Hood's Sarsaparilla purifies the blood and cures the aches and pains of rheumatism.

Hood's Pills are the best family cathartic and liver medicine. Gentle, reliable, sure.

—Massachusetts furnished 146,730 men for the war of the rebellion, and the state enumerators in June, 1895, found 39,531 old soldiers and sailors living in the state.

VICTIM OF PNEUMONIA.

United States Minister Willis Dies at Honolulu.

Washington, Jan. 16.—News was received here yesterday of the death of United States minister Albert S. Willis at Honolulu on Jan. 6. Pneumonia, contracted in San Francisco last April, while the minister and his family were on a visit home, was the immediate cause of death.

On Oct. 31, while leaving church, Minister Willis' horse ran away, and he was thrown out. He never left his home after the accident, which increased the fever and brought on the fatal illness.

The remains will be brought home by the steamer Australia, which sailed from Honolulu the 13th inst. President Cleveland is much grieved over the death of Mr. Willis, who he esteemed very highly.

Albert Sydney Willis was born near Shelbyville, Ky., about 55 years ago. He was the son of a well known physician. When Albert was 12 years of age his father died. After a short widowhood Mrs. Willis married J. L. Clemmons, a Louisville attorney, and came to that city to live. Albert was sent to the public schools. Later he entered the high school and took the full five years' course, graduating with distinction.

After graduating he taught school out on the Bardstown road. While filling this post, he studied law and later matriculated at the Louisville law school. In 1866 he graduated from the law school and began practice.

In the early seventies he was elected to the office of county attorney, which position he held until his election to congress in 1876, when he succeeded Henry Watterson, who had been selected to fill the unexpired term of E. Y. Parsons. He became a favorite lieutenant of Mr. Carlisle and maneuvered his forces for the speakership, to which office Mr. Carlisle was elected for the first time in the Forty-eighth congress. Mr. Carlisle then made Mr. Willis chairman of the rivers and harbors committee, which responsible position he ably filled. Mr. Willis served five terms in congress.

In 1893 Mr. Willis received the appointment as minister to Hawaii and accepted and assumed the post. He arrived at the island during the most critical moment in its history. Queen Liliuokalani had been deposed, and another government had taken the place of the monarchy.

The most intense interest existed as to what course the president would adopt. Mr. Cleveland intrusted his secret orders to Mr. Willis, and they were to the effect that Queen Liluokalani should be reinstated in event of her granting immunity to all political offenders. This she declined to do. The recent state of affairs is well known. In 1876 Mr. Willis married Miss Florence Bulaney. They have one son, Albert S. Willis, Jr., who is at Honolulu.

Sherman on Cuban Policy.

Pittsburg, Jan. 16.—The Dispatch says: The Cuban policy of the McKinley administration will differ very little from that of President Cleveland. This statement is based on remarks made to a reporter by Senator John Sherman, the veteran statesman, who was on his way back to Washington from Canton. After stating that his position in the next cabinet has been determined, Senator Sherman said, in answer to a question: "I think the United States government should not interfere with the Cuban war, either to aid in its settlement or do anything which would make a peaceful government of the island a charge on this country. I understand on high authority that Prime Minister Canovas has outlined a program of governmental reforms which will be applied both in Spain and in Cuba. These reforms will give the Cubans practical autonomy, and will, I hope, settle the question."

Canadian Policy Holders Kick.

Toronto, Jan. 16.—A meeting has been arranged for between the superintendent of insurance at Ottawa, a representative of the Massachusetts Benefit Life association and the policy holders, to be held here next Wednesday. At the meeting the complaints regarding assessments will be discussed. As there are over 4000 policy holders in Canada considerable interest is being taken in the matter. The Massachusetts company a few years ago absorbed the business of the Canadian Mutual Aid association, and is doing business in Canada under a Dominion license. It has a deposit of $100,000. The Canadian policy holders claim that they are being deliberately forced out by the exacting of enormously increased assessments.

Governor Long's Chances.

Canton, O., Jan. 16.—Ex-Governor Long of Massachusetts has not been tendered a cabinet position. He is still a probability, and if he is invited, it will be either for the war or navy department. Governor Long left for home last evening, and as he was leaving the city said enough to warrant the above conclusions. He came, he said, at the invitation of Major McKinley, and they talked over the cabinet question. He was offered nothing, and declined to say in positive terms that he would or would not accept if given an opportunity. If he was offered anything, he said, it would be one of the portfolios named. He said New England is almost sure to have a member in the cabinet.

Will Eulogize General Walker.

Boston, Jan. 16.—The annual meeting of the American Statistical association was held here yesterday. Hon. Carroll D. Wright of Washington was elected president. A committee was appointed to arrange a public meeting of the association, to be held between Feb. 15 and March 1, in memory of its late president, General Francis Walker. President Wright will deliver the eulogy.

Missionaries Indorse Treaty.

New York, Jan. 16.—A resolution urging the ratification of the proposed treaty of general arbitration was adopted at an inter-denominational mass meeting held last night in Carnegie hall, under the auspices of the simultaneous meeting committee representing the foreign mission boards in the United States and Canada.

Succeeds Dr. Conaty.

New York, Jan. 16.—At a meeting of the trustees of the Catholic summer school, held in this city yesterday, Rev. Dr. Conaty tendered his resignation as president of the school, and Rev. M. J. Lavelle, rector of the cathedral, was unanimously elected as his successor.

Five Orphans Perish.

Dallas, Jan. 16.—Late last night the boys' wing of Buckner's Orphan Home, five miles from this city, was destroyed by fire. Five boys perished in the flames and several others were burned.

PEOPLE OF THE DAY.

Colonel John Hay, who is being talked about as the future embassador to England, has had a somewhat extensive diplomatic experience. He has been secretary of legations at Paris, Vienna and Madrid and has often been intrusted with the entire charge of these embassies. Besides this, Colonel Hay is a stanch Republican, an old friend of Major McKinley, a man of abundant wealth and a literary personage of no slight importance.

Colonel Hay probably prefers to base his literary reputation on his "Life of Lincoln," which he wrote in collaboration with John G. Nicolay, but in the popular memory he is famous as the author of "Little Breeches" and other



COLONEL JOHN HAY.

dialect poems which appeared in a little volume entitled "Pike County Ballads," and which he wrote early in his career.

Colonel Hay is a very well known man. He studied law in Abraham Lincoln's law office, and afterward became his private secretary. He took some part in the war also and was made a colonel. He was for some time an editorial writer on the New York Tribune, and for a short time was editor in chief of that paper. In 1875 he married the daughter of Amasa Stone, a Cleveland millionaire, and for several years past has lived in a fine mansion in Washington, almost opposite the White House, where he has entertained in a lavish manner.

A Prospective Cabinet Officer.

Cornelius N. Bliss, who is said to have accepted a place in the McKinley cabinet as secretary of the navy, is a rich New York merchant, who has been prominent in the politics of the Empire State for many years, and who was mentioned as a possible member of Harrison's cabinet. Mr. Bliss is a New Eng-



CORNELIUS N. BLISS.

lander by birth and has been phenomenally successful in business, having built up one of the largest commercial firms in the country. During the campaign of 1888 he was instrumental in forming the Protective Tariff league. He has never held public office, but has often been a delegate to conventions and is treasurer of the Republican national committee.

Senator Cameron's Successor.

Boies Penrose, who is to succeed J. Don Cameron in the United States senate, is a new figure in national politics, although he has been somewhat prominent in Pennsylvania. The spirited preliminary contest, in which he defeated John Wanamaker, attracted widespread attention.

Mr. Penrose is a member of an old and aristocratic Philadelphia family. He was graduated at Harvard in 1881, read law with Wayne MacVeagh and



BOIES PENROSE.

was admitted to the bar in 1883. He made his appearance in politics in 1885 and was elected to the state legislature, where he soon attracted notice by leading a successful revolt. Mr. Quay, who was then senator, made him one of his lieutenants, and Penrose was soon elected to the state senate, becoming president pro tem of that body when but 30 years of age. He is now 36 years old, is over 6 feet high and will be one of the best looking men in the United States senate.

James R. Keene has over 32 2-year-olds wintering at Sheepshead Bay, and the chances are that he will race a large stable next year.



The little key that opens the small padlock is the real thing that opens the massive door. The door that will withstand the attack of a crowbar opens readily with the proper use of a key one-thousandth part as big and strong. Big things are not always the most useful or the most effective. Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets are little, so small that forty of them will go into a vial no larger round than a lead pencil and two inches long. They are tiny, sugar-coated granules, but they do their work more effectively than nauseous doses a hundred times their bulk. They are for the cure of constipation. They cure the hundred and one symptom of constipation. They cure headaches, biliousness, sour stomach, foul breath, heart-burn, palpitation of the heart and pimples, and they assist in the cure of almost every disease with which mankind is afflicted. No one can get well unless the regular, healthy action of the digestive organs is restored. The "Pellets" will do this. One little "Pellet" is a gentle laxative and two a mild cathartic. Without causing any pain, griping or any other unpleasantness, they will restore the natural action of the bowels, and when this is done their use may be discontinued. They are not ment to supersede Nature, but to help her, and that is all she needs. There are druggists who for the sake of a slightly greater profit, will endeavor to sell you something else which they say is "just as good." They are trying to make a profit at the expense of your health.

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NOTICE TO PARENTS.

CITY OF QUINCY.

CITY CLERK'S OFFICE, Dec. 14, 1896

THE Record of births in any city or town is always more or less unsatisfactory, owing to the fact that the canvasser finds difficulty in getting the necessary information. Names and dates are frequently given incorrectly. The importance of accuracy is shown in many cases where the question of descent, or inheritance of property, or collection of life insurance or pensions. The City Clerk's copy of the record is accepted as conclusive evidence in a court of law. While great pains are taken by this office to have the record correct, experience shows that it is necessary that parents themselves should lend their assistance. In fact the law requires that parents shall give notice to the City Clerk of the birth of their children, and provides a penalty for neglect to give such notice for the space of six months.

It often happens that only children or servants are at home when the canvasser makes his call, and the answers to his questions are open to doubt. I therefore request all parents in whose households a birth has occurred in the year 18—, to place upon a paper or card the required information, and keep it in a convenient place until the canvasser appears.

The canvass will be commenced on Jan. 1, 1897.

HARRISON A. KEITH,
City Clerk.

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Catarrh and rheumatism were also causing him much trouble, until he tried P. P. P. He says he is well and will swear that there are no cases of neuralgia, catarrh and rheumatism, no matter how chronic or how old the cases ar , that P. P. P. will not make a total cure of.

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Mortgagee's Sale of Real Estate.

BY Virtue of a power of sale contained in certain mortgage deed given by Robert B. Courtney to Caroline S. Furnald, dated September 19, 1887, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, libro 596, folio 49, duly assigned by said Furnald to George Monk and duly assigned by said Monk to the undersigned, for breach of the condition of said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing same, will be sold at public auction on the premises, on MONDAY, the twenty-fifth day of January 1897, at three o'clock P. M., all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage and therein described as follows, to wit:

"A certain lot of land containing one-fourth acre of land, more or less, together with all the buildings thereon, situated on the easterly side of Marsh street in said Quincy, and being bounded and described as follows, viz.: Commencing on Marsh street and being bounded about northerly on land of John Brooks; thence turning and bounding easterly on the line of the Old Colony Railroad, to land of Jonathan Tanner; thence bounded about southerly on the land of said Jonathan Tanner; and thence bounding about westerly on Marsh street to the point of beginning, as the fences now stand." Being the same premises conveyed to said Robert B. Courtney by Lewis Bass, Executor of the will of Mary Gallagher, by deed dated September 12, 1887.

Said premises will be sold subject to any unpaid taxes and assessments. One hundred dollars of the purchase money to be paid in cash at the sale, the balance within ten days thereafter. Further terms at sale.

THOMAS E. FURNALD,
Assignee and present holder of said Mortgage.

Quincy, Mass., Jan. 1. 3t 2-9-16

COCKRAN'S ADDRESS.

Boston Business Men Listen to an Able Argument.

Annual Banquet of Merchant's Association.

One of Many Memorable Meetings of Great Interest to Public.

Boston, Jan. 16.—W. Bourke Cockran was the central figure of the Boston Merchants' association's annual dinner last night at the Vendome. Gathered about the New Yorker were many of the leading men of New England.

The banquets of the association have always been memorable, and the subjects discussed have been of a character of great public interest. The movement toward the improvement of Boston harbor, which was taken up last year, has since been pushed vigorously, and last night Mayor Quincy announced that the making of Broad sound the principal entrance to the harbor was in a fair way of becoming a fact.

Interest last night, however, centered in the great speech of Hon. W. Bourke Cockran of New York, and it is safe to say that a more eloquent address has not been heard in this city for years. The association also entertained as guest William C. Cornwell, president of the City bank, Buffalo, who made an interesting address on the currency question.

President J. R. Leeson presided, and after a few preliminary remarks of a congratulatory nature introduced Governor Wolcott. His excellency extended a cordial welcome to the guests of the association from out of the state. Mayor Quincy spoke particularly on the process of the work in the improvement of the harbor, with special reference to the recent report of the commission on docks and terminal facilities. The mayor pledged himself to use every means in his power to make the harbor of Boston one of the finest in the world.

Mr. Cornwell received a cordial welcome.

The entire association rose as Mr. Cockran was introduced, and he was received with tremendous applause.

Mr. Cockran spoke particularly on the moral and material welfare of the country. He said in part:

Prosperity must be moral as well as material, and the law of economy itself is but a feature of moral law.

Let us not therefore be deceived by the issues and results of the last election. The last great struggle decided that the country will never tolerate confiscation of property for a pretense of a change in values.

The election was an uprising against the elements which would destroy law, justice, honor and morality.

Now what is prosperity? It does not mean an abundance of moey, but an abundance of commodity.

The wealth of every nation is the sum of the property of the individuals which compose it. We must have more corn, more wheat, more manufactured goods, more lines of railroads to carry them.

That is prosperity.

Neither does prosperity or wealth consist in what legislation can create. No legislature can create nor make money for a community.

Mr. Cockran here illustrated the money question by taking his watch from his pocket and saying:

I can take this watch case and melt it down into coin. I shall have more money than I have now, but I shall be less wealthy, for I have destroyed the value of the labor on the watch.

The road to wealth lies in the obedience of the laws of God.

Taking up the tariff question he said that what the country needs more than anything is some fixed policy regarding the tariff. Trade will never revive until trades know what is exacted of them.

Mr. Cockran announced himself a free trader, believing that protection exacts a tax which is unjust. He denounced, however, the tariff legislation of 1894, and said that the party that betrayed the tariff then betrayed the constituion in 1896.

With eyes open we who for years have been free traders voted for a protectionist, and doing so we should be willing now to stand by such a policy. We have no right to demand that the party we supported should make a modification of the tariff on our lines, but we can advise, and we ask that some fixed policy be adopted. When such a policy is established then we will see a prosperity, greater and wider than this or any other country ever saw.

During the last campaign we did not promise a magical revival of trade, but we did say that it would take an upward start, and it has; and now industry and prosperity are in process of creation.

And with the increase in prosperity the country will go on to success, for it is easier to hold together the forces of common sense than to keep united the hosts of dishonor.

I have no apprehension of the future of our country. The government must continue, because the truth upon which it is based is eternal. We may have sudden storms, but they will pass away; we may have flurries, but they will subside, but whatever disturbance may threaten, truth, justice and law must triumph, because they are based upon the one word, and that it is God. the one word, and that is God.

"Yankee" O'Neil Interviewed.

Greenfield, Mass., Jan. 16.—Jack O'Neil, who is charged with the murder of Mrs. Hattie E. McCloud at Shelburne Falls last Friday, was interviewed in jail yesterday. He talked freely, but declined to tell where he got his money or to account for his time on the night of the murder. He protested his innocence of the crime, and said he did not see Mrs. McCloud that night. He said he had been drinking freely on that and previous days, but was not drunk. He said he and others were drinking with Jimmy Wood, who had money, and they were helping him to spend it. He said he left the house after supper about 6:10 and met Mrs. Dow and Lena Schontag by the bridge about 8 o'clock. He refused to explain his movements during this time, but said he would do so in court. Just before meeting the two women he said he saw Julius Pfersick and accosted him. He said he then crossed the bridge and went into a pool room, but soon returned and purchased a pint of whisky at the Woodward House, paying 50 cents for it. He refused to tell where he obtained the money. Woods and Pfersick are new men in the case, and the stories will be sifted by the officers.

Maine Legislature.

Augusta, Me., Jan. 16.—Both branches of the legislature held short sessions yesterday, with a small attendance. A few acts and resolves were introduced, but nothing of a startling nature was presented. In the house a resolve asking for an appropriation of $500 for the Maine Eye and Ear Infirmary, and one for $2000 for the Bangor Children's Home, were presented. Acts to abolish days of grace and fix the date of maturity on notes and drafts, and for the licensing of game wardens were presented and referred. A joint special committee was appointed to consider matters in connection with the eastern Maine insane hospital, and outline necessary legislation in its behalf. Both houses adjourned until Monday afternoon at 4:30.

Second Marriage Ends Alimony.

Boston, Jan. 16.—A notable case was tried in the divorce session of the superior court here yesterday, when Horatio W. Southworth, a wealthy Springfield paper manufacturer, appeared before his former wife, now Mrs. Treadwell of Brooklyn, as petitioner for the discontinuance of alimony. It resulted in a practical victory for the petitioner, as Judge Lilley gave a provisional judgment in his favor, which it is expected will be sustained in the supreme court, to which the case will be taken. The decision is an important one, as the court holds that a second marriage by a petitioner in a divorce suit ends the payment of alimony. The alimony amounted to $150 a month.

Scant Ice Crop.

Boston, Jan. 16.—The season in this part of New England has been rather unfavorable to ice harvesters, as the ice is not yet as thick as it usually is at this time. The Boston Ice company has begun cutting on one or two of its small ponds, but the ice at Wakefield is not yet thick enough. One or two days of cold weather, however, would probably thicken the ice to the desired point. Although the local ice crop is rather scant, reports say the ice in Maine has formed finely, and is of the best possible quality, as it has almost no snow on it. A good deal of ice has been cut there already, and it is expected that the shipments to Boston will be large this winter.

Children to Be Cared For.

Merrimac, Mass., Jan. 16.—The three children seized by State Agent Loring of the state board of charities on Tuesday last, from the home of Mrs. Clara Sargent, have been turned over to the state board by Judge Cate of the district court. These children were in a starving condition, and it was charged by the officials that Mrs. Sargent had no right to the care of them. One of the children was Marguerite, the child actress, who was formerly an attraction of a traveling theater troupe in New England. Mrs. Sargent fought hard to have the children returned to her, and the town officials fought equally hard to prevent it.

New Bedford Street Railway Change

New Bedford, Mass., Jan. 16.—William W. Crapo and Henry W. Crapo have purchased a majority of the shares in the Union street railway recently controlled by the Beckley syndicate. This is an important event to many investors in this city and southeastern Massachusetts. Ex-Governor T. M. Waller of Connecticut and other capitalists were the leading owners, Waller being one of the directors. By the deal the Crapos become managing owners, and their policy will be to inaugurate reforms demanded by the traveling public.

Scarlet Fever Raging.

Skowhegan, Me., Jan. 16.—An epidemic of scarlet fever has broken out in Athens, 12 miles from this place, and the town is under quarantine. Business is temporarily suspended, all schools have been closed by the board of health and no services will be held in the churches on Sunday.

Merrimac, Mass., Jan. 16.—The scarlet fever epidemic here is increasing, four new cases being reported yesterday and one death. The public library has been ordered closed and all books fumigated.

Vicious Italian Sentenced.

Hartford, Jan. 16.—Roxey Bonna, a vicious Italian, who has been terrorizing Ferry street for the past few days, was sentenced to seven months' imprisonment yesterday. His chief pastime has been attacking women on the street and assaulting them. He met Kitty Clay, and because she refused to talk with him, he knocked her down and kicked her. He next attacked John Powers with a pair of scissors and attempted to stab him.

Massachusetts Legislature.

Boston, Jan. 16.—The house yesterday passed a resolution endorsing the international arbitration treaty. The civil service appropriation bill was passed. A petition from Brookline, asking for the impeachment of Chairman Morrill of the Norfolk county commissioners, was referred to a special committee. In the senate the dock commissioners' report was referred to a committee, and other routine business transacted.

Gas Company Insolvent.

Laconia, N. H., Jan. 16.—A petition in insolvency against the Winnipesaukee Gas and Electric Lighting company has been filed with Judge W. B. Fellows of the probate court at Tilton. A hearing on the petition was ordered for Jan. 19. The proceedings are commenced by the Laconia National bank. The liabilities are estimated at about $45,000, including the bonded indebtedness of $40,000. The assets are not stated.

Brockton's New Board of Trade.

Brockton, Mass., Jan. 16.—The new board of trade was formally organized last night. The officers are: L. E. Chamberlain, president; Charles A. Eaton and Ellery Cahoon, vice presidents; L. Frank Garfield, treasurer, and Frank E. Angerer, secretary. These officers, with Edward W. Mellen, E. M. Low, Frank E. Shaw, Alderman Fred L. Smith and Alderman Fred H. Packard, constitute the executive committee.

Burned In His Home.

Springfield, Mass., Jan. 16.—The house of George W. Caswell in West Springfield was burned yesterday, and Caswell met a shocking death in the flames. When his body was discovered in the ruins only his trunk and head remained and his features could not be recognized. The fire is supposed to have been of incendiary origin.

Whaling at Home.

Lynn, Mass., Jan. 16.—A 50-foot finback whale spouted off Swampscott yesterday afternoon, nearly swamping Captain George Horton, who was in a boat near by. The crew of the schooner Jennie P. Phillip will go out after the whale today.

Chimes For Portland.

Portland, Me., Jan. 16.—W. L. Blake, a wealthy oil dealer of this city, has presented the St. Lawrence Street Congregational church with a valuable chime of bells, and when they are in place they will be the only chimes in Portland.

BRADSTREET'S REVIEW

No Noticeable Changes Reported In Business Conditions.

Mercantile Collections Still Continue Slow.

Bank Clearances Were Unexpectedly Lower Than Last Week.

New York, Jan. 16.—Bradstreet's says: Except at a few southern cities, as reported last week, wholesale merchants throughout the country report no noticeable change in trade features, and few, if any, indications of improvement in the near future. Mercantile collections continue slow or moderate. Some jobbers at Chicago, St. Louis, Baltimore and other large cities report increased demand for dry goods, hats, shoes, hardware and groceries for spring delivery, but that in other lines business is very dull. Dealers in staples at cities in Texas, Louisiana, Georgia, Tennessee and South Carolina report a better demand for hardware and agricultural supplies, compared with last week. Some Baltimore salesmen are securing relatively fair orders. There has been no revival in textile circles, except increased purchases of wool at Boston by some of the larger manufacturers. Cotton goods continue depressed at first hands, with little prospect for improvement until after production has been restricted.

December gross railway earnings are relatively more favorable than those in preceding months, showing a decrease of 1.5 per cent from December, 1895, while the November total in 1896 fell off 10 per cent from that in November, 1895, that for October, 4.3 per cent, and September earnings 7-10ths of 1 per cent. The best December reports were by southwestern and southern roads, which show gains over December totals in 1895. For the calendar year total earnings of 115 railroads aggregated $508,286,050, a gain over 1895 of 1.4 per cent, which year it will be recalled, showed a gain over 1894 of 5.2 per cent. This gain in 1896 was on a mileage of 94,170 miles. If 11 months' earnings of 27 other roads with 43,000 miles of track be included for both years an aggregate total of $797,716,785 on 137,208 miles of track is obtained, representing nearly 80 per cent of the entire railway mileage and gross earnings of steam railroads in the United States engaged in freight transportation. These earnings figures represent a gain over 1895 of slightly less than 1 per cent on a gain in mileage of about the same proportion, showing that the year 1896, though far from satisfactory in this respect, witnessed at least no falling off from the railway earnings totals of 1895 and 1894.

Bradstreets' comparison of prices of 108 staple articles and products at quarterly intervals for a series of years shows an upward tendency on the part of quotations during the last quarter of 1896. This is shown by there being 40 prices higher on Jan. 1, 1897, than on Oct. 1, 1896, 40 of which were lower and 28 practically the same on both dates—in contrast with 33 higher quotations Jan. 1, 1897, compared with one year ago; 72 lower quotations than on Jan. 1, 1896, and only three practically the same at the beginning and end of 1896. Advances during the last quarter of 1896 were conspicuous among most of the leading cereals, for live stock, meats, dairy products, some vegetables, hides, leather, wools, various grades of iron, copper, lead, brick, glass and spruce lumber; declines were noticeable for miscellaneous food products for cotton, hemp, print cloths, steel, tin, coal, coke, petroleum, rubber, paper and drugs.

Prices for this week show advances for leather, pork, lard, petroleum and cotton, while decreases are reported in prices of hides, wheat, corn, coffee, pig iron and steel billets. No change is reported in quotations for coal, lumber, flour, oats, sugar, print cloths and wool. Heavy stocks continue to depress cotton goods. Iron and steel have not met with the increased demand expected, while sugar and coffee prices have been affected by competition among leading dealers.

Bank clearings throughout the United States amount to $1,048,000,000 this week, 8 per cent less than last week, which was one day short, an unexpected shrinkage in volume of clearings. When comparison is made with the total in the second week of January, 1896, the decrease during this week is seen to be nearly 2 per cent. Contrasted with the corresponding week's total in 1895, this week's clearings show a gain of 7 per cent, and with the like total in 1894, an increase of 13 per cent. But when compared with clearings for the second week of January, 1893, the total for six business days, ending with and including Jan. 14, this year, shows a falling off of 23 per cent.

There have been 478 business failures in the United States this week, compared with 488 last week, 412 the second week of January, 1896, 358 in the like week of 1895, and as compared with 404 in the corresponding period of 1894.

Exports of wheat (flour included as wheat) from both coasts of the United States this week amount to 2,948,154 bushels, as compared with 3,108,000 bushels last week, 3,202,000 bushels in the week one year ago, 3,564,000 bushels in the week two years ago, 3,332,000 bushels three years ago, and as contrasted with 3,637,000 bushels in the like week of 1893. Exports of Indian corn this week amount to 3,757,000 bushels, as compared with 4,819,000 bushels last week, 3,336,000 bushels in the week a year ago, 661,000 bushels in the week two years ago, 2,052,000 bushels three years ago, and as contrasted with 655,000 bushels in the like week of 1893.

Bridegroom Charged With Murder.

Philadelphia, Jan. 16.—Patrick Donahue, who was married Thursday afternoon, was arrested yesterday charged with murdering his wife. A reception was given at their home at 2119 Darien street, which lasted until 10 o'clock Thursday night. That was the last seen of the couple until yesterday morning, when a milkman came along and rang the door bell. Donahue came to the door, affrighted and haggard, and asked the milkman to go for his sister, saying his wife was sick. When Donahue's sister reached the house she found the woman dead. Her face was black, her head cut, and bloody finger marks were on her neck. Donahue was placed under arrest, but denies all knowledge of the murder.

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Will Cure Your Rheumatism
Your Druggist sells it at 25¢ and 50¢ a bottle.

Quincy & Boston ELECTRIC STREET RAILWAY.

[Subject to change without notice.]

On and after Friday, Jan. 1, 1896, cars will make trips on week days as follows:

Quincy and Neponset.

Leave CITY HALL for Neponset—6.00 A. M., 6.15, 6.30, 6.45, 7.00, and every 15, 30, 45 and 60 minutes past the hour until 7.00 P. M., then every half hour until 10.50 P. M. Cars leaving Quincy on the hour via. Norfolk Downs, except 6.00 P. M.

Leave NEPONSET—6.22 A. M., 6.37, 6.52, 7.07, 7.22, and every 7, 22, 37 and 52 minutes past the hour until 7.00 o'clock, then every half hour until 11 P. M.; last car for Quincy at 11.15 P. M. Cars leaving Neponset 22 minutes past the hour via. Norfolk Downs.

Quincy and East Weymouth.

Leave CITY HALL (10 minutes later from Quincy Point and 22 minutes later from North Weymouth)—5.45, 6.20, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, 11.20, 11.50 A. M.; 12.20, 12.50, 1.20, 1,50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20 4.50 5.20 (5.30 to East Weymouth car house), 5.50, 6.20, 6.30, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.50 P. M.

Leave EAST WEYMOUTH (20 minutes later from North Weymouth and 30 minutes later from Quincy Point)—6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11, 11.30 A. M.; 12, 12.30, 1, 1.30, 2, 2.30, 3, 3.30, 4, 4.30, 5, 5.30, 6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11.30 P. M.

Quincy and East Milton.

Leave CITY HALL, 5.55, 6.25, then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.55 P. M., then at 9.50 and 10.50 P. M.

Leave EAST MILTON, 6.30, 7.00 A. M., then on the hour and half hour until 9.30 P.M., then at 10.20 and 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and Holbrook.

Leave QUINCY for SOUTH BRAINTREE and HOLBROOK at 6.10 and 6.40 A. M., and every 10 minutes past and 20 minutes of the hour until 10.10 P. M. Last car leaves at 10.50 P. M. On Saturdays the last car leaves Quincy at 11.50 P. M.

Returning cars leave HOLBROOK for SOUTH BRAINTREE and QUINCY at 5.55 and 6.25 A. M., and every 25 minutes past and 5 minutes of the hour until 9.55 P.M. Last car leaves Holbrook at 11.30 P. M.

☞ On Sundays on the Weymouth route cars will leave Quincy on the hour and half hour and East Weymouth at quarter past and quarter of the hour.

☞ Special trips can be arranged on application to the Superintendent.

☞ At Quincy Centre close connection is made with Electric Cars on all the routes.

☞ At Neponset close connection is made with West End Street Cars to and from Boston.

☞ Cars are due at Beale street, Wollaston ten minutes after leaving Neponset and seven minutes after leaving Quincy.

BENJ. J. WEEKS, Superintendent.

New York, New Haven and Hartford R. R.

OLD COLONY SYSTEM.

On and after Jan. 17, 1897, trains will run as follows: (See note of explanation at bottom.)

TO BOSTON. Leave Quincy.	Stops at	Arrive Boston.	FROM BOSTON. Leave Boston.	Stops at	Arrive Quincy'
r 6 12 abc	*	6 30	5 53 ihgfedcba*		6 20 r
r 6 42 abc		7 00	6 30 cba		6 49 r
r 7 12 abc		7 30	7 30 cba		7 49 r
7 29 a		7 48	8 30 cba		8 49 r
r 7 42 abc		8 00	9 30 cba		9 49 r
r 8 12 abc		8 30	10 30 cba		10 49 r
8 29 a		8 45	11 30 cba		11 49 r
r 8 42 abc		9 00	12 00 (xx)		12 15
r 9 12 abc		9 30	12 30 cba		12 49 r
r 10 12 abc		10 30	1 30 cba		1 49 r
r 11 12 abc		11 30	2 30 cba		2 49 r
r 12 12 abc		12 30	3 30 cba		3 49 r
r 1 12 abc		1 30	4 30 cba		4 49 r
1 46 (xx)		2 00	5 00 cba		5 19 r
r 2 12 abc		2 30	5 15 a		5 32
r 3 12 abc		3 30	5 30 cba		5 49 r
r 4 12 abc		4 30	6 00 cba		6 19 r
r 5 12 abc		5 30	6 15 a		6 32
r 6 12 abc		6 30	6 30 cba		6 49 r
r 7 12 abc		7 30	7 00 cba		7 19 r
r 7 41 abcdefghi		8 07	7 30 cba		7 49 r
r 8 08 abcdef		8 30	8 30 fedcba		8 53 r
r 9 12 abc		9 30	9 30 cba		9 49 r
r 10 08 abcdef		10 30	10 30 fedcba		10 53 r
r 11 34 abcdefghi		11 08	11 00 ihgfedcba		11 27 r
r 11 12 abc		11 30	11 30 cba		11 49 r

SUNDAYS.

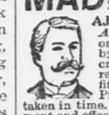
6 38 abcdef		7 00	4 05 fda		4 23
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r 12 16 (xx)		12 30	9 30 ihgfedcba		9 57 r
1 07 abc		1 25	10 30 ihgfedcba		10 57 r
2 16 (xx)		2 30	11 30 (xx)		11 45
r 3 04 abcdefghi		3 30	12 35 cba		12 54
r 4 04 abcdefghi		4 30	1 30 (xx)		1 45
5 16 (xx)		5 30	4 30 cba		4 49 r
r 6 08 abcdef		6 30	5 00 (xx)		5 15
r 9 08 abcdef		9 30	7 00 fedcba		7 23 r
9 38 adf		9 55	10 30 fedcba		10 53 r

*The letters in the same line as the figures stand for different stations and indicate that trains stop, as follows:

a, Wollaston.
b, Norfolk Downs
c, Atlantic.
d, Neponset.
e, Pope's Hill.
f, Harrison Square
g, Savin Hill.
h, Crescent Avenue.
i, South Boston.
r, Quincy Adams.
(xx), Express.

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The Daily Ledger.

SATURDAY, JAN. 16, 1897.

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and at the following places:

BOSTON—Old Colony News Stand after 3.30 P. M.

QUINCY—Ledger Office, 115 Hancock street.
Souther's Periodical Store, 1 Granite street.
McGovern Bros.', Adams building.
C. F. Carlson, near Quincy depot.
Stephen Pierce, corner of Hancock and School streets.

WEST QUINCY—Coram's Periodical store Copeland Street, and his carriers.

BREWER'S CORNER—Emma Lark, Copeland Street.

WOLLASTON—Boss' news stand and carriers.

NORFOLK DOWNS—Branscheid & Martens and their carriers.

ATLANTIC—Brancheid & Martens News Agency and their carriers.

QUINCY POINT—Miss Freeman's store.

SOUTH QUINCY—Peter Haverly, Water street.
F. J. Pierson, 96 Granite street.
O. D. Chick, 59 Liberty street.

EAST MILTON—William Clark's periodical store and his carriers.

EAST WEYMOUTH—George H. Hunt.

WEYMOUTH LANDING—W. E. Cunningham.

NO. WEYMOUTH—B. F. Thomas.

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MOON'S PHASES.

New Moon	3	1:03 a.m.	Full Moon	18	3:17 p.m.
First Quarter	10	4:46 p.m.	Third Quarter	25	3:08 p.m.

THE WEATHER INDICATIONS.

ALMANAC, SATURDAY, JAN. 16.
Sun rises—7:10; sets, 4:39.
Length of day—9h. 29m.
Moon sets—5:43 a. m.
Full sea—9:15 a. m., 10 p. m.

Forecast for Maine, New Hampshire and Vermont: Cloudy weather; slightly warmer; easterly, shifting to southerly winds.

For Massachusetts, Rhode Island and Connecticut: Light local snows; probably clearing during the day; northerly to easterly winds.

Castle Square Theatre.

The Castle Square operatic performance held the favor of the public in a way that well repays the energy, enterprise and good judgment shown in their management; and the value of this musical undertaking is being recognized throughout the country. The requests for a repetition of the brilliant performance of "The Gendeliers" given here earlier in the season will be complied with by a revival of Gilbert and Sullivan's tuneful operetta the coming week when the cast will be as follows: Duke, W. H. Clark; Luiz, J. F. Hanahue; Inquisitor, Will H. Kohnle; Marce, Richie Ling or Martin Pache; Guiseppe, J. K. Murray; Duchess, Hattie Belle Ladd; Casilda, Addie Norwood; Gianetta, Laura Millard; Tessa, Clara Lane; Fiametta, Bertha Lehman. The following attraction for Monday, the 25th inst., is "The Mikado," with a grand production of "Lohengrin" on Monday, February 1st.

Keith's Theatre.

Those who do not see the Biograph at Keith's will decidedly miss one of the most marvelous things of the century, as no motion picture yet exhibited begins to compete with those projected by this invention. The picture of president-elect McKinley on his lawn at Canton, the rescue of horses and cattle from a burning stable and the much talked of lightning express train, are alone worth the price of admission, the latter, especially, being a most startling reproduction. There will be a score of new attractions, including Prince Kokin, the famous Japanese juggler; Grace Drew, vocalist; Lorenze and Allen, high class dancers; Swan and Bambard, grotesque acrobatic comedy, etc.

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Lighting in Braintree.

Many are asking what it costs to light by electricity in Braintree, and in order to give our readers the best information that can be had upon the matter, we publish the names of those whose metres have been read for the three months ending December 31, 1896. Those marked with a star are for six months instead of three.

There are now about 185 consumers and a glance over the figures below will give a very good idea of what it costs for light in Braintree under the present system.

The average charge for metre rent in addition to the amount for light is thirty cents per quarter.

C. H. Hobart,	$48 36
H. M. White,	11 16
Henry H. Snow,	10 11
W. E. Wild,	16 52
Braintree Clothing Co.,	24 91
Orace W. Allen,	23 58
J. Marcus Arnold,	15 24
Luther O. Crocker,	7 38
Thomas A. Watson	29 58
F. O. Wellington,	6 12
Wm. Gallagher,	26 88
C. A. Pitkin,	21 84
W. A. Torrey,	26 63
James T. Weeks,	18 84
N. E. Hollis,	29 22
E. W. Arnold,	20 64
Simon Schrout,	10 32
O. M. Rogers,	8 76
Asa French,	25 08
Harrison W. Bates,	4 62
Mrs. K. Frampton,	6 42
G. W. Wheeler,	30 72
Quong Wah,	4 92
F. A. Smith,	14 28
E. W. Colton,	3 96
W. L. Gage,	13 92
Bradfoad & Mansfield	9 24
Edward Avery,	14 34
Cass Bros.,	8 76
Frank A. Bates,	18 84
A. Southworth,	19 02
Bridgham Bros.,	15 27
Joshua Wilkins	6 18
Daniel Gallivan,	8 25
G. H. Arnold,	9 42
So. Braintree station,	83 75
James A. Frampton,	7 32
C. W. Clapp,	*9 42
Post, G. A, R.,	9 72
J. F. Sheppard & Sons,	3 12
H. H. Kelley,	10 20
Elisha Thayer,	13 20
John N. Rodgers,	*2 73
W. H. Dam,	8 46
Horace L. French,	3 69
Susan M. Sherman,	5 48
W. H. Reynolds,	*4 44
J. M. Walsh,	3 30
Union Religious Society,	*20 70
Town Hall,	38 76
Pumping station,	25 31
W. H. Cuff,	8 47
Azel R. French,	3 54
Elbridge Stetson,	8 95
F. R. Smith,	1 86
Miss R. R. Thayer,	*7 86
John V. Scollard,	2 94
C. A. Belcher,	15 78
Alverdo H. Mason,	5 82
N. Y. N. H. & H. R. R. Co.,	15 00
L. D. Patten,	9 84
J. F. Sheppard,	12 18
Fore River Engine Co.,	7 38
E. Litchfield,	*7 90
Thomas Riley,	4 50
C. O. Miller,	4 01
W. E. Sheldon,	10 26
Will H. Shaw,	14 52
First Parish church,	*38 82
Braintree Baptist church,	*13 80
Knights of Pythias,	6 60
A. J. Bowditch,	7 80
Ford & Co.,	1 75
W. S. Tracey,	21 78
N. F. Scollard,	4 14
N. G. Torrey,	6 78
F. W. Thorndike,	3 00
F. A. Smith,	3 84
R. H. Dearing,	18 36
Susan J. Hollingsworth,	23 82
E. A. Stevens,	*6 48
Clifford J. Kellar,	28 08
Shelbourne & Irish,	71
George D. Willis,	12 48
F. A. Burrell,	38 24
C. G. Sheppard,	16 56
I. O. O. F.,	21 24
H. T. Kneeland,	19 62
W. A. Torrey, (home)	3 96
Methodist church,	9 66
I. W. Horne,	*4 02
Columbia Rubber Co.,	57 12
Ambler & Hobart,	2 70
Geo. W. Stevens,	3 72
Wallace Willson,	9 72
D. H. Bates,	3 99
Mrs. Mayhew,	4 50
Engine House,	3 75
George G. Ellsworth,	3 20
W. H. Heath,	16 08
Miss Thayer,	3 36
Edwin Cass,	3 60
Braintree Street Railway,	22 03
Mrs. E. C. Arnold,	3 68
Fire Department,	3 75
George E. Fogg,	9 54
John Kelley,	5 12
F. N. Manning,	9 93
Henry C. Wilson,	8 10
Chas. G. Thompson,	23 70
White & Weatherbee,	1 88
Fire Department,	3 75
A. D. Tirrell,	14 27
Solomon Fuller,	11 24
H. H. Thayer,	3 53
M. E. church,	7 80
Commercial club,	21 78
G. H. Bryant,	2 63
Walter T. Connell,	6 14
H. W. Cole,	11 98
B. J. Loring,	4 98
B. & W. Street Railway,	6 50
Eben Prescott,	5 73
Frank White,	4 71
O. M. Rogers,	5 13
Stephens & Willis,	4 22
Wey. & Braintree Pub. Co.,	1 31
Mrs. N. F. T. Thayer,	3 89
George T. Burnham,	4 46
Thomas Ness,	5 74
W. F. Woodsum,	3 43
Mary Egan,	15 12
E. P. Holmes,	8 16
C. S. Hannaford,	18 56
R. H. Sumner,	5 15
James T. Weeks,	11 41
John Barbour,	17 67
Pub. Library,	17 94
W. H. Stoddard,	17 20
Daniel Potter,	5 37
Henry L. Dearing,	31 84
Sing Lee,	8 65
Harry S. Bates,	6 59
Henry W. Gore,	12 95
F. W. Leonard,	5 94
Susan J. Hollingsworth,	13 43
N. R. Procter,	2 48
Charles H. Sprague,	8 91
L. B. Hollis,	4 73
George H. Day,	4 32
D. R. Pickham,	4 34
O. A. Bridgham,	3 65
Hobart & Frampton,	4 41
H. C. Beckman,	1 94
J. F. Sheppard, (stable)	94

SUNDAY SERVICES.

Church services are inserted in this paper without charge, but none will be accepted to run until further order. A notice should be sent each week even though it is but a renewal. Give subject and special services when possible. Let all churches be represented—EDS.]

2D SUNDAY AFTER EPIPHANY.

CHRIST'S CHURCH,—Rev. Walter Russell Breed, rector. Morning prayer, litany and Epiphany sermon at 10.30. Sunday School at 12 M. Evening prayer and second address in the series of Church History Talks. Subject: "From the Norman Conquest to the Reformation." Musical service. At 7 P. M. All seats free. Everybody welcome. Wednesday at 8 P. M. St. Andrews Brotherhood meets in their room in the Parish house.

UNITARIAN CHURCH—Rev. Ellery C. Butler, pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Preaching by the pastor. Sunday School at 12 M. Vespers at 4 P. M.

UNIVERSALIST CHURCH—Rev. E. W. Preble pastor. Morning service at 10.30 A. M. Preaching by the pastor. Sunday School at 12 o'clock.

BETHANY CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, junction Hancock and Chestnut streets—Rev. E. N. Hardy, pastor. Morning service at 10.30 A. M. Preaching by the Rev. C. F. H. Crathern, South Braintree, in exchange. Bible School at 12 M. Junior C. E. at 3.30 P. M. Young People's meeting at 6.15 P. M. People's service at 7.30 P. M. in church auditorium. Subject: "The Message of the Gospel." Church prayer meeting Friday evening at 7.30.

CHRISTADELPHIAN CHURCH — At 7 P. M. the subject will be "The Future Age."

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH, Franklin street,—Rev. C. A. Parker, pastor; residence, 18 Gay street. Preaching at 10.30 A. M. Bible school at 12 M. The regular service at 3.30 P. M. discontinued until further notice. Prayer and praise service at 7 P. M. led by the pastor. All are welcome to these services.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, WATER STREET—Rev. Robert Westly Peach, pastor. Morning service, 10.30 o'clock. Evangelistic sermons morning and evening by the pastor, and services by an evangelist throughout the week. Sunday School at 11.45 A. M. Y. P. S. C. E., 6 P. M. Evening service at 7.30. Prayer meeting, Thursday, 7.30 P. M. All always welcome.

FIRST UNITED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH—Orangeman's Hall, 110 Hancock street. Rev. W. W. Dornan will preach Sunday morning at 10.30. Subject: "A Reward for the Righteous." Sunday School and Bible class at the close of the morning service. Christian Endeavor society at 6.30 P. M. Preaching at 7.30 P. M. Subject: "Pure Religion." Prayer meeting Thursday evening at 7.30. Every one is welcome.

WASHINGTON STREET CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH,—Morris Howland Turk, pastor. Morning service with sermon at 11. Bible School at 12 M. Junior Y. P. S. C. E., at 4 P. M. Y. P. S. C. E., 6.30 P. M. Evening service at 7.15. Subject: "Will a Man Rob God?" The first of a short series of evening addresses on "Robbery." A cordial welcome to all.

WOLLASTON UNITARIAN CHURCH—Rev. J. E. Bagley, pastor. Service at 10.45 A. M. Rev. F. H. James will preach. The pastor preaches in Brookline. Sunday School at 12 M. Guild of the Good Shepherd at 6.30.

UNION CHAPEL, Rawson road, Wollaston Park. Services at 3 P. M. conducted by Rev. E. A. Robinson of Wollaston. Sunday School at 4 P. M. All are invited.

ATLANTIC M. E. CHURCH—Rev. Ira E. Price, pastor. Class meeting at 10 A. M. Preaching at 10.45. Sabbath School at 12 M. Epworth League Prayer meeting at 6 P. M. There will be no service at 7 P. M. on account of a union meeting with Memorial Congregational church, Friday. Junior League at 4 P. M. Prayer meeting at 7.30 P. M.

MEMORIAL CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, ATLANTIC—Rev. Edward Norton, minister. Preaching at 10.45 A. M. Sabbath School at 12 M. Meeting of Y. P. C. E. at 6.45 P. M. Union service at 7.30 P. M. Rev. Ira E. Price will preach. Prayer meeting Friday evening at 7.30. Teacher's meeting at the close of the prayer meeting.

—A local telephone company has practically driven the Bell Telephone Co. out of business in Ishpeming, Mich., and also out of Escanaba. The Bell people are now offering 'phones absolutely free to all business and professional men who will agree to keep them in their offices for the coming year.—*Milford Journal.*

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HER CHOICE.

Nay, but you, who do not love her,
Is she not pure gold, my mistress?
—Browning.

There had never been any doubt as to Polly Pemberton's beauty. She had been a young tyrant from babyhood. It had never been of the slightest use trying to keep her under. Her mother made conscientious attempts to not have her in evidence when guests were about, and her father feebly seconded her efforts by trying to keep out of Polly's way. The undertaking was, nevertheless, hopeless. Polly, standing wistfully at the nursery window, made prudent resolutions vanish like chaff. Polly, as Cherry Ripe going to church, was the enchanting thing of the day. When newcomers first caught glimpses of her wheeling her doll carriage or playing with the pup, they were useless for further purposes of entertainment until the first novelty of intercourse with Polly wore off.

"Her conversation alone is worth the price of admission," condescended a cousin of Polly's, second year at Yale.

When Polly grew, horribly spoiled, of course—petulant, exacting, fairly generous, warm hearted, openly truthful—she was so beautiful that everything was permitted to her. She was clever enough to keep even men whose approbation was worth something devoted to her.

The time naturally came when two out of the crowd of worshipers were distancing all competitors. Polly knew her world and foresaw the inevitable decision she would presently be called upon to make. She intended to marry for love, being much too clever to be willing to miss that happiness. She was determined to get out of life all that was in it.

"What a comfort it is to be pretty!" she thought contentedly. "Then really nice men fall in love with one. How dreadful to have to choose from impossible creatures!"

One of the men was an artist. He loved Polly's beauty. Her soul was of no moment. But Polly did not know this. It did not occur to her that any one would dare to separate the two.

The other man loved the inner Polly. He reverenced her beauty, as he did all beauty and truth and the other things worthy men worship. And Polly did not know the difference between the two loves.

There was a tender poetry in the artist's wooing, which was very sweet to her.

He had a way of gently touching her hair and quoting:

Holds earth aught—speak truth—above her—
Above this tress and this I touch,
But cannot praise, I love so much?

which went to Polly's heart. Yet the constant referring to a strong, serious nature, which the other man unquestionably attributed to her, kept her in a rarer atmosphere than, but for the stimulus of his personality, she could have breathed in. She felt this always, but naturally more keenly when the other man was with her.

The futures the two men offered her were vastly different. The artist drew winning pictures of a beautiful, dreamy old world life, drifting in Venice, driving through the Wordsworth land, going from German villages to the boulevard fetes, from the enchantment of Swiss lakes to the Land of the Midnight Sun, and everywhere living a lover existence of "love and beauty and delight."

But the other man spoke of a working day world, of a place where men and women and pitiful children needed help and succor. He drew her into the life of the worse half of the world and showed her its need. He made her hear the cry of children wanting bread, made her see girls like herself ground into awful fates, and through it all she felt his love about her protecting, comforting, infinitely tender and believing.

Meantime the summer was passing. The cooling breezes of early September brought fresh joys. The artist took Polly canoeing, and the other man, who was very boyish and enthusiastic, rowed off his feelings in a single scull.

After all, it was a little thing which decided Polly. One afternoon Polly was making tea on the lawn while the rival contestants were playing tennis. She looked unusually beautiful, and when the set was over the artist made several sketches of her. One of them he called "Over the Teacups," in playful love for the dear waiter. He afterward painted it in, and in a few days showed it to Polly.

"I don't like it at all," she objected.

"It is the portrait of a heartless girl."

"What does it matter?" he said. "With such holy beauty as yours, you could be anything you liked. No one expects you to be anything but beautiful."

Miss Polly Pemberton was not slow. A great many things came back to her as she looked at him for a moment. Then she smiled vaguely.

"One man does," she said sweetly. "The man I am going to marry—not you, you know. He thinks me true and good. But it does not matter to you, does it?"

"Is it Ferris?" asked the artist.

"Yes," said Polly, and so she was irrevocably committed. Ferris' one coherent remark was that it was better to win her by a fluke than not at all.—Exchange.

Longfellow's Little Boy.

Chatterbox tells the story of one little boy of whom Longfellow was very fond, and who often came to see him. One day the child looked earnestly at the long rows of books in the library and at length said, "Have you got 'Jack the Giant Killer?'"

Longfellow was obliged to confess that his library did not contain that venerated volume. The little boy looked very sorry, and presently he slipped down from his knee and went away. But early the next morning Longfellow saw him coming up the walk with something tightly clasped in his little fists. The child had brought him 2 cents with which he was to buy a "Jack the Giant Killer," to be his own.



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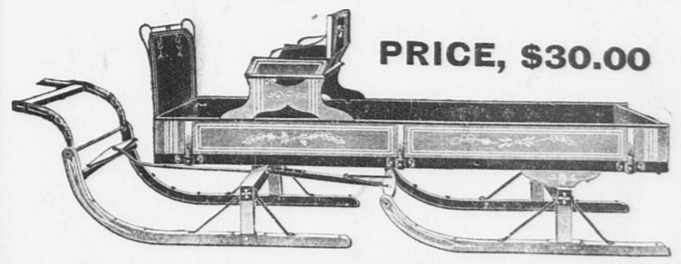
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TELEGRAPHIC.

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CONFESSED HIS GUILT.

Harry L. Richmond Admits Forging Several Indorsements to Notes.

Breaks Down When Confronted by Evidence.

Demands o' Society Made Heavy Drains on His Meagre Purse.

Brockton, Mass., Jan. 18.—Harry L. Richmond, who was arrested Saturday night on a charge of forgery, has confessed his guilt. When confronted by the men whose names he had used to obtain money, he broke down and admitted the charge. The affair has created a sensation in social and business circles.

Richmond's business connection with Colonel Whipple, Fred P. Richmond and Wallace F. Flagg date back to 1891, when two of the three men indorsed a $5000 note for him, which was subsequently discounted by the Randolph National bank. Mr. Flagg did not indorse this note. William H. Savage was the third name on the paper, but when, at its expiration, the note was renewed for $4800. Mr. Flagg became a co-indorser with Colonel Whipple and Mr. Richmond. All three of these gentlemen state that they supposed that the second note was paid by Richmond, but, from the statement of the bank officials, it appears that it was not only renewed once, but three times, each note bearing the same names. At the time of the last renewal, however, a change was made by Richmond, and, instead of one note of $4800, the bank received two notes of $2400 each. The bank officials' suspicions were aroused at this last renewal, and the cashier and one of the directors came to this city and called upon Fred P. Richmond, the second indorser. As a result of the interview, Colonel Whipple and Mr. Flagg were sent for, and all three gentlemen denied indorsing the two $2400 notes. Harry P. Richmond was then summoned, and, upon being confronted by all three gentlemen, he broke down and confessed. The counsel for the bank, Lloyd C. Chamberlain, was called in, and Richmond's confession placed in writing, and, at the same time, he signed a voluntary petition in insolvency. It is understood that after this, all three of the Brockton gentlemen were in favor of allowing Richmond to go, but the bank officials would not consent, and Richmond was turned over to the police and locked up.

It is understood that there are other notes of Richmond's outstanding, but whether the indorsements are genuine cannot be ascertainted. Mr. Flagg, whose name Richmond forged to the Randolph bank notes, admits being an indorser for Richmond on notes of somewhat smaller denominations, but until recently supposed that they had all been paid. Last September, however, he received a notice from a Maine bank that a note bearing his indorsement had been protested. He confronted Richmond with this, and the latter promised to make good the amount. In December, however, two other notes were protested with Flagg's indorsement on them, and it is alleged that the Whitman savings bank holds two more of $500 each. It is probable, however, that none of the banks involved will be losers, as Richmond is said to be worth considerably more than $5000. Richmond was never considered a fast liver, but it is said that the demands of society made a heavy drain on his resources.

STABBED BY HUSBAND.

Providence Woman Dies From Wound Received In Domestic Quarrel.

Providence, Jan. 18.—Mrs. Ella Lee, wife of John J. Lee, a salesman in this city, died at the Rhode Island hospital yesterday from the result of a knife wound in her breast, received during a quarrel with her husband.

The affair occurred last Wednesday, and Lee, after stabbing his wife, went immediately to a police station and gave himself up. He claimed his wife had in former years been under treatment for insanity, and that while suffering from another attack she attacked him with a knife. In the struggle between them she was stabbed.

Upon reaching the hospital, however, Mrs. Lee told a different story. She said that her husband for some time had been wayward, absenting himself from home, and that when he came into the house she upbraided him. He became so incensed at her remarks that he seized a knife and stabbed her.

Lee was arraigned for assault and battery, and was released after giving $1000 bail. Mrs. Lee remained in about the same condition until yesterday, when she began to sink rapidly, and died before the coroner could be summoned to take her ante-mortem statement.

Five-Year-Old Boy Drowned.

Pawtucket, R. I., Jan. 18.—Patrick Ellsworth, 5 years old, was drowned in Scott's pond Saturday evening while skating. He was with a companion of about his own age at the time, and the boy was so frightened that he did not tell what had become of young Ellsworth until yesterday. The body has not been recovered.

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—The theft of Miles, the Boston defaulter, amounts to $300,000 instead of less than $100,000, as first reported. Miles is a big, red rose.

THREE GIRLS ASPHYXIATED.

Was Due to Carelessness or Ignorance of the Oldest One.

Boston, Jan. 18.—Three young lives were destroyed by gas in a tenement house at 107 Heath street, Roxbury, Saturday night. The discovery was made yesterday morning by the father of two of the children. The accident was due to the carelessness or ignorance of the oldest child. The dead are: Mary N. Reynolds, 7 years old; Margaret H. Reynolds, 4 years old; Annie Conneally, 16 years old.

The two younger children were the daughters of John D. Reynolds, a laborer, who occupied the middle floor of the tenement house at 107 Heath street. The Conneally girl was a niece of Reynolds' wife. She was employed to take care of the children.

Reynolds discovered the dead children shortly after he arose yesterday morning. Upon passing the door of the room where the children slept, Reynolds smelled the gas, and, bursting in, saw the three children dead in the bed.

Mrs. Reynolds claims to have instructed the Conneally girl about the gas, but the cock was found to be turned fully on.

Strange Cataleptic Case.

Danbury, Conn., Jan. 18.—Miss Charlotte Pritilla, who went into a cataleptic state 11 days ago, from alleged fright, at being harshly spoken to by a foreman in the hat factory at which she was employed, regained consciousness for the first time yesterday, but, owing to her weak condition, Dr. Wade, the attending physician, has forbidden her talking. The case has attracted widespread attention. At no time since she became unconscious did she take any nourishment until Thursday, when, with great difficulty, a small quantity was administered. She has lost much flesh and is exceedingly weak. About 10 o'clock yesterday morning a twitching about the eyes was the first indication of returning consciousness, and a few minutes later she was able to recognize all about her, and likewise was able to talk, though her voice was scarcely audible.

Redmond at Lynn.

Lynn, Mass., Jan. 18.—Hon. John E. Redmond, the leader of the Parnellite wing of the home rulers in the British house of commons, spent Sunday in this city. In the afternoon he was tendered a reception by the Clover club, composed of the leading Irish-Americans in the city, and addressed the organization, instituting a comparison between the English and American prison systems. Mr. Redmond said that when he returned to England he would bring the matter of the prison system of Great Britain before parliament and make an effort to have it improved and make it more humane, and have the lot of the prisoners more easy. Mayor Ramsdell followed Mr. Redmond, and made an address, in which he expressed his hearty approval of the work in which Mr. Redmond is engaged.

Two More Bodies Washed Ashore.

Chatham, Mass., Jan. 18.—Two more bodies from the wrecked schooner Calvin B. Orcutt were recovered yesterday, being washed up on the beach near Monomoy lighthouse. One of them proved to be the body of Captain Edgar Pearce, which was identified by a gold watch found in his pocket, with name engraved on case. His clothes also contained a roll of bills amounting to $97 and a knife and whistle. There was no flesh on his head or neck, and one leg was broken. The body will be taken to his late home at Manasquam, N. J. The other body is supposed to be that of a sailor. His head, one leg and one arm are missing and there are no marks for identification. The body will be buried here by the town authorities.

Arrested For Stealing Books.

Boston, Jan. 18.—Carl B. Christenson, who says he was a professor in Waterloo City, Ia., was arrested yesterday, charged with stealing about 30 books from the public library. Christenson, who is a Dane, was found at 55 B street, South Boston, where he has been stopping since last September. In his room were about 25 books which came from the Hartford public library. Christenson admitted that he took the books in Hartford, where he stopped a few weeks last summer. While on his way to the police station Christenson attempted to throw some of the books away, but was prevented. Christenson is 36 years old and unmarried.

A Murderous Pole.

Springfield, Mass., Jan. 18.—Dominick Kraphofsky, a Pole living at 73 Sharon street, shot and killed his step-daughter, Victoria Pinkus, aged 16, yesterday, then assaulted his wife and then shot himself in the head. He was taken to the Springfield hospital and will probably live, although the bullet entered his brain. The shooting was the result of an attempt of his wife and step-daughter to have him arrested for drunkennness and non-support.

Time Reduced.

Portland, Me., Jan. 18.—The new steamship John Englis of the Maine Steamship company, reached here at 1:40 o'clock yesterday, aftera run of 20½ hours from New York. This reduces the steamboat time between New York and Portland by fully four hours, the best previous record by boats of this line being a little over 24 hours. The Englis officers say she can beat this record by fully four hours in summer time, under favorable conditions.

NECROLOGY.

David Rounds, aged 67, a prominent citizen of Portland, Me., is dead.

Rev. William Stover, one of the oldest members of the Free Methodist church, who went from Burlington, Vt., last November, died at Kingston, N. Y.

Robert Bishop, aged 59, owner of the Wellesley paper mills and extensively engaged in the cotton interests in Boston, died at his home in Brookline, Mass.

George A. Devens, aged 83, died at his home at Melrose, Mass. Mr. Devens was in the commission business in Boston for a number of years. He was born in Charlestown.

Albert B. Otis, lawyer, aged 57, died suddenly, at Belfast, Me., of heart disease. For some years he practiced in Boston. Mr. Otis was unmarried. He was a graduate of Tufts college and Harvard Law school.

CURE FOR SWEATSHOPS

New York Factory Inspector Says Congress Should Act.

Restriction of Immigration Would Help.

No Laws Made to Reach Tenement House Workers.

Albany, Jan. 18.—State Factory Inspector O'Leary, in his 11th annual report, goes into details in regard to the evils of the sweating system in vogue in all of the principal cities of America.

The inspector says: "Congress can to a very large degree solve the problem of the abolition of the sweating system by passing more stringent emigration laws and by a tax system that would force the workers out of the tenements into shop buildings, where state legislation can reach them."

Further he says the greatest evil which labor is burdened with is no more prevalent in New York city than it is in Buffalo, Rochester, Syracuse, Philadelphia, Boston, Chicago, San Francisco, Hartford, Newark, St. Louis, St. Paul and every other large centre of population, and especially in cities or localities where the manufacture of clothing is carried on to any exent.

Inspector O'Leary says:

"With knee pants bringing but from 50 to 75 cents per dozen, vests from $1 to $3 per dozen, trousers from 12½ to 75 cents per pair, and coats from 32 cents to $1.50 each, with a percentage off these prices for the 'boss sweaters,' and another reduction off for cost of carting, which the workman is obliged to pay, we cannot expect to find anything but destitution, suffering, intellectual and moral depression, existing amongst the unfortunate victims of this pernicious system.

"In New York city alone, we have about 400 wholesale clothing manufacturers or jobbers, and nearly all of these utilize this kind of labor. There are nearly 150 wholesale cloak houses in the same city, and only a few of them have suitable shops and workrooms of their own in which to do the work.

"Nearly all ready-made clothing is now made up in places of this kind. The contractors, who operate fairly good shops, as a rule, do not complete the garments, but parcel out the minor parts, such as felling, button-holing, sewing on buttons, etc., to sub-contractors or to families, who do the work in tenements or dwelling houses at prices which, after the long hours of toil, will produce only a few cents. The condition of the clothing trade in New York city is worse today than ever before. We find men going to the employer and offering to work two or three hours extra, if only given a chance to work, thus voluntarily subjecting themselves to a condition of slavery. Right here is where all the evils of the sweating system come in, for all complaints are based upon the amount of wages earned, and the laws of the state prescribe no remedy which can be applied at this point.

"The power of the officers of the bureau is limited, and their duties are prescribed by law. The department can abate the evil of overcrowding factory workrooms, but it cannot prevent the overcrowding of rooms in tenements which are used as workrooms by members of families.

"The officers of the department can force the child under 14 years of age, and the illiterate child out of the workshop, or factory, but are powerless to molest them when they are found employed in their own home circles. The department can cause the reduction of excessive hours of labor required of women under 21 and youths under 18 years of age, when employed in shops, but it cannot prevent such long hours of toil being imposed on persons of the same age when employed at home."

New Jersey Provided For.

Newark, N. J., Jan. 18.—Vice President-elect Garrett A. Hobart, in an interview, yesterday, said there would be no cabinet appointments from New Jersey, more particularly for the reason, he added, that New Jersey seems to have been pretty well provided for. He said that the talk of a military escort for the vice president-elect from New Jersey to Washington amounted to nothing. He did not desire anything of the kind, and the matter will not even be submitted to the legislature for consideration, he declared. Mr. Hobart will go to Washington on Tuesday, March 2. He will be accompanied by Mrs. Hobart and his son. He has taken apartments at the Arlington, and will reside there while his official duties require his presence at the national capital. In Mr. Hobarts' party will be Governor Griggs and his staff.

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HENRY H. FAXON.
Jan. 18. 12t

TO THE PATRONS
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HORACE P. KENT.
Jan. 16. 2w

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

STATE HOUSE, BOSTON, Jan. 15, 1897.

THE Committee on STREET RAILWAYS will give a hearing to parties interested in the petition of J. A. Prescott and others for legislation authorizing an appeal from orders of the selectmen relative to the location of street railways, and authorizing any street railway company that may construct its tracks between the village of Foxboro in the County of Norfolk and Mansfield in the County of Bristol to act as common carriers, at Room No. 431, State House, on THURSDAY, Jan. 21, at 10 o'clock A. M.

R. W. IRWIN, Chairman.
P. J. KENNEDY,
Clerk of the Committee. 18-3t

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

STATE HOUSE, BOSTON, Jan. 14, 1897.

THE Committee on COUNTIES will give a hearing to parties interested in the petition of the Town of Brookline for certain amendments to the existing laws relating to the duties and liabilities of County Commissioners and County Treasurers as set forth in House Bills 18, 19, 20, 21, 22 and 23, at Room No. 425 State House, on WEDNESDAY, Jan. 20, at 10.30 o'clock A. M.

ALBERT L. HARWOOD, Chairman.
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Clerk of the Committee. 16-2t

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Two Weeks' Temperature.

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CONSIDERABLE SURPRISE is expressed throughout the city and especially at Wollaston that the city should be again called upon to buy another large lot of land for the Wollaston school.

The late Nathaniel Safford of Milton, who owned considerable real estate at Wollaston before it was placed on the market by the Wollaston Land Company, gave to the town of Quincy, for school purposes, at the request of Mr. George F. Pinkham, a tract of land located at the corner of Beale street and Prospect avenue. This lot measured approximately 225 feet by 158 feet and contained 35,450 square feet of land. This was in 1873. The town then erected upon the easterly side of this lot the Wollaston school.

In 1890 the city voted to enlarge the building, and it was subsequently done at an expense of $8,500. In building this addition the structure was necessarily brought directly on the line of a piece of land owned by Mr. Charles R. Sherman. The grade of Mr. Sherman's land was so abrupt that the lot at its highest point was on a level with the second story windows of the school building and the water during heavy rains ran down this steep bank and percolated through the cellar walls, and into the cellar of the new part. In 1892 the city in order to protect its property and secure the right to cut away this banking and build a retaining wall bought of Mr. Sherman this piece of land, which contained 13,533 square feet, paying him $2,000 for it. In doing this the city had a rectangular lot, extending from Prospect to Winthrop avenues containing 48,983 square feet, and measuring approximately 300 feet by 160 feet. This brought the school building in about the centre of the lot and when the Sherman lot is graded, as is now gradually being done, will make the whole scheme very attractive.

To the people of Wollaston it was apparent that the land question about the Wollaston school had been settled for all time, there being as much land as the city will ever need for the building and the use of the children who attend the school.

In the rear of the school lot there are two lots of unoccupied land. One is above the level of the second story windows of the school house and extends half way from Winthrop avenue to Prospect avenue, and the other which is on a level with the school land backs up to the first mentioned lot and runs through to Prospect avenue. It is the first lot which the city is called upon to purchase. This lot as previously noted is on a steep hill and cannot be used for a play ground or any other practical purpose for which the School Committee may wish to use it. It will be of no benefit for the city to purchase it, and, as the city is not in the real estate business it may not be premature to hazard the prediction that the school committee, who are now investigating the matter, will, with their usual good judgment indefinitely postpone any action on the matter.

AN EXAMPLE of what a Board of Trade can do for a city is shown in the case of Chelsea, which has taken a new lease of life, and which is even considering a change of name to escape the jibes and threadbare jokes. Nearly a page of a Boston Sunday paper was devoted to setting forth the advantages of Chelsea, and we quote:

"But to the Chelsea Board of Trade, which is a little more than two years old, and has about 125 members, belongs all glory. During its brief existence it is probable that the city has advanced more along all lines than ever before in double the time. The secretary of the board, ex-Alderman John H. Crandon, who for 30 years was a successful journalist, has been a diligent worker for the improvement of his city, and he has most ably and emphatically defended its fair fame."

IF "JUNE" will indicate a little more minutely along just what lines he wishes the LEDGER to investigate at City Hall, we will be happy to give the information as far as possible. It is a lamentable fact that few people and many of the Councilman do not understand the financial situation.

MONEY IS quoted very low in the Boston market. Time loans from 3 to 5 per cent. against 6 to 9 last year at this time. Yet many find it difficult to get money.

THE POLICE continue to do good work in recovering stolen property, and bringing offenders to justice.

HURDY GURDY PARTY.

The Novelty Took Well and All Seemed Happy.

The amusement public which desires something in the way of a novelty had their desire gratified Saturday in the "Hurdy Gurdy" party given from 6.30 to 10.30 o'clock at Faxon hall, for the benefit of the Fragment society of the First church. While the hurdy gurdy and its tamborine accompaniment are a little out of the ordinary in the way of dance music it was a novelty, and as such was thoroughly enjoyed by many of the young society people of Quincy, as well as by the more stately people who were not content to watch the merrymakers from the platform but joined the dancers.

The performers on the hurdy gurdy and tamborine were a son and daughter of sunny Italy who looked neat especially the daughter who wore a white apron, while about her head was the handkerchief which characterizes the costume of the nation as best known to the American public.

The party was under the management of Mrs. M. A. Perkins and Mrs. Wilson Tisdale, and the patronesses were: Miss Elizabeth C. Adams, Mrs. Lewis Bass, Mrs. T. L. Sturtevant, Mrs. H. M. Faxon, Mrs. George S. Keyes and Mrs. T. A. Whicher, while the floor was in charge of Mr. Henry M. Faxon, Mr. Harvey Field, Mr. C. Eaton Pierce, and Mr. Harry Russell.

Ices were served at 9 o'clock, and at 10 30 when the party was concluded it was voted a complete success.

Mr. Wilson Tisdale did yeoman service in collecting tickets at the box office while Mr. Henry H. Faxon assisted the ladies materially in the serving of ices.

Co. K Inspector.

Col. Fred G. King, A. I. G., will be the inspector of the Fifth regiment this year. The general rules require the "Inspectors to report in full on armory accommodations, with opinion as to the amount which should properly be allowed and paid by the commonwealth, and the manner of discharge of duty by armorers or janitors. They will in all cases where inefficient officers are found make at once a special report thereon. They will thoroughly examine the books of the commands, and ascertain if properly kept and that the files of orders are complete. The inspection will be rigid as to the administration of affairs in commands, attention to duties by officers and men, what has been done in the matter of emergency ration and if the alarm lists are complete."

Appointed by President Adams.

Roswell Beardsley, who is now serving his 69th consecutive year as postmaster, at North Lansing, N. Y., has his commission as postmaster bearing the signature of John Quincy Adams, and the date, June 24, 1828, still decorating the wall of his library. He was offered several years ago a liberal price for it by the New York Geographical Society, but fortunately did not need the money. Mr. Beardsley was 19 years old when appointed, and will soon complete the 87th year of his age. He is a democrat, and hence Mr. Cleveland has refrained from superseding him. There are families in the neighborhood whom he has served for six generations.

The Freight Car Break.

It has been ascertained that but one pair of shoes were taken from the freight car at the Quincy depot last Thursday night although the party ruined a number of pair of the patent leather shoes by trying them on and scuffing on the car floor, and the impression is that the theft was the work of a tramp.

The mate to the shoe found near Virchild Saturday was found that afternoon near Capen's bridge, but these shoes were not taken from the frieght car or the store at Braintree, and in this case the impression is that some party purchased the shoes in Quincy or elsewhere and was walking home on the track and lost them.

Young Mens' Christian Association.

Rev. Edward Norton gave a very inspiring talk on "Aiming Life" Sunday afternoon."

At a meeting of the Reception Committee on Thursday evening it was voted to arrange for a carom's tournament to be held Tuesday evening, beginning tomorrow evening. With the orchestra and tournament, things will be lively.

Quincy Post Office.

Letters uncalled for Monday, Jan. 18:

Fred Bergquist, Martin French, Charles Johnson, Charles Lyon, George Miles, Thomas Mahar, David Roberts, A. C. Sears, Herrn Heinrich Seel.

Miss Mary E. Butler, Miss Alice M. Poree.

There was an increased attendance at the First Presbyterian church, Water street, last evening, the result of the past week's conference. The pastor preached with great earnestness upon "Lost Opportunities," from the text, "Inasmuch as ye did it not unto one of the least of these, ye did it not unto me." He spoke of the opportunities lost for relieving physical and mental distress, for confessing Christ as the Saviour and cause of all good deeds, for witnessing to Christ and leading other souls to the blessed Redeemer. This evening the evangelistic services begin, the Rev. Thomas Clayton, a scholarly and devout divine in charge.

A gold-weighing machine in the bank of England is so sensitive that a postage stamp dropped on the scale will turn the index on the dial a distance of two inches.

Much Expected of Gnome.

The Herald in speaking of the "Gnome," Mr. Harold B. Faxon's new boat, says:

Those now in charge of the "half-rater" Gnome believe, had this boat received proper nursing and handling in the Oyster Bay races last summer, that she would have been selected as the small boat defender, and this in face of her record. However this may be, the Gnome is going to have a new and larger sail plan this season, and she will be raced in the fourth class. Of course, she will sail under different conditions this season, but those now owning her have a big job on hand if they expect to make people believe that the Gnome was defeated on account of poor handling.

In the Gnome, our small boat yachtsmen have a most formidable fact to guide them. Here is a boat which was built and raced under a restricted rule. This year she will race under our association rule, and what more need be said about the good of our rule over that under which she was built, because it is universally conceded that she will be faster under our more liberal conditions. She will race with a larger crew and sail, and beside this, the lead has been taken off her board. Why should a boat 15 feet long, with only 225 square feet of sail, such as the Gnome, which cost $900, be preferred to a comfortable catboat of greatly superior accommodations for the same price? Still, the former boat is what the believers in restriction want to force on clubs and owners.

Arrested and Sentenced.

As was stated in the DAILY LEDGER of Friday someone unknown stole a coat, gloves, etc., from the stable of Joseph T. French. The circumstances surrounding the case were such as to lead the police to think that the parties who did the thieving were acquainted with the premises, and that the party would try to dispose of the property in some of the numerous pawnshops in Boston.

Inspector McKay notified the Boston officers who Saturday afternoon arrested Walter Butterfield as he was in the act of pawning the overcoat stolen. He was placed under arrest, and turned over to Inspector McKay who brought him to Quincy.

When arrested Butterfield said he had been sent in by Mr. French to sell the overcoat. Butterfield worked for Mr. French last winter and was therefore thoroughly acquainted with the premises. He was arraigned in court this morning.

Sunday Fires.

The fire department was called out twice Sunday by alarms of fire but the loss in both cases was small.

The first alarm came in from Box 49 at 10 A. M. and was for a fire in one of the Italian shanties along the line of the Quarry railroad of West Quincy. The shanty was unoccupied, and being some distance from any water it was practically destroyed, as was also the shanty adjoining it. The fire was undoubtedly of incendiary origin and the loss was in the vicinity of $200.

The second alarm was from Box 441 and was rung in at 8 P. M. for a small fire in the engine house of Franklin Hardwick & Son on Quarry street. The fire started from some unknown cause near the rafters and was extinguished with a loss of not over $15.

Body Found.

While at the fire on the line of the Quarry railroad Sunday morning the firemen, in order to get water were obliged to cut a hole in the ice in a quarry hole pond. In doing so there floated to the surface part of the body of an infant which was tied up in what was once a towel. The towel was nearly rotted away and the part of the infant found was badly decomposed and had evidently been in the water a long time.

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Burns' anniversary is near at hand.

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Miss M. E. Fish, formerly of Quincy, is visiting friends on Hancock street.

There is some interest over the organization of the Republican City Committee.

Hoderosa tribe of Red Men will adopt three pale faces on Thursday evening.

Evangelistic services will continue at the Water Street Presbyterian church every evening this week.

The heavy rain Sunday night removed what little snow and ice there was in the streets, and brought out the frost.

F. F. Courtney and John Suckling, former principals of the Willard school, are in the Boston list of the Globe's contest.

Some miscreant has broken nearly all of the incandescent lamps which light Newport avenue, between Central avenue and Adams street.

Albert Keating is finishing his building over the brook, and it is reported that he will open a second hand furniture store therein.

An excursion of the Daughters of the American Revolution will be made to Washington, Feb. 20, conducted by Miss Floretta Vining.

Many who attended the High school reunion were disappointed not to see Mr. Harrison A. Keith, for many years principal of the school.

The appearance of Wibird street has been greatly improved by the removal of the old shed on the Crane estate. The site would make a good building lot.

The legislators at the State House have Representative Newcomb all worked up, it is said, over that charge of the ladies, and he shows signs of weakening at the mock trial.

Citizens of Quincy should be interested in the Legislative hearing on Wednesday on the changes proposed in county laws, as their need has been shown in Norfolk county.

The Quincy team by their victory in the City league Friday, are tied with the Prospects for fifth place. Fratus has the best Quincy average, but Peverley and Lennon are both over the 150 mark.

Rev. C. F. H. Crathern of South Braintree, who preached at Bethany Congregational church Sunday morning in exchange with Rev. Mr. Hardy, gave a very able sermon. His theme was "The King's Crown," and he told what art, poetry, etc., had done for religion.

At Bethany Congregational church this evening Rev. C. Parker of the Calvary Baptist church will conduct the lesson of the Training school on "The Birth and Childhood of Christ." The lecture will be by Rev. Dr. Boynton on "The Upper End of the Sunday School."

Next season promises to be a lively one for the Quincy Yacht club. Mr. William P. Barker is the first member reported to have placed an order for a new boat. Hanley is building for him a cat boat measuring approximately 27 feet overall and 19 feet on the waterline. Her overlay will be forward.

Commissioner Marshall of Boston advertises for sealed proposals to supply the public institutions of Boston with granite, in accordance with specifications which may be obtained at the office of the Commissioner, 32 Tremont street. They will be received until Friday, January 22, 1897, at 11 o'clock A. M.

The Herald reports that an attempt is to be made to form an amateur league from roller poloist teams representing Quincy, Rockland, North Weymouth, South Weymouth, Weymouth and East Weymouth, the games to be played in the new East Weymouth rink before the regular games to be played by the local professional team.

The ladies who undertook to supply a free supper to all the worshippers at the Bethany Congregational church, on the occasion of the annual church meeting on Wednesday evening, undertook a great task, for they must cater to at least 400. They are succeeding, however, remarkably well and there promises to be plenty of turkey, rolls, cake, etc.

Gen. Casper Crowninshield, a brother of Mrs. John Quincy Adams, and an uncle of Mayor Adams died recently. Gen. Crowninshield was a valued member of the Somerset and Country clubs, handsome and distinguished in bearing, and a genial, amiable and most entertaining companion. Not having been well for some months he had been seen little of late in his usual haunts.

—Thomas Cave, Jr., has been reelected secretary of the Barre Granite Dealers' Association.

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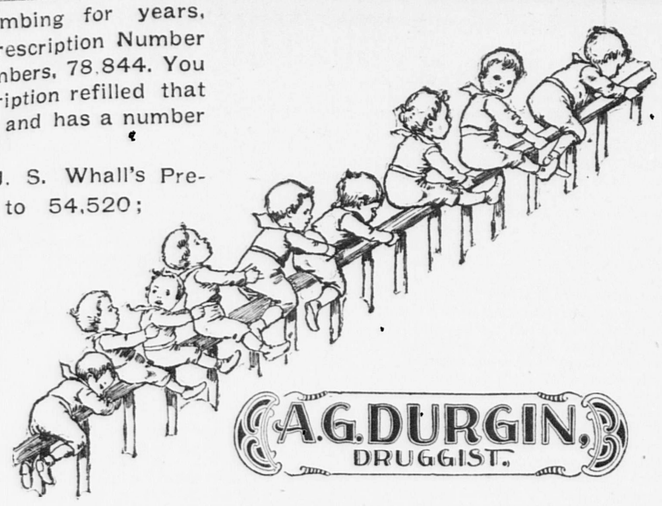
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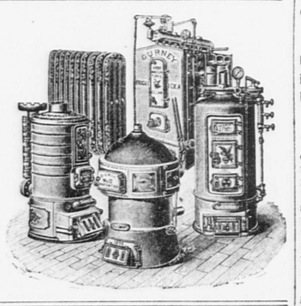
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Whereas, a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to John F. Merrill of said Quincy, or to some other suitable person.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Hyde Park, in said County of Norfolk, on the twenty-seventh day of January, A. D. 1897, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive, in the QUINCY DAILY LEDGER, a newspaper published in said Quincy, the last publication to be one day, at least before said Court.

Witness, George White, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this fifteenth day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.

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There was a large gathering at Hancock hall Sunday evening in aid of Dr. Gallagher and Whitehead who were sent to an asylum in England.

The concert and lecture were held under the auspices of all the Irish societies of the city and Division 15, A. O. H., of Weymouth. On the platform were John Devoy and the following : Hon. William S. McNary, John A. Ryan, Michael McManus, Owen O'Laughlin, Michael Dever, Edmund, Cusins, Terance Cavanagh, John J. Teevens of Boston; James Quigley, Robert Kent, James White, D. Crimmins, John T. Savage, James E. McDonald and others.

The concert included solos by Miss Mary White, Charles F. Forrester, and Vincent Turley, and readings by Miss Ellen Forrester.

Hon. William S. McNary was unable to lecture because of a severe cold. John A. Ryan of Boston spoke of Ireland's wrongs, and Dr. Ash then introduced John Devoy, the Irish patriot who received a cordial welcome and close attention. He described fully the hardships inflicted upon the Irish prisoners, and made an earnest plea for funds.

Attempted to Escape.

Charles Roundbeller, who was convicted in the District court at Quincy on Saturday for an assault with a horse shoe on Charles M. Hall at Cohasset, made a daring attempt to regain his liberty while being taken to Dedham by Officer Kittrell. While the train was passing through Roslindale, Roundbeller asked permission to go to the toilet room and when he entered the room he locked the door behind him The officer who was watching Roundbeller was surprised to see his feet thrust through an outside window. The officer forced the door open and collared his prisoner before he succeeded in getting his body through the window. When the train reached Dedham Officer Kittrell landed his man in Dedham jail.

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—The Milton academy ice polo team was whitewashed by the Cambridge boys on Saturday.

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A CARD OF THANKS.

We take this way to show our appreciation of the part Councilman Hiram W. Phillips took in furnishing for us and our friends a means of enjoyment in the coming weeks. Wishing to have a pond where we could skate, and not knowing just what course to take, Mr. Phillips came to our assistance with the privilege of building a dam on South street and directed us in its construction, making a pond large enough to accommodate us all.

Business men in this age are usually so engrossed with their own interests that it is a pleasure to find one ready to enter into the thoughts of the young people and add to their enjoyment.

YOUNG PEOPLE OF QUINCY POINT.

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MARRIED.

PETTENGILL—WALTON—In West Roxbury, Jan. 14, by Rev. Alfred R. Hussey, Mr. Charles F. Pettengill of Quincy to Mrs. Lizzie P. Walton of Boston.

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BELCHER—In Holbrook, Jan. 14, Miss Mary E., daughter of Mr. E. Stephen and Mrs. Lucretia T. Belcher, aged 47 years.

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OHIO SENATORSHIP.

Statement That Governor Bushnell Will Take It Himself.

Springfield, O., Jan. 18.—A close relative of Governor Bushnell, whose name cannot be used for obvious reasons, makes the statement, the authority of which there can be no doubt, that Governor Bushnell, in so many words, stated to him that he would not appoint M. A. Hanna to the vacancy in the United States senate. The governor and the relative mentioned had quite a talk on the subject, and the governor gave him to understand that Hanna's name could not be considered for the place at all. The relative further along stated that there was no doubt whatever of Governor Bushnell's desire to go to the senate himself. He added that he was very ambitious, politically, and the present situation afforded him an opportunity to gratify a long-cherished wish to get into the senate.

In connection with the above, a number of Governor Bushnell's friends are openly requesting him to resign as governor and then let Lieutenant Governor Jones, who would be his successor, appoint him senator. Jones would, in that event, it is urged, be the Republican candidate for governor next fall by the turn of affairs. To strengthen the above statement, if strength be needed, all the newspaper men who have tried to interview Governor Bushnell about Hanna's candidacy for United States senator, know that he has always courteously declined to talk about it. In view of this fact, it is argued that, if there was no objection to Hanna, the governor would speak out.

Hanna Doesn't Talk.

Cleveland, Jan. 18.—Chairman Mark Hanna says that he has authorized no one to state that he has come out as a candidate for United States senator to succeed Senator Sherman. That is a matter that he is not discussing with anybody.

Bloodshed Over Election.

Cincinnati, Jan. 18.—A special to the Commercial Tribune from Columbus, Ga., says: For over 24 hours the village of Byron, in Houston county, has been in a state of riot, in which four men, Messrs. C. C. Richardson, C. L. Bateman, C. C. Bateman and R. H. Baskies were shot and others held in terror. The trouble grew out of an election for municipal offices held two weeks ago, which resulted in a tie, the town dividing into two bitter factions, charges of fraud being freely interchanged between the leaders. A second election was called for Saturday, to decide the contest, in which every voter was brought up to the polls, not a change taking place in the political alignments, thus causing fear of a second tie, which actually was the result. The leaders of the factions were Charles L. Bateman and C. C. Richardson. Unfortunately, they approached the polls at the same moment, when a personal collision took place, in which shooting was begun. Their followers made a rush home for arms, and in a few moments, the village presented a warlike scene. The telegraph operator, who was a lady, abandoned her key in terror, and for hours the outside world was cut off from communication. The arrival of the sheriff restored comparative peace, but at night the trouble was renewed, and at the ringing of the school bell the entire population was once more in the street. The sheriff succeeded in establishing his authority, but the feud now started, especially since the election has to be held over again, is looked upon as one to result in further bloodshed.

Another Northwest Blizzard.

Detroit, Jan. 18.—Unusually heavy winds were experienced all over Michigan yesterday. Conditions developed into a severe blizzard in the northern portion. At Marquette, the temperature fell 22 degrees in 10 hours, and two feet of snow fell. In western Michigan, gales and snow storms prevail. At Jackson, the roof was blown off the malt house of Haehnles' brewery, doing $1000 damage and leaving 10,000 bushels of malt exposed.

St. Paul, Jan. 18.—Saturday and yesterday, throughout the Dakotas, Minnesota and Wisconsin, a regular old-fashioned snow storm has been prevailing, and the mercury is dropping slowly. A heavy snow fall has been very generally reported, and a gale has drifted the snow badly, demoralizing street cars in the cities, and generally interfering with transportation facilities. The snow will be good for the coming crops, and is, therefore, welcomed by farmers. Saturday the storm was reported in Dakota, and in the afternoon, it put in its appearance in this state. A warm and heavy snow fall opened the siege, and yesterday the temperature was much lower, a keen wind adding discomfort to the belated pedestrians.

Cincinnati, Jan. 18.—A special to the Commercial Tribune from Anderson, Ind., says:

Yesterday afternoon a hurricane passed over the central part of Indiana, doing damage at various places. The greatest loss here was the destruction of factory No. 4, of the Anderson Window Glass company, the roof being carried away, and the walls fell in on the fired furnaces.

Czar Is Ill.

St. Petersburg, Jan. 18.—Dr. Bergmann, the eminent German specialist, has been summoned to perform an operation on the czar to prevent the possible extension of a slight osseous excrescence which has appeared on the cranium, where his majesty was struck by a Japanese fanatic in 1891, while, as czarewitch, he was making a tour of the world. This, combined with overwork, has caused the czar to suffer from attacks of vertigo for some time past.

OBITUARY.

Joseph C. Willard, aged 77, for many years prominent in the business life of Washington, died at his home at Washington. Mr. Willard was the owner of the hotel in Washington bearing his name.

William S. Moore, aged 52, the stepfather of Annabelle Moore, on whose complaint Captain Chapman raided the Seeley dinner at Sherry's, died at his home in New York, as the result of a cold contracted during the Chapman trial at police headquarters. He was well known in theatrical circles.

Dr. Thomas T. Janeway, aged 36, died suddenly on Friday in Bermuda, whither he had gone to recuperate from the effects of overwork. He was born in Princeton, N. J., in 1860. His early education was obtained in Philips academy, Andover, Mass. After graduating there he studied medicine under the famous surgeon, Dr. Willard Parker.

TODAY'S COURT.

Michael J. Lynch was arraigned for drunkenness at Quincy. Case continued for two weeks.

Cansta Probatti was fined $5 for drunkenness at Quincy.

John Brown was arraigned for drunkenness at Quincy and fined $5.

The continued case of Timothy J. Bowler for drunkenness at Quincy was called and again continued until Feb. 23.

John Dixon was arraigned for the larceny of a lantern at Weymouth valued at $1 and was sentenced to thirty days imprisonment at Dedham.

Walter Butterfield was arraigned for the larceny of a coat, gloves, mittens and muffler all valued at $7 25 from Edward Stokes at the stable of Joseph T. French at Quincy. Butterfield pleaded guilty and was sentenced to three months in the House of Correction.

John Sullivan pleaded guilty to keeping a common nuisance at Randolph. Case continued until Thursday.

The Moody Meetings.

It is announced that Dr. F. B. Meyer of London, the noted preacher and author, is coming over to assist Mr. Moody in February. This will be Dr. Meyer's first appearance in Boston, though he has been at Northfield for three seasons.

A Lucky Poet.

Thomas Bailey Aldrich, who was recently bequeathed $400,000 by a Boston millionaire, has always been one of the most fortunate of American poets in regard to financial affairs. He began his literary career at the age of 20 and has been prominent as a writer for almost 40 years, but during this long period he has done but comparatively little work,



THOMAS B. ALDRICH.

although living a life of luxury. His good fortune is almost entirely due to the generosity of the late Henry L. Pierce, from whom came the recent legacy. Mr. Pierce early became his patron and gave him a $50,000 residence in Boston as well as other property. Mr. Aldrich has traveled much and written as little as he pleased, but that which he has given to the public has been extremely graceful and of his best quality.

A Pretty Story of Carlyle.

The grim old Chelsea hermit when he was a child saved, in a broken teacup, a little fortune of three bright halfpence. One day, however, a poor old beggar came to the door with a bad arm, and Carlyle, touched with pity, at once gave him all his treasure. In after life, in referring to the incident, he used to say: "The feeling of happiness was most intense. I would give £100 now to have that sensation for one moment back again."

The Touchstone.

I told mine enemy the truth. His brow
At first grew stern, and from his angry eye
The lightnings flashed. But soon he spake:
"'Tis now
I see I judged you falsely. Wrong was I!
Forgive me for the past and let us forth
To roam through peaceful meads, all strife at end!"
So arm in arm we went, no longer wroth.
The truth had made mine enemy a friend!

I told my friend the truth. He bravely smiled,
And with a gracious courtesy averred,
"Your candor pleases me!" Yet 'neath his mild
And glad exterior a something stirred
Which plainer said than words: "We are estranged
Forevermore. Your lance hath wounded me
Past all redress!" Love had to hatred changed.
The truth had made my friend an enemy!
—Eleanor C. Donnelly.

The Other World.

It lies around us like a cloud,
The world we do not see.
Yet the sweet closing of an eye
May bring us there to be.

Its gentle breezes fan our cheek
Amid our worldly cares.
Its gentle voices whisper love
And mingle with our prayers.

Sweet hearts around us throb and beat,
Sweet helping hands are stirred,
And palpitates the veil between
With breathings almost heard.

The silence, awful, sweet and calm,
They have no power to break,
For mortal words are not for them
To utter or partake.

So thin, so soft, so sweet they glide,
So near to press they seem,
They lull us gently to our rest,
They melt into our dream.

And in the hush of rest they bring
'Tis easy now to see
How lovely and how sweet a pass
The hour of death may be—

To close the eye and close the ear,
Wrapped in a trance of bliss,
And, gently drawn in loving arms,
To swoon from that to this,

Scarce knowing if we wake or sleep,
Scarce asking where we are,
To feel all evil sink away,
All sorrow and all care!

Sweet souls around us watch us still,
Press nearer to our side,
Into our thought, into our prayers,
With gentle helping glide.

Let death between us be as naught,
A dried and vanished stream,
Your joy be the reality,
Our suffering life the dream.
—Harriet Beecher Stowe.

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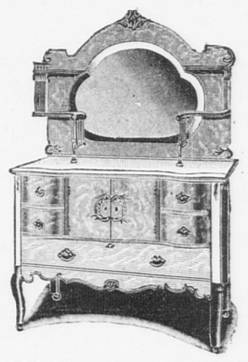
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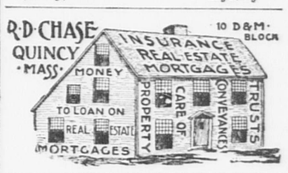
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NOTICE TO PARENTS.



CITY OF QUINCY.

CITY CLERK'S OFFICE, Dec. 14, 1896.

THE Record of births in any city or town is always more or less unsatisfactory, owing to the fact that the canvasser finds difficulty in getting the necessary information. Names and dates are frequently given incorrectly. The importance of accuracy is shown in many cases where there is a question of descent, or inheritance of property, or collection of life insurance or pensions. The City Clerk's copy of the record is accepted as conclusive evidence in a court of law. While great pains are taken by this office to have the record correct, experience shows that it is necessary that parents themselves should lend their assistance. In fact the law requires that parents shall give notice to the City Clerk of the birth of their children, and provides a penalty for neglect to give such notice for the space of six months.

It often happens that only children or servants are at home when the canvasser makes his call, and the answers to his questions are open to doubt. I therefore request all parents in whose households a birth has occurred in the year 1896, to place upon a paper or card the required information, and keep it in a convenient place until the canvasser appears.

The canvass will be commenced on Jan. 1, 1897.

HARRISON A. KEITH, City Clerk.

Dec. 14 to Feb. 1. Dec. 19—7w

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Leave NEPONSET—6.22 A. M., 6.37, 6.52, 7.07, 7.22, and every 7, 22, 37 and 52 minutes past the hour until 7.00 o'clock, then every half hour until 11 P. M.; last car for Quincy at 11.15 P. M. Cars leaving Neponset 22 minutes past the hour via. Norfolk Downs.

Quincy and East Weymouth.

Leave CITY HALL (10 minutes later from Quincy Point and 22 minutes later from North Weymouth)—5.45, 6.20, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, 11.20, 11.50 A. M.; 12.20, 12.50, 1.20, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20 4.50 5.20 (5.30 to East Weymouth car house), 5.50, 6.20, 6.30, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.50 P. M.

Leave EAST WEYMOUTH (20 minutes later from North Weymouth and 30 minutes later from Quincy Point)—6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11, 11.30 A. M.; 12, 12.30, 1, 1.30, 2, 2.30, 3, 3.30, 4, 4.30, 5, 5.30, 6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11.30 P. M.

Quincy and East Milton.

Leave CITY HALL, 5.55, 6.25, then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 8.55 P. M., then at 9.50 and 10.50 P. M.

Leave EAST MILTON, 6.30, 7.00 A. M., then on the hour and half hour until 9.30 P.M., then at 10.20 and 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and Holbrook.

Leave QUINCY for SOUTH BRAINTREE and HOLBROOK at 6.10 and 6.40 A. M., and every 10 minutes past and 20 minutes of the hour until 10.10 P. M. Last car leaves at 10.50 P. M. On Saturdays the last car leaves Quincy at 11.50 P. M.

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r 6 12 abc	*	6 30	5 53 ihgfedcba*		6 20 r
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r 11 12 abc		11 30	2 30 cba		2 49 r
r 12 12 abc		12 30	3 30 cba		3 49 r
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r 3 12 abc		3 30	5 30 cba		5 49 r
r 4 12 abc		4 30	6 00 cba		6 19 r
r 5 12 abc		5 30	6 15 a		6 32
r 6 12 abc		6 30	6 30 cba		6 49 r
r 7 12 abc		7 30	7 00 cba		7 19 r
r 7 41 abcdefghi		8 07	7 30 cba		7 49 r
r 8 08 abcdef		8 30	8 30 fedcba		8 53 r
r 9 12 abc		9 30	9 30 cba		9 49 r
r 10 08 abcdef		10 30	10 30 fedcba		10 53 r
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r 11 12 abc		11 30	11 30 cba		11 49 r

SUNDAYS.

6 38 abcdef	7 00	4 05 fda		4 23
8 46 (xx)	9 00	7 30 fedcba		7 53 r
r 9 12 abc	9 30	8 30 (xx)		8 45
r 12 16 (xx)	12 30	9 30 ihgfedcba		9 57 r
1 07 abc	1 25	10 30 ihgfedcba		10 57 r
2 16 (xx)	2 30	11 30 (xx)		11 45
r 3 04 abcdefghi	3 30	12 35 cba		12 54
r 4 04 abcdefghi	4 30	1 30 (xx)		1 45
5 16 (xx)	5 30	4 30 cba		4 49 r
r 6 08 abcdef	6 30	5 00 (xx)		5 15
r 9 08 abcdef	9 30	7 00 fedcba		7 23 r
9 38 adf	9 55	10 30 fedcba		10 53 r

*The letters in the same line as the figures stand for different stations and indicate that trains stop, as follows:

a, Wollaston. b, Norfolk Downs c, Atlantic. d, Neponset. e, Pope's Hill. f, Harrison Square. g, Savin Hill. h, Crescent Avenue. i, South Boston. r, Quincy Adams. (xx), Express.

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NO. WEYMOUTH—B. F. Thomas.

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MOON'S PHASES.

New Moon	3	1:03 a.m.	Full Moon	18	3:17 p.m.
First Quarter	10	4:46 p.m.	Third Quarter	25	3:08 p.m.

THE WEATHER INDICATIONS.

ALMANAC, MONDAY, JAN. 18.
Sun rises—7:09 a. m.; sets, 4.41 p. m.
Length of day—9h. 32m.
High water—10:45 a. m., 11.15 p. m.
Forecast for New England: Threatening weather and rain, clearing in southern and western portions this evening; high westerly winds, dangerous gales on coast; colder tonight.

Summit of Aconcagua Reached.

London, Jan. 18.—A despatch from Mendoza, Argentina, to The Chronicle, says that a telegram has been received there from the Fitzgerald expedition reporting that a Swiss guide, Zurbriggen, had reached the summit of Aconcagua, in the Andes, over 24,000 feet above sea level, after the third attempt. Owing to the intense cold, sometimes touching 5 degrees Fahrenheit, during which Zurbriggen's feet were frozen, he had to be carried. The whole party, on Jan. 13, bivouaced at a height of 20,000 feet, and on Jan. 14 all reached an altitude of 23,000 feet. Fitzgerald was taken ill, but Zurbriggen reached the summit at 5 o'clock in the evening. Fitzgerald hopes to accomplish the same feat next week. Zurbriggen was nearly drowned on Jan. 2, while crossing a river.

Negro Lynched.

White Castle, La., Jan. 18.—George P. Bruvais was waylaid, robbed and beat over the head with a coupling pin by a negro in the Pacific yards Saturday night. Bruvais reached the hotel and gave a description of the would-be murderer. The negro was arrested and fully identified by Bruvais. He was then placed in jail, but at daybreak yesterday morning his body was found dangling from a tree. The coroner's jury returned a verdict of "death by hanging at the hands of unknown parties."

Match Between Barry and Hanlan.

Toronto, Jan. 18.—English sporting papers just received here announce that Barras of Newcastle, has arranged a match between Edward Hanlan and Barry. In an interview, Hanlan states that he is prepared to row Barry on the Tyne course for £200 a side and £40 expenses in June. He will leave for England in April.

Clerk of Lynn For Twenty Years.

Lynn, Mass., Jan. 18.—Charles E. Parsons, for over 21 years city clerk, died at his home yesterday. He was 54 years old, and had been past grand master of both the Mt. Carmel lodge of Masons and the Olivette commandery. He leaves a widow and two children. The funeral will be held Wednesday.

Doctor Arrested For Perjury.

Boston, Jan. 18.—Dr. John T. Simpson, 47 years old, living on Chambers street, in this city, was arrested yesterday on a charge of perjury. Dr. Simpson was a witness in the case of Annie F. Callahan against the West End street railway, which was tried in the Superior court in December, 1896.

Emerson Poet For Phi Beta Kappa Day.

Cambridge, Mass., Jan. 18.—Edward W. Emerson of Concord, son of Ralph Waldo Emerson, has been chosen as poet for Phi Beta Kappa day at Harvard next June.

Grocery Burned.

Wells, Me., Jan. 18.—The grocery and provision store of E. C. Moody burned yesterday. The fire was caused by a defective chimney. Loss, $2500.

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IN SENATE AND HOUSE.

Nicaragua Canal Bill Again Under Consideration.

Chandler's New Monetary Conference Bill.

Nothing Interesting Expected of Representatives This Week.

Washington, Jan. 18.—It is expected that the Nicaragua canal bill will occupy the attention of the upper house of congress the greater portion of the week. Friends of that measure will endeavor to keep it at the head of the calendar until it is disposed of. Debate on the bill will be lengthy and exhaustive, but many senators think it will pass. Senator Morgan has charge of the measure.

Senator Chandler will introduce the caucus committee's bill for an international monetary conference today, and will ask to have it voted upon tomorrow without going through a committee. So far Senator Pettigrew is the only member of the senate who has announced an intention to oppose the bill by vote, though it is expected that others, while giving it no effective opposition, will take the position that nothing can be accomplished by international action. Mr. Pettigrew will make a speech against the bill, taking the position that to seek an international agreement amounts to making this country a supplicant of England, which he says is the chief beneficiary of the present system.

The legislative, executive and judicial and the military academy appropriation bill will be reported from the committee on appropriations today, and their early consideration will be asked.

Effort may be made in executive session to reopen the discussion of the extradition treaties, but this will be resisted by the committee on foreign relations.

The coming week in the house is likely to be uneventful. There are no bills of great national importance on the house calendar which are to be debated, unless the supporters of the Nicaragua canal project should succeed in persuading the committee on rules to assign them one or more days for consideration of that measure.

Today will be devoted to District of Columbia legislation. Tomorrow McCall of Massachusetts will bring up the Yost-Tucker election contest from the Tenth district of Virginia. The committee report is in favor of Mr. Tucker, the sitting member, who is a Democrat, and his side of the contest will be managed by Chairman McCall, a Republican, while Mr. Walker, the only Republican member from Virginia, will handle Yost's case. One day of the week will be given to the pensions committee for the passage of the bills which have been reported to the house from the Friday night sessions.

There are two appropriation bills ready to be acted upon, the agricultural and Indian, one or both of which may be sandwiched into some of the spare hours. They contain no items which are probable to give rise to much conflict. The rest of the week, according to present plans, will be occupied in passing small bills which may be called up by unanimous consent, and in the call of the roll of committees for bills reported from them.

Cost of Attending Inauguration.

Washington, Jan. 18.—Washingtonians, who are making efforts to so arrange the inaugural ceremonies of Mr. McKinley so that none can complain, are disturbed by statements circulated in certain parts of the country to the effect that extortionate rates are to be exacted of those who come here to witness the inauguration ceremonies. Chairman Bell says:

If people insist on making their arrangements, the inaugural committee cannot be held responsible, but it can assure anyone who will address Colonel L. P. Wright, chairman of the committee on public comfort, that he will secure for them the best accommodations at reasonable rates. He has listed already accommodations for from 20,000 to 30,000 persons, mostly in private houses, which are well located, and which are supplied with all modern conveniences. The list is daily increasing. The rates will average about as follows:

For lodgings only, $1 per day for beds and 75 cents for cots; $1.25 to $1.50 for lodging and breakfast, and $2 to $2.50 for lodging and meals.

Good horses for the parade may be hired for from $5 to $10. If persons have equipments it would be well to bring them, although such as may not possess them will be supplied by the committee at moderate cost.

German Millers' Offer.

Washington, Jan. 18. The German millers have offered a prize of $250 for a method of destroying the meal moth which has been ravaging the German mills. United States Consul General De Kay, at Berlin, offers to deliver to the proper authorities any method forwarded by Americans.

Suspended For Playing Football.

Columbia, Mo., Jan. 18.—Frank M. Pattison, the Yale coach, who came here from the east to coach the Missouri university football team, and Tom Shawhan, its captain, have been denied the privilege of playing with the eleven in the future, and George English, whose father is a prominent Kansas City lawyer, and who is manager of the team, is to be indefinitely suspended from the university. Their punishment is assessed for playing a game against the direct orders of the president.

Well-Known Newspaper Man's Death.

New York, Jan. 18.—Rudd Smith, one of the best known newspaper writers and editors in New York, was accidentally killed by gas escaping from a defective jet in a room in the Putnam House yesterday. He had two brothers, one of whom, Ballard Smith, is the London correspondent of The World.

Consul Towne at Home.

New York, Jan. 18.—General William T. Towne, United States consul general at Rio Janeiro, was a passenger on the German steamer Capua, which arrived yesterday from that port. Mr. Towne has returned home for a brief vacation.

Rothschild Entertains Wolcott.

London, Jan. 18.—United States Senator Edward O. Wolcott is the guest of Baron Rothschild at his country seat, Tring Park, in Hertfordshire.

MEN NOT WANTED.

General Rivera Says Cuba Only Needs Rifles and Cartridges.

New York, Jan. 18.—The World this morning publishes an interview with General Ruis Rivera. The despatch is dated "In the field near San Cayetano, province of Pinar del Rio." In this interview General Rivera says:

"I do not wish to criticise our friends in the United States, for I believe them (referring to the junta) patriotic men and striving to do their best for Cuba, but we here in Pinar del Rio have been somewhat neglected.

"Great reliance was placed upon General Maceo, our beloved commander, and it was thought that he could not only defeat the enemy in the province, but finally make a junction with Gomez. But he knew, and our friends should have known also, that four or five or ten thousand men, poorly armed and most of the time with but scanty ammunition, could not prevail against 50,000 well armed and well fed troops. One or two small expeditions landed—one at Corientes bay—but otherwise for nine months we have been depending upon our strategy and knowledge of the province to keep us out of a pitched battle.

"Speaking with reference to cannon, I wish it could be communicated to our friends in the United States that cannon are more in the way of ourselves than of the enemy in this province. In the first place, they are inconvenient to take about over the hills, through the lowland manigua and among the woods. The cannon we now have represents an outlay of $4000 or $5000, and yet almost 1000 rifles could be purchased for that sum.

"Of course when we are in a position to assault Havana heavy guns will be a necessity. Do we expect to soon? No: not very soon—about the end of the winter, I hope.

"We do not need men, and, above all, we do not want foreigners to come, unless they are men of military science. It is not, you know, because of any lack of appreciation for the sympathy or assistance of the foreigners. We pray and we thank God that the American nation exists, and we know and appreciate the great help it has been to us.

"But we do not want young Americans to come to Cuba as fighters. Not one in 10 knows a word of the language of our country, a language we would change, if we could, since we dislike everything Spanish.

"But, as a matter of fact, we are not in need of men at all. The whole native population is with us, and I am confident an army of 50,000 could be placed in Havana province before the winter is over, if we had but the arms and ammunition. Our Cubans are brave and patriotic and willing to die for our republic, but they are not crazy enough to face an enemy's bullets with empty hands. Tell the American people to give us 10,000 rifles and a supply of cartridges, and we will whip h—l out of Weyler and his trocha before the winter ends."

Manufacturers' Convention.

Philadelphia, Jan. 18.—Returns thus far received at the offices of the National Association of Manufacturers indicate that a very large proportion of the entire membership of the association will be in attendance at the second annual convention of the association, which is to be held in Philadelphia on Jan. 26, 27 and 28. Over 250 members have already signified their intention of being present at the convention, and this number of delegates will be largely increased. Invitations have been sent to over 7000 leading manufacturers outside the membership of the association, for the purpose of making this convention a general gathering of manufacturers from all sections of the country and representing all branches of industry. The attendance of non-members will be unusually large, as shown by the replies already received from those who have definitely decided to be present. The convention will be essentially a business affair, and the program has been made up with this in view. Many matters of importance to the manufacturing interests of the country will be discussed in the convention, and a large share of attention will be devoted to the foreign trade of the United States. One feature of particular interest in this connection will be a symposium on "Methods of Promoting Foreign Trade," which will embrace a number of brief addresses of an eminently practical character by members of the association, who have recently visited various foreign countries upon business affairs.

Summer School For Moody.

New York, Jan. 18.—The Advertiser this morning says: A determined effort is being made to secure a fund of $25,000 to build a chapel for the summer school at Northfield, to be presented to Dwight L. Moody on his 60th birthday, Feb. 5. The idea is to have half the money given in this country and half in England, and there is every indication of success. The chapel, when, built, will practically complete the chain of Northfield school buildings, which has been evolved during the past 15 years.

Dan Stuart's Plan.

Corpus Christi, Tex., Jan. 18.—It is a well known fact among certain parties here that while Dan Stuart was in Corpus Christi last May he held several consultations with a leading Brownsville attorney, the result of which was the lease of an island in the Rio Grande river from the Mexican government. Several knowing ones have asserted that the Corbett-Fitzsimmons fight will be pulled off on the island, which is about ten miles from Brownsville.

Indian Famine Conditions.

London, Jan. 18.—The Daily Mail's Bombay correspondent says: "In the Banda district the famine conditions are harrowing. The whole population is without food, and the people are dying in the road rather than accept the government relief."

New Opera House Burned.

Winnipeg, Man., Jan. 18.—The Grand Opera house here was burned yesterday. The theatre was opened only two months ago. It adjoined the Hotel Manitoba, which had a narrow escape, the interior being flooded with water. Loss, $40,000.

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—Boston and its suburbs have had recently two important matters definitely settled. The subway lease has been ratified, and the railroad commissioners have finally approved the plan for the new southern union station.

THE SPORTING WORLD.

Ives, the champion billiardist, does not believe in exerting the body while playing at billiards.

"Let your arm and wrist do the work," says he. "Keep your body still. You will often see players making, say, a round the table shot requiring four or five cushions to carom, who fairly fling themselves on the table on giving the ball the necessary momentum. This is all very wrong. It is a complete waste of energy. Not only that, but it robs a player of that steadiness and accuracy needed to successfully score the point. Muscles are at work in this uncalled for labor that clash with the accuracy and delicacy needed to strike the precise angle. The proper way is to stand with your body immovable, using practically only your forearm. With slight effort you can put enough force to the ball to make it go the required distance. Some people acquire this habit to such a degree that their playing is more of a system of twistings and contortions than billiard playing. Although it requires a good wrist and arm to be a successful billiard player, it doesn't necessarily follow that you need the muscles of a Sandow or the strenght of a longshoreman. Skill and delicacy are the strong points of billiards."—New York World.

A Costly Gamecock.

A man in England paid $1,000 for a chicken a short time ago, although the fact is not a basis for speculation as to English poultry market prices. In point of fact, the price was considered so outrageous even for a gamecock that the story of the sale when it first began to circulate found few believers. But it was a genuine sale. The money was paid and the chicken taken.

It was at the recent Birmingham poultry show that this remarkable transaction took place. The gamecock in question, a fine black red, is said to be one of the most perfect of its kind in existence. It has a wonderful reach, is almost perfect in shape and size, while its fine tail is one of its best points. It has a fine ancestral record of prizes and triumphs and is a heavy winner itself.—Exchange.

Big Packs of Hounds.

The American Field gives a list of the largest pack of hounds in Great Britain and Ireland. The largest pack of all contains 90 couples—180 dogs—and is maintained by the Blackmore Vale. This pack is run four days a week, but of course not all the dogs are used each day. John Watson, master of the Meath, an Irish pack, has 64 couples, running five days a week, making it one of the hardest working packs in the kingdom. The Badminton, owned by the Duke of Beaufort, has in it 75 couples, which are hunted on five days of the week. Another pack that hunts five days a week is the Belvoir, and it has 64 couples. The Duke of Buccleuch and the Earl of Eglinton keep the largest packs in Scotland, the duke maintaining 57 couples and the earl 50.

A Veteran Pacer.

Johnson, 2.06¼, ex-champion pacer and the world's fastest performer to high wheel sulky, is living on the fat of the land at C. F. Dunbar's Clinton street farm, in the easterly suburbs of Buffalo. Johnson will be 20 years old next spring, and aside from a slight lameness seems as frisky as a colt. Only last July John Splan, who drove him to his record at Chicago in 1884, was heard to remark, "I wish I had Johnson at 7 years of age today. He would give all the big guns of pacedom a race to a bike. Had I known at Chicago in 1884 that I was never to drive him again, his record to high wheel sulky would have been much faster. Johnson was the pacing wonder of his day."—Philadelphia Ledger.

Comfort For Cyclers.

A Denver man recently invented and placed on the market an ingenious device to keep the hands of cyclers warm while riding in cold weather. It consists of a conical shaped shield made of corduroy or other suitable material and lined with fleece, making a warm and comfortable shield. The small end of the cone fits snugly over the handle bars of the bicycle, and the larger end accommodates the hand of the rider, permitting the grasping of the handles within the cone. The larger end of the cone incloses the rider's sleeves and forms a protection from the wind.—Exchange.

The Indispensable Wheel.

What a void there would be if today every bicycle in the United States should be destroyed! The wheels of government, of business, of trade and commerce and of political activity would be so clogged that operation would be most difficult if not entirely stopped. It is wholly without the range of human conception or calculation to determine with any degree of correctness what a large place cycling fills in our everyday life and activity today. Never before has any single human contrivance so rapidly become indispensable to the general public as the bicycle.—Wheel.

Sporting Notes.

Charles Reiff, the jockey whose services have been sought by several of the leading stables, has signed with Baker & Gentry of Lexington, Ky., for the coming season.

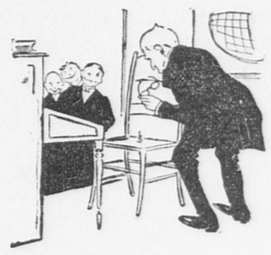
The Pittsburg Baseball club is considering offers from Savannah, Atlanta, Augusta and Mobile for southern practice.

Mr. Arthur Massie is now handling the splendid bitches, Lightfoot and Lady Falconer, for Smith & Charlton of Minneapolis.

Kaiser Wilhelm's jubilee cup, to be raced for by British yachts next summer on the occasion of the completion of his grandmother's reign of 60 years, is 3 feet high.

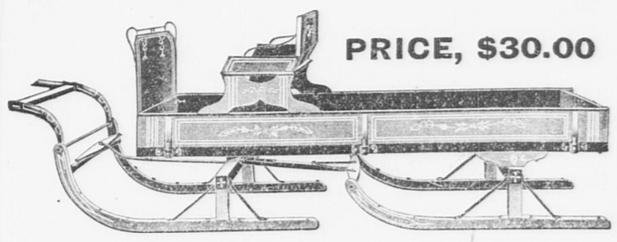
The next important meeting of oarsmen after the session of the executive committee of the National association will be the annual meeting of the Middle States Regatta association on Jan. 25.

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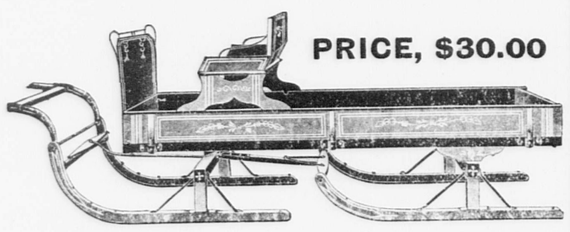
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DEPOSITORS MULCTED.

Banker Olmstead of Hartford Overdrew His Personal Account.

Filled His Home With Expensive Works of Art.

Junior Member of Firm Exonerated of All Blame For Failure.

Hartford, Jan. 19.—The depositors of the suspended banking firm of George P. Bissell & Co. met behind closed doors yesterday afternoon and listened to a report of the committee appointed by them some time ago to investigate the affairs of the company.

The report showed that Albert H. Olmstead, the senior member of the firm, had overdrawn his personal account with the bank to the amount of nearly $30,000, or more than enough to wipe out his share of the capital stock. His salary was $3000 a year, but he was in the habit of drawing considerably in excess of this amount. The committee find that Mr. Olmstead's home is filled with art treasures, some being of the most costly description, evidencing a connoisseur. The committee also learned that shortly before the bank suspended Mr. Olmstead's relatives withdrew their deposits from the bank.

It was orally recommended by the committee that the stockholders continue the insolvency proceedings against Mr. Olmstead, as of the best interest to the depositors. The committee also stated in their report they could not find anything in the proceedings of Charles H. Coit, the junior member of the firm, that was not absolutely straightforward. The committee consisted of John Hooker, Percy Bryant and J. Gilbert Calhoun, and it was decided by the stockholders that Messrs. Bryant and Calhoun be recommended to the probate court for appointment as trustees of the insolvent estate of A. H. Olmstead.

The present firm, which consists of Albert H. Olmstead and Charles H. Coit, was formed May 13, 1891, succeeding to the business and good will of Colonel Bissell and A. H. Olmstead. The capital stock was $45,000. Coit contributing one-third in cash. Its deposits amounted to $489,990, and its assets, $541,000. The amount of deposits have averaged $377,000.

Connecticut Temperance Union Officers.

Hartford, Jan. 19.—The annual meeting of the Connecticut Temperance Union was held at Memorial hall yesterday afternoon, and the following officers were chosen: President, Thomas L. Norton of Lakeville; vice-presidents, Hon. M. W. Terrey of Middletown, James B. Williams of Glastonbury, Hon. J. M. Talcott of Ellington, Rev. S. L. Blake, D. D., of New London, Rev. H. A. Davenport of Bridgeport, King T. Sheldon of Winsted, Arthur G. Hill of Danielson and Cullen B. Foote of New Haven; secretary, Rev. J. H. James of Rockville; treasurer, W. A. Willard of Hartford. Treasurer W. A. Willard reported the receipts to be $4205 and the disbursements $4003.

For Harvard's Athletic Field.

Cambridge, Mass., Jan. 19.—Harvard corporation has agreed to give to the athletic management $15,000, to be used in putting Soldiers field in a suitable condition for use, in consideration of which the Cary building on Holmes field is to be given up to the use of the college for other purposes. The $15,000 given by the corporation will constitute about one-half of the sum required to raise the grade of Soldiers field above high water mark, and put it in such condition that it can be radily drained. Work on the field will commence early this spring. The corporation has not as yet finally decide on the question of allowing Holmes field to be used this spring.

Objected to Removal of Constitution.

Portsmouth, Jan. 19.—Information has been received in this city from Washington to the effect that the New Hampshire delegation in congress called at the navy department at noon yesterday and protested against the attempt being made to have the United States steamship Constitution removed from Portsmouth navy yard to Washington before she is rebuilt. Senator Gallinger is of the opinion that the old vessel will be thoroughly rebuilt before she is removed to Washington. It is doubtful, however, if the plan to have her repaired and towed there will be successful. It would require an expenditure of $500,000.

Sudden Death of D. C. Warner.

Springfield, Mass., Jan. 19.—Dwight C. Warner, aged 65, buyer for the wholesale shoe house of Cutler & Porter, and well kown in the shoe trade throughout the New England states and the east, was stricken with heart failure, while at his desk yesterday, and died before medical aid could be summoned. He was, with one exception, Springfield's oldest shoe dealer, and had been at different times a member of the firms of Cutler, Warner & Co., Cutler, McIntosh & Co. and Cutler & Warner. He leaves a wife, son and three daughters.

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Hold-Up at Springfield.

Springfield, Mass., Jan. 19.—A bold hold-up was perpetrated in this city last evening. Hinsdale Smith, Jr., the leaf tobacco dealer, started from his office in the Hampden street block for the Fort street building, which is connected by a bridge on the second floor. He took with him several hundred dollars to pay off the help. Most of the money he placed in his pockets, and about $144 he carried in his hands. When he reached the middle of the bridge he was knocked down by a man, who grabbed the envelopes and made off.

No Penobscot Steamers.

Boston, Jan. 19.—Owing to the accident on the steamer Lewiston, there will be no sailings on the Bangor line for some time to come. It has not been definitely decided as yet whether to charter a steamer for the line, pending the repairs to the Lewiston, or wait until the latter vessel is again ready for service. As this is the dull season, it is thought that the company will adopt the latter plan, in which case there will be no steamers running to the Penobscot until March.

Baby Farms to Be Investigated.

Amesbury, Mass., Jan. 19.—It is reported at the state board of charity, whose agents have been investigating the cases of cruelty to children in this neighborhood, will begin an investigation into the deaths of young children which have occurred on alleged baby farms at Groveland, Plaistown, N. H., and other towns. If it is shown that any of the dead children were insured the bodies will be exhumed for examination

Governor Long's Prospects.

Boston, Jan. 19.—In an interview on the question of acceptance of a cabinet position, ex-Governor Long says that the situation regarding his appointment has not changed since Saturday. "The matter is still open for the president-elect to consider and for myself to consider. There is nothing settled, and there is nothing in the statement that I have accepted a cabinet position."

New Hampshire Legislature.

Concord, N. H., Jan. 19.—Abolition of fast day as a legal holiday in the state of New Hampshire is proposed by a bill introduced in the house of representatives by Mr. Wingate of Stratham. Notices of forthcoming bills to prohibit the sale of cigarettes in the state and to provide for the licensing of doctors and surgeons were given by Mr. Leavitt of Effingham.

Massachusetts Legislature.

Boston, Jan. 19.—Representative Innis of Boston introduced into the legislature yesterday a bill providing for the appointment of a state board of bar examiners, the board to consist of nine members and to receive their appointment from the justices of the supreme judicial court, compensation to be determined by the chief justice of the court.

Counterfeiters Arraigned.

Hartford, Jan. 19.—John B. Currier of Salem, Mass., Eldredge Maltby and Mrs. Maltby, who were arrested in New Haven recently on charges alleging counterfeiting of money, were given a hearing before U. S. Commissioner Wright yesterday afternoon. Currier was discharged and the Maltbys were held for trial in $5000 bonds each.

Gardiner People Happy.

Gardiner, Me., Jan. 19.—Gardiner people are happy over their new industry. For four days they have hustled to raise $25,000 for the establishment of a shoe factory for a well-known Massachusetts firm. Work will commence at once upon the erection of a plant that will employ 400 operatives, with a payroll of $5000 per week.

Embezzler Pleads Guilty.

Hartford, Jan. 19.—Henry L. Meyer, who was arrested for embezzlement from the John Hancock Life Insurance company agency, pleaded guilty yesterday. He neglected to turn over to the company premiums he had collected to the amount of $300. Meyer told the police he lost the money in gambling.

Lasters' Difficulties.

Natick, Mass., Jan. 19.—The lasters at Noble Griffin's shoe shop at Cochituate, who struck Saturday, went to work yesterday, by orders of the Boot and Shoe Workers' union. It is expected that an adjustment of the trouble between the lasters and their employer will be made later.

Italian Pleads Guilty to Assault.

Boston, Jan. 19.—Giocchino Cocchiaro, who was recently arrested in New York on a charge of assault with intent to kill Antonio C. Armbiisis, on June 31, 1895, in this city, pleaded guilty in the Superior Criminal court yesterday. Sentence will be pronounced later.

Bank Messenger Robbed.

New York, Jan. 19.—A bold daylight robbery occurred yesterday in front of the Pacific bank. An employe of the Metropolitan Traction company, sent to deposit a large sum of the company's money, took a package containing $5600 from a wagon and placed it between his feet while he reached for another package. When he looked for the first one, according to the man's story, it was gone, and no trace of it has yet been found.

Senatorial Deadlock In Idaho.

Boise, Ida., Jan. 19.—The Populist caucus determined yesterday to again vote for Claggett. A great effort was made to get Democratic voters to give Claggett the necessary 36, but it failed. Result of first ballot was: Claggett 26, Dubois 25, Lewis (Pop.) 17. Second ballot, Claggett 29, Dubois 25, Nelson (Pop.) 13. Votes for Lewis and Nelson were cast by Democrats. Lewis is secretary of state.

Shot Mother, Sister and Brother.

New York, Jan. 19.—Word has been received at Larchmont, that Arthur Palmer, who lives in the town of Mammaroneck, during a fit of insanity, shot his mother, his sister Gertrude and killed his brother Leonard, and then made his escape. The mother and sister are in a critical condition. Sheriff Johnson, with all available men, are searching for Palmer.

Spanish Gunboat Sunk.

Havana, Jan. 19.—While ascending the Cante, to aid the beleaguered garrison at Guamo river, Sunday, the gunboat Relampago was sunk by a patriot torpedo. Of her crew hardly a man escaped unhurt.

CALLED ON PRESIDENT-ELECT.

Many Prominent Visitors to Canton on "Social Missions."

Canton, O., Jan. 19.—Major McKinley has had a very busy day, and has been called upon to consult with prominent men from many different states and sections of the country. Some of these callers arrived on the early morning trains, while a number came on the noon trains.

Among the first visitors to claim the attenion of he president-elect was Hon. Charles A. Pillsbury of Minneapolis. Mr. Pillsbury said, immediately after his talk with the president-elect, that his mission in Canton was to, in a general way, talk over the situation. He said that he was not here to present the claims of any man for a position in the cabinet or any other office. He said he was aware that his state had been mentioned as having two aspirants for McKinley's advisors—ex-Governor Merriam and Cushman K. Davis, but at present he had no hope that Minnesota would be given a cabinet position.

Hon. Samuel J. Roberts of Lexington, Ky., state Republican chairman, arrived in Canton on a morning train. He paid his respects to Major McKinley during the afternoon.

To a reporter he said that his visit had no political significance whatever; that he did not come to present the claims or names of anyone to the president-elect. He said that Governor Bradley had been spoken of a great deal as a cabinet possibility, and that just now the Kentucky papers were saying a great deal in favor of Hon. St. John Boyle of Louisville for the cabinet.

Another visitor at the McKinley residence was George N. Matthews of the Buffalo Express. Mr. Matthews is an old acquaintance of the president-elect.

Among the distinguished visitors were ex-Senator Higgins of Delaware and Messrs. Morrey and Boyd of Wilmington, Del.

Hanna and Bushnell Friendly.

Cleveland, Jan. 19.—Murat Halstead of New York was a visitor at the office of Mr. Hanna yesterday, and held a conference with the chairman.

To a reporter, Mr. Halstead said he was not an office seeker either for himself or his friends. He said he was on his way west and dropped in to make a social call on the chairman.

"I saw Governor Bushnell in New York on Saturday," said Mr. Halstead, "and had quite a talk with him in regard to the so-called Ohio situation. The governor declared that there was absolutely nothing in the reported quarrel between Mr. Hanna and other Ohio leaders.

"In fact," continued Mr. Halstead, "when I mentioned to Governor Bushnell the fact that I was going on a western trip, and would likely stop to see Mr. Hanna, he told me that, if I desired, I might assure the national chairman that he (Bushnell) took no stock in the report in regard to political hostilities having broken out."

Mr. Hanna said yesterday that he very much regretted that the statements attributed to him in his talk wih ex-Congressman Morey had been published.

"Mr. Morey," said the chairman, "is an old friend of mine, and simply dropped in here on Saturday for a social call. There was absolutely nothing that passed between us that could be construed in the manner stated. In fact, Mr. Morey came back to Cleveland from Canton for the especial purpose of assuring me that he had not made the statements credited to him."

Hawaii Honors Minister Willis.

Honolulu, Jan. 19, (via San Francisco).—The funeral of Albert Willis, United States minister to Hawaii, was held on the 8th inst., under direction of President Dole and members of the cabinet. The procession was attended by hundreds of friends and admirers of the deceased. The cortege was headed by a company of police, followed by a band, grand marshal and aide, battalion, First regiment, N. G. H.; battalion from the Alert, Knights of Pythias and clergy, pall bearers in carriages, late minister's family, President Dole and aides, cabinet ministers, chief justice and justices of the supreme court, judges of the circuit court, members of the legislature, captain and officers of United States ship Alert, consular corps and the general public. The funeral procession was the most imposing since the burial of the late King Kalakau. Mr. Willis' remains will rest in a vault until the 13th, when they will be placed on board the Australia, to be taken to America. The Hawaiian government will probably send military escort.

Negro Fiend Confesses.

New Orleans, Jan. 19.—A special to the Times-Democrat from Atlanta, says: Sam Palatka, cross-eyed, a fiend in expression and revolting in countenance, has confessed to having perpetrated the great Cahahaba bridge disaster, which occurred three weeks ago in Alabama.

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Oct. 26. tf

NOTICE TO PARENTS.

CITY OF QUINCY.

CITY CLERK'S OFFICE, Dec. 14, 1896.

THE Record of births in any city or town is always more or less unsatisfactory, owing to the fact that the canvasser finds difficulty in getting the necessary information. Names and dates are frequently given incorrectly. The importance of accuracy is shown in many cases where there is a question of descent, or inheritance of property, or collection of life insurance or pensions. The City Clerk's copy of the record is accepted as conclusive evidence in a court of law. While great pains are taken by this office to have the record correct, experience shows that it is necessary that parents themselves should lend their assistance. In fact the law requires that parents shall give notice to the City Clerk of the birth of their children, and provides a penalty for neglect to give such notice for the space of six months.

It often happens that only children or servants are at home when the canvasser makes his call, and the answers to his questions are open to doubt. I therefore request all parents in whose households a birth has occurred in the year 1896, to place upon a paper or card the required information, and keep it in a convenient place until the canvasser appears.

The canvass will be commenced on Jan. 1, 1897.

HARRISON A. KEITH, City Clerk.

Dec. 14 to Feb. 1. Dec. 19—7w

TO THE PATRONS OF THE Wollaston Steam Laundry

January 16, 1897.

In calling your attention to the fact that Mr. Geo. H. Sampson of Amesbury, Mass., has leased the Wollaston Steam Laundry, and will conduct the same on his own account on and after the 18th inst., I would thank you for past patronage, and bespeak a continuance of the same for Mr. Sampson, who is a thorough laundryman, with a reputation for turning out high grade work.

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Jan. 16. 2w

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

STATE HOUSE, BOSTON, Jan. 15, 1897.

THE Committee on STREET RAILWAYS will give a hearing to parties interested in the petition of J. A. Prescott and others for legislation authorizing an appeal from orders of the selectmen relative to the location of street railways, and authorizing any street railway company that may construct its tracks between the village of Foxboro in the County of Norfolk and Mansfield in the County of Bristol to act as common carriers, at Room No. 431, State House, on THURSDAY, Jan. 21, at 10 o'clock A.M.

R. W. IRWIN, Chairman.

P. J. KENNEDY, Clerk of the Committee. 18-3t

Administrator's Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that the subscriber has been duly appointed Administrator of the estate of

JOHN F. COSTELLO,

late of Quincy, in the County of Norfolk, deceased, intestate, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bond as the law directs.

All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same, and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

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Two Weeks' Temperature.

	This Week.	Last Week
Sunday	37	43
Monday	45	42
Tuesday	10	31
Wednesday	—	20
Thursday	—	30
Friday	—	33
Saturday	—	36

QUINCY BREVITIES.

Notes from Quincy Point, Wollaston, Atlantic, South and West Quincy.

Almost zero this morning.

Thomas Simpson has been granted a pension.

It was a beautiful moonlight night; clear and cold.

Don't expect much warmer weather until Thursday.

The mercury took a big tumble Monday between 12 M. and 12 P. M.

The Salvation Army has moved from Canal street to Hardwick's hall Franklin street.

Carromo tournament and orchestra rehearsal at the Y. M. C. A. tonight. The public welcome.

The Granite Shoe store has been thoroughly renovated and now bears its old time attractive appearance.

Through the efforts of Dr. Ash the business men of the Gridley Bryant district have contributed money for a flag for the school, which has been purchased.

At the 19th annual meeting of the Boston Bicycle club, the oldest cycling organization in this country, which was held last week, Dr. W. G. Kendall was re-elected Captain for the tenth time.

Again there was a large attendance of ladies at the second matinee whist given yesterday at The Greenleaf parlors by Adams chapter, Daughters of the Revolution. It is thought the two parties will have netted quite a little fund for the repair of the birthplace of President John Adams.

The cottage prayer meetings, of Calvary Baptist church this week are at the following houses: Tuesday night at E. M. Harden's, 21 Gay street, Wednesday night, at Frank Holmes', Payne street. Thursday night at Mr. Livingston's, Elm street, opposite Dr. Davis. Friday in the chapel on Franklin street. Every one is welcome to these meetings; hour of service 7.30 o'clock.

NOT NEGLIGENT.

The Railroad Not to Blame for the Death of Baggage Master Preston.

Judge Humphrey rendered his finding this morning on the death of Ernest F. Preston who was killed by the cars at Norfolk Downs, Jan. 4. He finds that after the train left Atlantic Preston was directed by the conductor to give notice if he had an opportunity, to the engineer to shut off steam. Preston proceeded over the tender of the engine and gave notice and was returning to the cars when he was struck on the back of the head causing a fracture of the base of the skull. That he was missed at Norfolk Downs but was not found until the train reached Braintree. In conclusion he says "The testimony indicates that it was not usual in the execution of similar orders for the messengers to pass over the tender and he finds that neither the railroad or its servants were guilty of negligence in respect to this fatal accident.

Evangelist Clayton.

It was not a string of stories, alternately giving rise to laughter and tears, but a clear, well-ordered and eloquent sermon which the Rev. Thomas Clayton gave at the opening of his evangelistic campaign in the Presbyterian church on Water street last evening. His was a noble theme: "The enthronement of Christ;" and the distinction which he made, saying, "Christ will reign over you; shall he reign in you?" is one of prime importance. Mr. Clayton gave a special invitation to members of all the churches to come to his Bible expositions, every afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Wollaston Post Office.

Letters uncalled for the week ending Jan. 16:

Mr. Antone Golen, Messrs. Robert & Bro., Mrs. Geo. Phillips, Mrs. L. F. Anderson, Mrs. Walter D. Holden, Miss M. J. Campbell, Miss Marion Jackson, Miss Grace Lingham.

THE CITY COUNCIL.

School Committee for Enlargement of Quincy School.

Atlantic Also Wants a Fire Alarm Striker on Church Bell.

Several Petitions for Arc and Incandescent Lights.

The City Council held a regular meeting Monday evening, but was in session but twenty minutes. The most important business was a request for the enlargement of the Quincy school.

Councilmen Little and Sprague were the only absentees.

More Room.

Mayor Adams forwarded without comment the following communication from Hon. Charles H. Porter, the chairman of the School Committee, which was referred to the Committee on Public Buildings without debate:

"The School Committee at its last meeting requested the chairman to lay before His Honor the necessity of increasing the accommodations in the present school building in the Quincy school district, Ward Six, and request that the Council of the city enlarge the present building. As you are aware there is established a school which is quartered outside of the building. In round figures the cost of maintaining the room is about $300 per annum. This represents an annual interest on $7,500. While this sum may not be, nor is it designed to be exact, yet it is believed for about the sum aboved named an addition can be put on the building which will not only accommodate the present needs, but will also meet the requirements of the district for some time to come. Therefore they request that plans be made concerning the increased size and that work may begin at the earliest practicable time, an appropriation covering the cost should be made at an early day.

The committee think that this is a matter which should receive immediate attention both by your Honor and the Council."

Jury List.

The jury list proposed for 1897 was submitted and read and ordered to be posted.

Petitions.

James Milne and others petitioned for an incandescent light on the northwestern end of Glencoe place.

Samuel E. Blanchard and others petitioned for an arc or incandescent light on Beach street between Rawson road and Willow street.

F. C. Pope and others petitioned for an incandescent light on Squantum street opposite residence of Mr. C. F. McClare.

S. E. Ames and others petitioned for the removal of a ledge on Willard street in front of the house of William H. Glennon.

All referred to the Committee on Streets and Lights.

B. R. Redman and others petitioned for a fire alarm striker on bell of the Memorial Congregational church. Referred to Committee on Fire Department.

Reports.

The special committee to whom was referred the order authorizing the City Treasurer to borrow $300,000 in anticipation of taxes, reported reference to Finance Committee, as there was no urgent need of rushing the order through. Accepted.

Business for All.

President Bryant then referred to the standing committees the various parts of the Mayor's inaugural address, and also all matters referred to the Council of 1897 by the Council of 1896.

City Reports.

Under a suspension of rules the order for the printing of the annual reports was passed to be ordained and sent to the Mayor.

Adjourned at 7.55 to meet Feb. 1.

TODAY'S COURT.

Phillip Rachie was arraigned for drunkenness at Quincy and sentenced to three months in the house of correction.

John Grover was arranged for drunkenness at Milton. Case continued three weeks.

Michael Holden was arraigned for using profane language at Randolph. Case continued two weeks.

Col. Parker Coming.

Col. Francis W. Parker of the Cook County Normal school of Chicago, Ill., formerly superintendent of schools of this city and the gentleman who introduced the now famous Quincy system, has been secured to give a lecture at High school hall, Tuesday evening Jan. 26, under the auspices of the Quincy Teachers' Association. Col. Parker will take for his subject "The Ideal School," and as he is well-known and is an authority on school matters many will be glad of the opportunity to hear him. Col. Parker will find many changes in the Quincy schools since he resigned his charge and the growth of his system will doubtless be very gratifying to him.

—Rev. W. E. Cadmus preached his farewell sermon at the Congregational church, Hingham, on Sunday.

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POLICE SENSATION.

Charges Preferred Against Special Officer and the Wherefore.

Mayor Adams has preferred charges to the civil service commission, against special officer Timothy J. Golden, for intoxication, while in the performance of duty July 3, and a hearing will be held before the commission this week, at which Officer Golden will be represented by counsel.

The preferring of these charges at this time, after a lapse of several months, opens up an interesting story in relation to the recent appointment of James W. Murray to the permanent police force. As far as Officer Murray is personally concerned there is no objection to him, but the method used to get over the civil service laws and appoint Officer Murray to the permanent force is hardly commendable.

Those who understand the civil service rules know that when a man is wanted for the permanent force application is made to the commission and they certify three names to the Mayor, who must make his appointment from those three.

Officer Murray's name was number five on the list and in order to appoint him two of the five must be got out of the way. These five were Timothy J. Golden, Frank Daveran, George A. McKay, Bernard M. O'Neil and James W. Murray.

Officer O'Neil for some reason, best known to himself, requested the Commission not to certify his name, and this placed officer Murray number four.

If one more name could be disposed of Officer Murray would be brought to number three and be eligible for appointment and this was done by Mayor Adams preferring charges against Golden as stated above, which brought matter under Rule XXXII of the civil service, which says an additional name should be certified which was done and Officer Murray named and his appointment therefore comes under the civil service rules.

It is said that the end justifies the means but in this case it seems hardly fair to officer Golden. If he was guilty of the charges why did Mayor Adams let several months pass before making his charges and why did he in making his new appointments this year reappoint Officer Golden as a special officer?

Q. Y. C. Nominations.

The following list of nominations has been filed with the secretary of the Quincy Yacht Club:

Commodore,—John W. Sanborn.

Vice Commodore,—William P. Barker, Edwin E. Davis.

Secretary and Treasurer,—James S. Whiting.

Measurer,—William C. Harrison.

Executive Committee,—John T. Cavanagh, Henry M. Faxon, Charles F. Pettengill, George E. Pfaffman.

House Committee,—Herbert W. Barker, Horace R. Drinkwater, Luther W. Glover, Gordon M. Keating, C. Eaton Pierce, William H. Shaw, Walter B. Wilson, Walter E. Wyman, Frank F. Crane, George G. Saville, George W. Jones.

Two Much Room.

At the last meeting of the School Committee, Mr. Page moved that as there were but few pupils in the VII grade at the Massachusetts Fields school that they be returned to the buildings which they were transferred from.

The matter was referred to a committee consisting of Messrs. Porter, Hallowell, Page, Pierce and Record.

A special meeting of the board will be held Wednesday evening to consider the report of the committee, and it is probable from the promptness of the report that the committee views the matter in the same light as Mr. Page, and the grade will be closed, leaving but six of the nine rooms occupied.

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—It takes the moon exactly 42,524 minutes (29 days, 12 hours and 44 minutes) to make its revolution around the earth.

—Two volcanoes in Iceland are advertised for sale in a Copenhagen paper. The price asked is about $500.

Can't Eat

This is the complaint of thousands at this season. They have no appetite; food does not relish. They need the toning up of the stomach and digestive organs, which a course of Hood's Sarsaparilla will give them. It also purifies and enriches the blood, cures that distress after eating and internal misery only a dyspeptic can know, creates an appetite, overcomes that tired feeling and builds up and sustains the whole physical system. It so promptly and efficiently relieves dyspeptic symptoms and cures nervous headaches, that it seems to have almost "a magic touch."

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They Tell Their Friends

About the bargains they get at our store. People who buy from us are our best advertisements, but for fear that you ll not hear of the Boots and Slippers we are selling this week, we will tell you about them. They are what is left of many lines we wish to clean out before February stock-taking. We quote no prices but invite an inspection of our bargain tables as a proof of a genuine cut in prices.

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New Prints Worth 8c. For 6 1-4c.

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We do not wish any one miserable moments, hence this warning: If you need a range buy nothing but a Glenwood. Regrets will not be yours, household cares will be lighter, food better cooked, coal bills smaller, cook happier.

Glenwoods have reached the tip topest notch of perfection, no others quite so good. Prices wonderfully little when you buy them here, $18.00 to $33.00. Reasonable allowance for your old range, or a range on trial if you wish. Complete line to select from.

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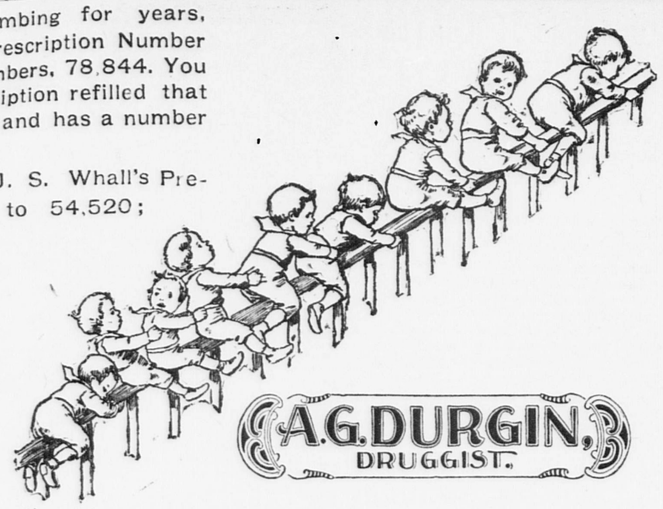
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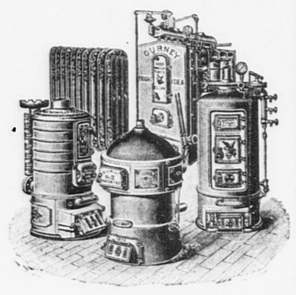
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Adjoining President Hill Property. Very near to public and private Schools. Terms very reasonable.

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Known as Cranch Hill, are many good lots at low prices. None better for the price ever offered in Quincy.

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On Hancock street, very desirable lots. Street Cars pass between the two cities every few minutes.

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On Willard street, comprises about 80 lots. Borders on Blue Hill Reservation, is handy to manufacturing plants, schools, electric and steam cars, etc.

Hillside Terrace. Close to all works on line of Quarry Railroad. Short distance to West Quincy depot and schools. Good lots, small amount down and small monthly payments.

Also a few lots off Bates avenue; and Sea Shore lots at Houghs Neck.

IMPROVED PROPERTY.

Estate on Greenleaf St. Large modern house in thorough repair, and good lot of land. Owner wishes to leave city. A rare bargain. Call and obtain particulars.

House and Lot on Fort St. for sale cheap.

Fine Corner Lot with large dwelling house on Garfield street. Close to electric cars and granite works. Very easy terms.

Large Double House, and also single house, for sale on Brackett St.

Three-tenement House and land on Trafford street. Liberal inducements.

Two Single Houses corner Wilson and Station streets.

Estate on Mt. Pleasant. Price reasonable.

Two Single Houses on Quarry St. Very desirable properties for working man. Prices low.

Lots for Sale in all parts of the city.

Houses Rented. Mortgages Placed.

Will be on land at President's Hill from 2 to 4 P. M., in pleasant weather.

Swithin Bros., Room 12, Durgin & Merrill's Block.

OVER $8,000 IN DEBT.

Increase of Nearly $5,000 During the Past Year.

Annual Meeting of the Quincy Hospital Corporation.

Only a Small Part of the Cost of Laundry Paid.

The annual meeting of the City Hospital corporation was held Monday evening at the residence of Dr. John A. Gordon, and for an annual meeting was quite largely attended.

Hon. William B. Rice, president of the board of trustees presided, and after the reading of the records Timothy Reed made the annual report of the trustees, which in substance was as follows:

Number admitted to the Hospital during the year, 198; discharged, 166; died, 17; now remaining, 15.

During the past year a new laundry had been erected. The Hospital Ten King's Daughters had given an operating table and an irrigating stone. One Hospital nurse, Miss Marion Jackson had been graduated. The debt of the Hospital was now more than $8000. They look for no increase, but provision should be made for what the Hospital did owe. During the year the endowment fund had been increased $800 by legacies of George L. Gill and Mrs. Whicher. and now amounted to $35,655 50.

Henry M. Faxon, treasurer of the Hospital, reported the financial standing as follows: Cash on hand Jan. 1, 1896, $2128 49. Receipts during the year from all sources, including loans, $10,498 45; total, $12,626.94. Expenditures, $12,626.15; cash on hand 79 cents.

The total cost of the laundry was $2,235.15 and there was a deficit of $1700. Received from the Hospital Aid society for laundry, $500; loan, $1700; current receipts, $135; total, $2335 12.

The debt statement of the Hospital was as follows:

Debt Jan. 1, 1896,	$3,571 51
Balance,	79
Increase in debt,	4659 70
Total debt,	$8,232 00

Of which $4200 was due the endowment fund, note due the National Granite bank, Jan. 18, 1897, $1700; note due the National Granite bank, Feb. 2, 1897, $2300; temporay loan, $32, total, $8,232.

The following new members of the corporation were elected: Miss Cora Young, Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Pratt, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Whicher, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Federhen, Miss Martha W. Webber, Portchester, N. Y.

The following officers were then elected by ballot:

Clerk,—Warren W. Adams.

Trustees,—William B. Rice, Dr. J. H. Gilbert, Dr. J. A. Gordan, T. Reed, Rupert F. Claflin, Charles H. Porter, James F. Burke, Henry M. Faxon, Albert Keating, A. A. Lincoln, George F. Pinkham, Herbert M. Federhen.

President Rice said that during the past year there had been a lack of efficiency in the board of trustees, particularly on the part of the president who was unable to give his time to it. It was not the fault of the citizens who were always ready to respond. What we need is a leader. If we could be out of debt and our endowment fund was what we would like to have it, another ward would be added to the Hospital. It was useless to add to the building until we have the income to take care of it. When the time comes there will be an additional ward and more room for nurses. What he would like to see was a district nurse who could go from house to house among people who were unable to employ a regular nurse, and remain an hour at each and give advice to those there which would enable them to get along.

Dr. Gordon spoke of the nurses at the Hospital. There was not room enough to accommodate all the nurses desired. If we had more room we could supply more nurses to the citizens and they would thus be a source of revenue. People naturally look to the Hospital for nurses and they are in demand and he hoped in the near future that the hospital would be able to establish a larger school for nurses; at least twelve. They can readily command $10 per week and our poor people do not like to pay more than that. Everything at the Hospital had been very gratifying during the year. There had been more surgery than usual, something like eighty severe operations had been performed, which had a tendency to increase our expenses. The success in these operations had been up to the standard. We need more facilities for infectious diseases and hoped to have a ward for this purpose soon. A home for nurses would increase the income and a contageous ward would mean quite a large expense and at present he had rather see the home for nurses.

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Are features peculiar to Hood's Pills. Small in size, tasteless, efficient, thorough. As one man said: "You never know you have taken a pill till it is all over." 25c. C. I. Hood & Co., Proprietors, Lowell, Mass. The only pills to take with Hood's Sarsaparilla.

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Will be found, even if we sell on instalments, lower than you will find in some cash stores.

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THE NEW SCHOOL.

About 300 Pupils in Attendance at the Gridley Bryant.

The new Gridley Bryant school opened Monday with 283 scholars, of which number 273 came from the Willard school and there will be enough more sent to the new building today to bring the number up to nearly 330.

The number Monday at the new school by grades was as follows:

Grade VIII,	22 pupils
Grade VII,	26 pupils
Grade VI,	37 pupils
Grade V,	26 pupils
Grade IV,	46 pupils
Grade III,	37 pupils
Grade II,	38 pupils
Grade I,	53 pupils
Total in school,	283 pupils

While the Willard school was relieved of 273 pupils Monday the relief will only be temporary as a number from the John Hancock and Lincoln schools will be immediately transferred to the Willard.

ANOTHER FIRE.

A Woman Faints and Falls Down the Stairs.

The alarm from Box 46 at 6.55 P M, Monday, was for a fire in the basement of the store of Councilman Little on Copeland street. The cause of the fire is unknown but it caused a dense smoke, which penetrated the whole building. What fire there was was quickly extinguished and the loss will be mostly by smoke. When the alarm was given Margaret Sheahan, who resides over the store, rushed to the back door and upon seeing the smoke fainted and fell down stairs head first, but fortunately escaped without injuries, other than bruises.

Wollaston Tournament.

Teams A and C of the Wollaston Candle Pin club put up an interesting game on the Duck's Nest alleys on Monday evening. Dewson was high on totals, 247, and Battison on singles with 92.

The full score:

TEAM A.				
Starrett,	78	82	82	242
Dewson,	82	83	82	247
Osborne,	74	85	82	237
H.M.Fairbanks,	83	85	74	242
Coe,	84	70	74	228
	401	401	394	1196
TEAM C.				
Freeman,	85	79	85	249
E. F. Taylor,	70	59	63	192
Burns,	85	91	78	254
Battison,	72	92	68	232
Reed,	75	61	65	201
	387	382	359	1128

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY

Take laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. 25c.

—A brick concern in Epping, N. H., recently received an order for 46,000,000 from a Boston firm, the contract to be finished in three years.

—Chinese women, as a rule, dress their hair only once a month. To prevent disarrangement of their tresses they sleep with their heads in boxes.

—The observatory at Pekin is the oldest in the world having been founded in 1729 by Kubla Khan, the first emperor of the Mogul dynasty.

MARRIED.

SHAW—STENZEL—In Boston, Jan. 18, by Rev. H. Birkner, Mr. Henry W. Shaw to Miss Emma A. Stenzel, both of Quincy.

DIED.

BELCHER—In Wollaston, Jan. 17, Eliza D. Belcher, aged 55 years, 7 months and 20 days.

TIRRELL—In South Weymouth, Jan. 16, Mrs. Sarah Ann Nicholls, widow of Thomas A. Tirrell, aged 83 years.

MORRELL'S CASE.

It Causes a Spirited Discussion in the House.

A Representative Suggest That It be Taken to Court.

Motion to Refer to a Special Committee Prevails.

The Brookline petition for the impeachment of Melville P. Morrell, the Norfolk County Commissioner, bobbed up serenely again in the House on Monday and caused a spirited discussion, which the Boston Advertiser reports as follows:

Mr. Moriarty of Worcester advised the members to "go slow." If the house has a right to impeach such an officer, urged Mr. Moriarty, it may be doubtful wisdom to begin proceedings. This county official may not be a state official within the meaning of the constitution, and if that be true the legislature has no right to impeach him. If this commissioner has been guilty of dishonesty, there are courts of justice where he can be tried by a jury of his peers. I want to know if the members of this legislature propose to try this man and deprive him of his franchise on evidence upon which they do not dare to try him in the courts.

Mr. Manchester said he agreed, in the main, with the member from Worcester, but he contended while he agreed with him as to the gravity of this proceeding, and upon the necessity of ascertaining whether this house had jurisdiction, he would say that it is in order to ascertain this very question of jurisdiction, that the proposal is made to appoint a special committee. "A petition has been filed and the desire should be to dispose of this matter in the most expeditious manner possible. The appointment of the committee in no way indicates any failure on the part of any member, but a petition must be acted on by some committee.

Mr. Sargent of West Springfield wanted to know why the matter could not be referred to the attorney general to report on the question of jurisdiction.

Mr. Manchester replied that there must first be a hearing by a committee to ascertain the facts.

Mr. Callender of Boston moved that the matter rest on the speaker's desk till reached in its regular order, when he would move that it be considered in committee of the whole. The speaker ruled that this motion was out of order.

Mr. Maxwell of Boston moved that the petition be referred to the committee.

This motion was lost, and Mr. Manchester's motion to take the matter from the table, where it was placed last week, and refer it to a special committee, prevailed.

The speaker appointed Messrs. Manchester of Winchester (chairman), Evans of Cambridge, Quirk of Boston, Parsons of Greenfield, Reidy of Boston, Clark of Lee, Chapple of Salem, Crawford of Watertown and Dubuque of Fall River.

The special committee will hold a meeting this afternoon to consider the whole matter. It is quite likely that it may go into the matter of evidence quite thoroughly. If the committee decides that it has found sufficient ground to ask for impeachment, it will so report to the House, with the evidence on which it bases its request. Then the House will vote on the report. If the vote is for impeachment seven members of the House will be selected as prosecuting attorneys who will represent the Commonwealth before the Senate, where all impeachment trials are conducted.

$100 Reward $100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers, that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

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WM. STRINGER OF PEABODY CURED OF RHEUMATISM IN LEG.

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Muscle Oil Co.:—

Gentlemen:—Last spring I was greatly troubled with rheumatism in my leg and was not able to do any work for four months. After using several other so called sure cures, I tried Muscle Oil, and after using five bottles I was able to work every day and now feel as well as ever. Yours truly,

WILLIAM STRINGER, Kerry St.

These cold, raw days mean exposure to sudden changes. Fortify yourself against rheumatism by keeping Muscle Oil on hand.

25c. and 50c. a bottle.

Remnants of Carpets

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A Carpenter's Life Saved by the Puritana Treatment.



MR. George H. Denny is a carpenter who has always worked in the vicinity of South Northfield, Vt. He is about 35, bright, energetic and favorably known. He lives near the headquarters of Dog River, on the high land that divides the waters of the Connecticut and Winooski rivers. Here is his statement:

"About a year ago I was taken with kidney trouble in one of the worst forms. I was passing from four to six quarts of water every 24 hours, and my trouble finally ran into diabetes. I had had kidney trouble before, and had somewhat recovered when the second attack came last fall. I employed a doctor all last winter, with no favorable results. I worked all the time, but was in constant misery, and if I had kept on I would not now have been alive. The disease reduced my weight from 180 to 145 pounds, and during all the time I got no relief until I began to use Puritana. I commenced the Puritana treatment last April, and used three or four bottles. The first results were felt in my stomach, which improved rapidly, so that I could eat and digest my food comfortably. The next result was that my bladder was restored to its normal condition. I have been well all summer, although I left off using Puritana in June. I think Puritana is the best remedy that I have ever known, and unhesitatingly recommend it to others, for whose good I publish this letter.

(Signed) "George H. Denny."

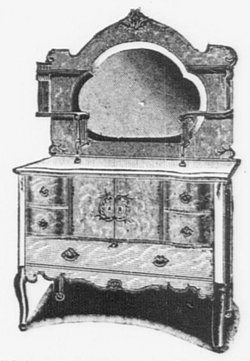
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LOST—On 10-10 A. M. train from Quincy Adams to Boston, on Saturday, Jan. 16, a lady's Muff. The finder will be rewarded by leaving same at HENRY McGRATH'S. South Quincy, Jan. 18. tf

FOUND.

FOUND—In West Quincy, Monday, Jan. 11, a gentleman's Silver Watch. Owner can have by proving property. Address FRANK X. FRUTH, 14 Revere street, West Quincy. jan16-3t

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WANTED—A good girl for general Housework. Experience and good reference required. Apply, 316 Hancock St. Quincy, Jan. 19. *2t

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On and after Friday, Jan. 1, 1897, cars will make trips on week days as follows:

Quincy and Neponset.

Leave CITY HALL for Neponset—6.00 A. M., 6.15, 6.30, 6.45, 7.00, and every 15, 30, 45 and 60 minutes past the hour until 7.00 P. M., then every half hour until 10.50 P. M. Cars leaving Quincy on the hour via. Norfolk Downs, except 6.00 P. M.

Leave NEPONSET—6.22 A. M., 6.37, 6.52, 7.07, 7.22, and every 7, 22, 37 and 52 minutes past the hour until 7.00 o'clock, then every half hour until 11 P. M.; last car for Quincy at 11.15 P. M. Cars leaving Neponset 22 minutes past the hour via. Norfolk Downs.

Quincy and East Weymouth.

Leave CITY HALL (10 minutes later from Quincy Point and 22 minutes later from North Weymouth)—5.45, 6.20, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, 11.20, 11.50 A. M.; 12.20, 12.50, 1.20, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20 4.50 5.20 (5.30 to East Weymouth car house), 5.50, 6.20, 6.30, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.50 P. M.

Leave EAST WEYMOUTH (20 minutes later from North Weymouth and 30 minutes later from Quincy Point)—6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11, 11.30 A. M.; 12, 12.30, 1, 1.30, 2, 2.30, 3, 3.30, 4, 4.30, 5, 5.30, 6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11.30 P. M.

Quincy and East Milton.

Leave CITY HALL, 5.55, 6.25, then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 8.55 P. M., then at 9.50 and 10.50 P. M.

Leave EAST MILTON, 6.30, 7.00 A. M., then on the hour and half hour until 9.30 P.M., then at 10.20 and 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and Holbrook.

Leave QUINCY for SOUTH BRAINTREE and HOLBROOK at 6.10 and 6.40 A. M., and every 10 minutes past and 20 minutes of the hour until 10 10 P. M. Last car leaves at 10.50 P. M. On Saturdays the last car leaves Quincy at 11.50 P. M.

Returning cars leave HOLBROOK for SOUTH BRAINTREE and QUINCY at 5.55 and 6.25 A. M., and every 25 minutes past and 5 minutes of the hour until 9.55 P.M. Last car leaves Holbrook at 11.30 P. M.

☞ On Sundays on the Weymouth route cars will leave Quincy on the hour and half hour and East Weymouth at quarter past and quarter of the hour.

☞ Special trips can be arranged on application to the Superintendent.

☞ At Quincy Centre close connection is made with Electric Cars on all the routes.

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r 6 12 abc	*	6 30	5 53 ihgfedcba	*	6 20 r
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r 7 12 abc		7 30	7 30 cba		7 49 r
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r 7 42 abc		8 00	9 30 cba		9 49 r
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r 8 42 abc		9 00	12 00 (xx)		12 15
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r 11 12 abc		11 30	2 30 cba		2 49 r
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r 1 12 abc		1 30	4 30 cba		4 49 r
1 46 (xx)		2 00	5 00 cba		5 19 r
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r 3 12 abc		3 30	5 30 cba		5 49 r
r 4 12 abc		4 30	6 00 cba		6 19 r
r 5 12 abc		5 30	6 15 a		6 32
r 6 12 abc		6 30	6 30 cba		6 49 r
r 7 12 abc		7 30	7 00 cba		7 19 r
r 7 41 abcdefghi		8 07	7 30 cba		7 49 r
r 8 08 abcdef		8 30	8 30 fedcba		8 53 r
r 9 12 abc		9 30	9 30 cba		9 49 r
r 10 08 abcdef		10 30	10 30 fedcba		10 53 r
r 10 34 abcdefghi		11 08	11 00 ihgfedcba		11 27 r
r 11 12 abc		11 30	11 30 cba		11 49 r

SUNDAYS.

6 38 abcdef	7 00	4 05 fda	4 23
8 46 (xx)	9 00	7 30 fedcba	7 53 r
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r 12 16 (xx)	12 30	9 30 ihgfedcba	9 57 r
1 07 abc	1 25	10 30 ihgfedcba	10 57 r
2 16 (xx)	2 30	11 30 (xx)	11 45
r 3 04 abcdefghi	3 30	12 35 cba	12 54
r 4 04 abcdefghi	4 30	1 30 (xx)	1 45
5 16 (xx)	5 30	4 30 cba	4 49 r
r 6 08 abcdef	6 30	5 00 (xx)	5 15
r 9 08 abcdef	9 30	7 00 fedcba	7 23 r
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*The letters in the same line as the figures stand for different stations and indicate that trains stop, as follows:

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MOON'S PHASES.

New Moon 3 1:03 a. m. | Full Moon 18 3:17 p. m.
First Quarter 10 4:46 p. m. | Third Quarter 25 3:08 p. m.

THE WEATHER INDICATIONS.

ALMANAC, TUESDAY, JAN. 19.

Sun rises—7:08; sets, 4:42.
Length of day—9h. 34m.
Moon rises—5:48 p. m.
Full sea—11.30 a. m.

Forecast for New England: Fair; colder; high northwesterly winds, decreasing in force.

To Aid Missionaries.

New York, Jan. 19.—By the terms of the will of Mrs. Ellen Thurston of Brooklyn, a cousin of H. Walter Webb of the New York Central and Hudson River railroad, who died Dec. 24 last, leaving $150,000 in real and personal property, there is given the American Board of Missions $5000; the Women's Union Missionary Society of America for Heathen Lands, $2000; the American Missionary association of New York, $5000; the trustees of the Hampton Normal and Agricultural institute, $10,000; and the trustees of the Tuskagee normal school at Tuskagee, Ala., $3000. The sum of $28,000 is divided among various Brooklyn charitable institutions.

Good Word For Christenson.

Waterloo, Ia., Jan. 19.—Carl B. Christenson, who is accused in Boston of having stolen valuable books, left Waterloo two years ago, and has not been connected with the college since. He began lecturing when he left here, delivering his addresses in Danish, and scored quite a success. He was considered exceptionally bright. He left the college because of strained relations with its owner. Christenson has translated several American works into Danish, and contemplated translating a history of America. He was regarded here as strictly honest.

Horse Racing on Ice.

Saranac Lake, N. Y., Jan 19.—The first day of the annual races of the Saranac Lake Trotting association will witness fully 3000 people on lower Saranac lake. Hundreds of strangers are in town, and great interest is being manifested in the events. Horsemen from New York, Plattsburg, Keeseville and throughout the Adirondacks are here. The 2:50 and 2:25 classes, with a purse of $175 each, are on for today. The races will continue throughout the week.

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AT NATIONAL CAPITAL.

Congress Takes Up Consideration of Nicaragua Canal Bill.

Decisions Handed Down by Supreme Court.

President's Letter on Deep Waterways Report.

Washington, Jan. 19.—The senate agreed to take up the Nicaragua canal bill. This gives the measure the parliamentary advantage of being the unfinished business of the senate, so that it will be considered from day to day, until final action is secured.

The prospect is that a final vote will be reached at an early day, and the test vote yesterday on taking up this bill, yeas 36, nays 14, foreshadowed its passage. Senator Morgan of Alabama opened the debate with a lengthy speech in favor of the measure. He said he desired action before the senate took up the new Anglo-American treaty of arbitration. This covered certain "differences," and Mr. Morgan said it should be determined whether American control of the Nicaragua canal or the upholding of the Monroe doctrine was to be included among the differences to be submited to arbitration.

The canal bill provides for an issue of $100,000,000 of Maritime Canal company stock, of which the secretary of the treasury, in behalf of the United States, is to subscribe for $70,000,000 worth of shares. The company is to issue bonds up to $100,000,000, these to be guaranteed by the United States. The building and control of the canal are given to American engineers and a board of 11 directors, of whom five are to be appointed by the president. It is substantially the measure passed by the senate in the last congress.

During the day, Mr. Chandler of New Hampshire introduced the Republican caucus bill for an international monetary conference, and stated that it would be called up today. Among the resolutions offered was one from Mr. Pettigrew of South Dakota, calling on the secretary of state for a statement of the status of the Venezuelan question, and for the agreement made between the United States and Great Britain.

The house passed three bills of public importance, and devoted the remainder of the day to District of Columbia business. One prohibited the sale of intoxicating liquors to the Indians, one amended the existing patent laws, in conformity with the recommendations of the American Bar association, and another provided for the use by the government of patents secured by naval officers, compensation to be fixed by a board of three officers.

Report of Waterways Commission.

Washington, Jan. 19.—The report of the deep water way commission was read before the senate and house, with the following from the president:

To the Senate and House of Representatives:

I transmit herewith the report of Messrs. James B. Angell of Michigan, John E. Russell of Massachusetts and Lyman E. Cooley of Illinois, who were appointed commissioners under the authority of a law passed March 2, 1889, to make inquiry and report after conference with such similar commissioners as might be appointed on behalf of Great Britain or the Dominion of Canada, concerning the feasibility of the construction of such canals as will enable vessels engaged in ocean commerce to pass between the Great Lakes and the Atlantic ocean, and the most convenient location and probable cost of such canals, together with other facts and information in said act specified relating to their construction and use.

The commissioners have prosecuted the work assigned them with great zeal and intelligence, resulting in the collection of a mass of information embodied in their report and its accompanying articles, which is of great importance and interest as related to the project subjected to their examination.

The advantages of direct and unbroken water transportaion of the products of our United States and territories, from convenient points of shipment to our seaboard ports, are plainly palpable. The report of the commissioners contains, in my opinion, demonstration of the feasibility of securing such transportation, and gives ground for the anticipation that better and more uninterrupted commerce through the plan suggested between the west and foreign ports, with the increase of national prosperity which must follow in its turn, will not escape American enterprise and activity.

It will be observed that the report of the commissioners, though as comprehensive as the time and facilities at their disposal permitted, does not definitely deal with the cost of the work they were called upon to consider, and omits some of the details related to it. Thus far, they have labored without compensation, and a part of the small sum appropriated for the payment of their expenses still remains unexpended.

I suggest to the congress the propriety of making economical provision for such further prosecution of their work as will more fully develop the information necessary to an exact and complete understanding of this interesting and important subject.

Signed Grover Cleveland.

The conclusions of the commision follow:

1. That it is entirely feasible to construct such canals and develop such channels as will be adequate of any scale of navigation that may be desired between the Great Lakes and the seaboard, and to conduct through the same domestic and foreign commerce, and that it will be wise to provide for securing a channel of a navigable depth of not less than 28 feet.

2. That, starting from the heads of Lakes Michigan and Superior, themost eligible route is through the several Great Lakes and their intermediate channels and the proposed Niagara ship canal (Tonawanda to Olcott), Lake Ontario; and that the Canadian seaboard may be reached from Lake Ontario by the way of the St. Lawrence river, and the American seaboard may be reached from Lake Ontario by way of the St. Lawrence and Lake Champlain, and the Hudson river, or by way of the Oswego-Oneida-Mohawk valley and the Hudson river.

3. That the alternative routes from Lake Ontario to the Hudson river require complete surveys and a full development of economic consideration to determine their relative availability.

4. That a moderate control of the levee of Lake Erie and of the Niagara river above Tonawandæ may be justified in connection with the Niagara ship canal, the determination in this matter to rest on a full examination of the physical conditions.

5. That the policy should contemplate the ultimate attainment of the largest successful capacity and that all works should be planned on this basis, and that the actual execution should conform thereto, insofar as the works may, without prejudice, be progressively developed with the actual demands of commerce.

6. That it is practicable to develop the work in separate sections, and the several sections, in part, by degrees, each step having its economic justification, so that the benefits should follow closely on expenditures without awaiting the completion of the system as a whole.

7. That the completion of the entire system as quickly as proper projects can be matured and economically executed is fully justified.

8. That the Niagara ship canal should be first undertaken, and, incidentally, the broadening and further deepening of the intermediate chanels of the lakes, the same being in the logical order of development and also requiring the least time for consideration.

Decisions of Supreme Court.

Washington, Jan. 19.—The supreme court has decided the portion of the South Carolina dispensary law which provides for the inspection of liquors imported into the state to be in contravention of the constitution of the United States. The opinion, which had been prepared by Jusice Shiras, was stated very briefly by Chief Justice Fuller. The written opinion is a very elaborate document, but the chief justice gave a very brief synopsis of it, and declined afterwards to give the document to the public. The court also declared a Texas state law to be unconstitutional. The decision was rendered in the case of the Gulf, Colorado and Santa Fe Railroad compan vs. W. H. Ellis, appealed from the supreme court of Texas by the railroad company. The case involved a case against the railroad company in which claim was also made for a judgment for attorneys' fees under the state law of 1889, allowing $10 for such fees in claims against railroad companies where the litigation results against the company. The court held that the law is in contravention of the 14th amendment, in that it deprives the railroad company of property without due process of law, and denies to them the same protection of the law granted others. The chief justice and Justices Gray and White dissented.

A decree was entered by the court fixing the boundary line between the states of Iowa and Missouri, in accordance with the findings of the commissioners appointed by the court to fix the line.

Two ladies, Miss Caroline H. Pier of Wisconsin and Miss Alice A. Minnick of Nebraska, were admitted to practice, increasing the number of ladies who possess this privilege to 15.

Immigration Bill In Joint Committee.

Washington, Jan. 19.—The house and senate conference committees on the immigration bill are meeting with several knotty problems in their attempts to settle the differences between the two houses. Chairman Bartholdt of the house committee was the most determined opponent to several of the most stringent features of the proposed legislation. Mr. Bartholdt says that unless the feature of the bill which makes the educational test apply to both men and women, and which he thinks would, if enforced, result in the separation of families, is omitted, he will be compelled to oppose the bill in the house. He has proposed in conference to amend the bill by exempting women from that test. Another amendment which he proposes is to require that immigrants shall be able to read and write the English or any other language, instead of the English or their own laguage. The latter test, he says, would exclude a large part of the inhabitants of Russia, who use the German language, and many worthy Germans living in Hungary and Bohemia. He suggests that Senator Lodge's provision that five lines of the constitution must be read by an immigrant be modified to one line, because the immigration officials in New York report that the Saturday cargoes of immigrants, when four or five ships reach port, could not be inspected and discharged in three days. Senator Chandler has framed a substitutes for Representative Corliss' amendment to the bill designed to exclude Canadians who labor in the United States and maintain their homes in Canada. The substitute would exclude those working in the United States who "habitually and regularly" return to Canada.

Personal and Otherwise.

Representative Cannon of Illinois, who is one of the aspirants for Senator Palmer's seat in the senate, has left Washington. It is supposed that he has gone to Springfield to take part in the canvass personally, and he will be the fourth member of congress on the field, his rivals being Messrs. Hitt, Hopkins and Lorimer. In conversation with some of his colleagues, Mr. Cannon has expressed considerable confidence that he might be selected as a compromise candidate if it became evident that William Mason could not secure the necessary majority.

Brigadier General Michael R. Morgan, commissary general of subsistence, has been placed on the retired list of the army on account of age. General Morgan was born in Nova Scotia, but became a resident of New York state at an early age.

The president yesterday furnished the senate, in response to a resolution adopted in executive session, with the correspondence between our government and Great Britain resulting in the general arbitration treaty now awaiting the approval of the senate. All of this correspondence has been previously published in the newspapers.

Postmaster General Wilson has gone to Albany, where this evening he will deliver an address before the Bar association.

The senate has confirmed Emma L. Lombard as postmistress at South Ashburnham, Mass., and L. D. Thurston as postmaster at Leicester, Mass.

Senator Chandler has introduced a bill providing for a permanent census bureau, with a superintendent in charge, at a salary of $6000.

The senate committee on judiciary has reported favorably the bill introduced by Senator Hill, fixing the term of postmasters at four years.

Secretary Francis' nomination was confirmed by the senate in executive session yesterday. No opposition to confirmation was made.

John Charlton, M. P., a Liberal member of the Canadian house of commons, who is in the city, said yesterday that the recent change of government had brought the question of reciprocity to the front in that country, as the Liberal party always favored more intimate trade relations with the United States.

LOOK FOR HOT DEBATES.

The English Parliament Will Formally Reconvene Today.

Forecast of Matter to Be Taken Up.

New Phase of Irish Question Most Important Feature.

London, Jan. 19.—Parliament reconvenes today with the usual formalities.

A stormy session is expected in which the fortunes of the government are in doubt, in spite of the 150 Conservative majority, upon two questions, at any rate—education and the recently demonstrated financial injustice to Ireland. In the votes to be taken upon these questions the followers of the government of the day are split and divided in every direction—so much so that the government whips are anticipating their hardest sessions of recent years. The Irish question has not yet been raised in the commons in its present shape; on the education question the government is under specific pledges. Of these and other questions that will be hotly debated the following are some forecasts:

Sir Charles Dilke writes as follows: "There never was a session when we had been so fully told in advance what was likely to be the program. The address debates will no doubt be largely occupied by the present position of the Asia Minor or Cyprus convention, which some treat as wholly at an end, some as virtually at an end and some few as a living fact. Immediately after the address debates I suppose we shall see the education bill, probably very short and simple, which the government are pledged to pass in the present financial year (before the 31st of March), and which will be something like the money clauses of the long bill of last year. Before the 31st of March there is the first vote on the navy, which will give rise this year to important debates; and the first vote on the army, which must lead to a prolonged debate. Later in the session we shall doubtless see a workmen's insurance bill, probably compounded of that of Mr. Asquith, limited by the contracting out clause inserted by the house of lords, and that of Sir A. Forwood, the fate of which is more doubtful than that of the other measures which have been named. A secondary education bill may be introduced, but I fear that the bill for the amendment, followed by the consolidation of the factory acts, may unfortunately be postponed until 1898."

Sir Frank Lockwood, Q. C., member of parliament for York, is in much closer touch with Sir William Harcourt than is Sir Charles Dilke. Sir Frank says: "I expect the session to be a stirring one. So far as the relative numbers of political parties are concerned, the situation is practically unaltered from last session. I hope that the government will at the very outset give a frank and full statement as to the precise position of the country in relation to the various foreign complications which have occurred—particularly with regard to the United States. This we shall doubtless have, in spite of the amusing declaration of Mr. Curzon, who apparently thinks that whether England is isolated or not, he and his office are entitled to a position of stately isolation, and that he must not be questioned. After these explanations the education question will necessarily occupy a considerable portion of the time of the session. The position that will be taken up by the Liberal party is the same it occupied in 1896—not in opposition to voluntary schools, but a firm determination that if public money is to be spent it shall be spent under public control. The government itself is by no means a unit on this question, and during the recess no member of it has dared to say they will give rate aid without full public control. The Tory bill of last session was a stupendous failure. Mr. Balfour has stated during the recess that the matter is to be dealt with in a series of little bills. If they are intended to accomplish what the big bill of 1896 was intended to accomplish, they will all fail, as that did.

"Another question which will occupy a good deal of time will be the injustice to Ireland, made evident by the recent inquiry into the financial relations of Great Britain and Ireland. The matter is serious. At a meeting at Cork the other day a Unionist peer (Lord Castletown) upon the platform said: 'The obstinacy of a statesman and a cruel uniform taxation cost England one of her greatest colonies—the United States—and I hope the same thing may not happen in connection with Ireland.'"

Among Liberal Unionists there is a scarcity of information as to the exact nature of the ministry's plans. Evidently the rank and file are only to know at the same time as the opposition. The Marquis of Lorne writes: "Government bills are government secrets. I think there would be little profit, therefore, in making useless prophesies."

Some expectation has been raised that the matter of Rhodes-Kruger would be brought up in the coming session, and naturally excite the liveliest of debates, but Henry Labouchere, who is a member of the committee upon the subject, disposes of the matter as follows: "As a committee is appointed to go into the whole subject of Rhodes-Kruger, I do not suppose any debate will take place on the matter before the committee has reported."

The various Irish parties in the house are all preparing for this debate. The wing under the able and aggressive Mr. Healy, which returns to Westminster more determined than in '96 to carve Irish fortunes in its own way, is equally as one with the Dillonites and Parnellites on this superheated subject.

After education, Ireland will hold the first place. And considerable progress in her favor may be expected, because on the question of unjust taxation the various sections of the Irish members will come to Westminster united—a unanimity of purpose that has not obtained for anything since the death of Parnell. Not all of the Irish members, however, are sanguine of success.

It has been decided by the Parnellites to move an amendment on the whole amnesty question and to push in every possible way the land bill, university education bill, evicted tenants' bill, tenant rights in towns bill, laborers' (Ireland) bill, manhood suffrage bill and the poor law franchise bill.

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FOR BETTER CAUCUSES.

Remedies Suggested For Defects In Massachusetts Law.

Present Act Prevents Discussion of Candidates.

Under Existing Statute Violators of Law Escape Punishment.

Boston, Jan. 20.—A report on the inadequacies of the Massachusetts caucus laws was presented to the legislature yesterday by the special committee appointed last June. A bill to remedy defects in the Australian act accompanies the report, which is quite lengthy. The report says in part:

The committee finds that the present system of caucuses has many elements to commend it, but that, at the same time, it contains several serious defects. The "Australian system" in caucus voting, as established by the aforesaid "caucus act," removes the possibility of retaining those features of a caucus which permit thereat the discussion of men and measures, and changes the caucus into essentially a primary election. This change in character is unavoidable in a great municipality. In the opinion of the committee, this system should be retained, but with certain amendments, to remedy the defects in the present law.

The committee also finds that, in many instances, members of both parties have been refused the right to vote in caucuses, because they have not been registered, although such persons have declared, upon oath, that they are members of the party holding the caucus. To meet this difficulty, the bill drafted by the committee provides an amendment to the present law, providing the right to vote to any who shall, before the chairman or warden of a caucus, declare, on his oath, that he is a member of the political party at a caucus at which he asks leave to vote; that it is his purpose to support said party at all polls at the election then next ensuing, and that he has not taken part in the caucus of any other political party during the then calendar year.

The report also calls attention to the fact that caucuses are now held from 2 till 7:30 p. m., which, to them, appears unsatisfactory, and they suggest that the polls open at noon and close at 8:30 p. m. It is also pointed out that the courts have found the section providing for penalties for the violation of the caucus laws to be "entirely inoperative," and in the draft of the new bill, the present statutes are so amended as to make the penalties so specific and definite as to "insure that justice be meted out to those who are found guilty of violating the provisions of these important laws, and not escape punishment, as under the existing statutes."

Sherman Employs Non-Union Men.

Worcester, Mass., Jan. 20.—The Bricklayers' and Masons' International union, in their convention yesterday, adopted a resolution calling on Senator John Sherman to annul the contract he has made with a non-union firm for the erection of nine houses in the northest section of Washington, in the interest of union labor, and that in the future he shall insert in all his contracts a clause that none but union labor be employed on such construction.

Identified as Well-Known Crook.

Portland, Me., Jan. 20.—W. H. Murray, under indictment here for blowing a safe at the Maine Cold Storage and Provision company, on Sept. 18, and who was captured 15 minutes after the safe was blown, has been identified by the New York, Boston, Broklyn and Chicago police and by Pinkerton's detective bureau as "Willie" Burke, the noted crooksman. Murray denies that his name is Burke, and will make a vigorous defense at his trial next week.

Matthews Discharged.

Lawrence, Mass., Jan. 20.—Edward Matthews, who was charged with manslaughter, was discharged by order of Judge Stone yesterday morning as the grand jury did not find a bill against him. Matthews was charged with having caused the death of Watchman Yeaton of the Washington mills but the autopsy showed that death had been caused by heart disease, brought on by the struggle with Matthews in the mill.

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INQUEST AT SHELBURNE.

O'Neil Unable to Account For His Whereabouts.

Shelburne Falls, Mass., Jan. 20.—The inquest in the McCloud murder case was held in the Buckland town hall yesterday before Judge Edward E. Lyman, and was private. The inquest was not concluded, and it is expected that it will take a good share of today to complete it.

Twenty-six witnesses were examined in the morning and 28 in the afternoon, and more have been summoned. The strongest feature of the case is that several persons can place O'Neil up to nearly 6 o'clock, but from that time until he was seen by Miss Schontag and her sister, Mrs. Dow and Miss Peebles, aside from the time he was seen at supper, he apparently dropped completely out of sight. Pferrick does not agree with O'Neil as to the time he was seen near the bridge.

It has been learned that Mrs. George White resembles Mrs. McCloud somewhat in general appearance, and it is thought she is the woman seen by Tatreau, Edwin Schontag and others who are so confident they saw Mrs. McCloud at 7 o'clock and later. All the witnesses told their stories behind closed doors, and they were substantially the same as given to the officers previously.

It is said that the government case has been materially strengthened. If the doubt in relation to the time is eliminated by finding a woman who people mistook for Mrs. McCloud, the case of the government has undoubtedly been helped. The failure of O'Neil to account for his time, the fact that he had plenty of money when a little before he had none, are all strong features against the prisoner.

WANT TO USE BOSTON COMMON

Mayor Petitioned by New England Athletic Association.

Boston, Jan. 20.—The board of directors of the N. E. A. A. U. last night voted to ask Mayor Quincy of Boston to allow the amateur championships of 1897 to be held on Boston Common, and to appropriate $1000 for the same.

On the application of certain bowlers of the Massachusetts Amateur Bowling league, the reinstatement committee reported that the application did not come within the jurisdiction of the N. E. A. A U., and the union cannot, therefore, recognize such bowlers who ask amateur qualification. If, however, the bowlers apply individually for membership in the union, and pay the fee, their application can be acted upon.

The Newtowne club of Cambridge and the St. James A. A. of this city were elected to membership in the union. The resignation of the Suffolk A. C. was accepted.

A modification was suggested in the constitution, prohibiting professionalism in any form in the union. The new article reads as follows:

"No club, member of a club or amateur athlete in this association shall be permitted to give, hold, maintain or be identified in any manner or form with games, contests, entertainments or exhibitions participated in, either wholly or in part, by professional athletes. Violations of this article will be punished by immediate expulsion."

The amendments to the constitution will be voted upon by the members of the union in the next 30 days.

Bankers Disagree.

Pittsfield, Mass., Jan. 20.—The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Pittsfield National bank yesterday was a lively one. A sharp controversy has been going on between President Waterman and some of the directors, some having a desire to have President Waterman retire. The trouble came to the surface when it was stated that President Waterman had secured many proxies for the purpose of putting three directors off the board and substituting three others. A lively discussion took place, and a committee was appointed to report the general condition of the bank, at an adjourned meeting. There is no trouble with the financial condition of the bank.

In Maine Legislature.

Augusta, Me., Jan. 20.—The interesting feature of yesterday's session of the legislature was the report of Commissioner Freeman, who was appointed by Governor Cleaves to investigate the affairs of the Maine State college and report to the succeeding legislature. Mr. Freeman made an exhaustive research, and recommends that state aid be hereafter withheld from the institution, as it has departed entirely from its original purposes as an agricultural college, and already has a greater income than any other college in the state, without even state aid. The proposed appropriation for this institution will be vigorously fought.

Firemen Charged With Incendiarism.

Watertown, Mass., Jan. 20.—There have been a large number of fires in this town within the past few months, many of which were of a suspicious nature. Yesterday Fire Marshal Whitcomb arrested three young men on the charge of being, in some manner, connected with the origin of the fires. The three men are John Doyle, John Glynn and Patrick Clark, all residents of this town, and two of the three are volunteer members of hose No. 2 of the local fire department. All volunteers in the department are paid according to the number of fires which they attend, and receive $2 for each fire.

Child Put Dynamite on Stove.

Greenwich, Conn., Jan. 20.—Antonio Angelo, employed by Joseph Christaino, a contractor, placed frozen dynamite cartridges near the stove in the kitchen of his dwelling to thaw out yesterday, and later, his 10-year-old boy, who was playing with one, placed it on the stove, when it immediately exploded, wrecking the house completely, killing the boy and probably fatally injuring Angelo and his wife and Guiseppe Ninoli, who were in the house.

Collector Donovan Resigns.

Boston, Jan. 20.—Edward J. Donovan, collector of internal revenue for the district of Massachusetts, has forwarded his resignation to President Cleveland. Mr. Donovan resigns to become the business manager of a brewing company, from whom he has received a most enticing offer. His resignation will take effect Feb. 10.

ASSUMES NEW DUTIES.

Rev. Dr. Conaty Installed Rector of Catholic University of America.

Cardinal Gibbons on Catholicism and Americanism.

Many Eminent Ecclesiasts Congratulate Successor of Bishop Keane.

Washington, Jan. 20.—Very Rev. Thomas J. Conaty, D. D., is now in charge of the Catholic University of America. With impressive ceremonies, which were attended by a distinguished assemblage of leading churchmen and educators, the new rector was duly installed yesterday.

At 4 p. m. Cardinal Gibbons, in his scarlet robes, headed the procession across the university grounds to McMahon hall. He was accompanied by Monsignor Martinelli, the papal delegate, and a number of visiting clergymen, including Archbishops Elder of Cincinnati, Ryan of Philadelphia, Bishops Bevan, Donahue and Farley, Monsignors Griffin, Maginnis and McMahon. Following these came the faculty and students of the university.

McMahon hall was handsomely decorated for the event, the papal colors and the stars and stripes being intertwined above the platform where the ceremony occurred. The cardinal, archbishops and bishops occupied the platform, and also President Whitman of Columbia university, President Richards of Georgetown university, President Rankin of Howard university, Senators Carter, Smith and Roach and Minister Andrade of Venezuela. The body of the hall was crowded to overflowing with invited guests.

The ceremony opened with the reading of the pope's brief appointing Dr. Conaty as rector, by Professor Shea of the university staff.

Cardinal Gibbons then delivered the opening address. He referred to Pope Leo XIII and Bishop Keane as the "two founders of the university," and also paid a high tribute to Vice Rector Garrigan. He heartily congratulated Dr. Conaty on the auspicious circumstances of his appointment and referred to the high esteem in which the new rector was held by men of high station at his former home, including the senior senator from Massachusetts, Mr. Hoar, the governor of Massachusetts, and mayor of Worcester. Proceeding, he said:

"Let the watchword of the Catholic university be: Revelation and science, religion and patriotism, God and the constitution of the United States. I would not expunge or alter a single paragraph, a single line or a single word of that immortal instrument. The constitution is admirably adapted to the growth and expansion of the Catholic religion and the Catholic religion is admirably adapted to the genius of the constitution. They fit together like two links in the same chain."

The cardinal referred with satisfaction to the fact that the university did not have to look to the government in order to shape its action, the only restriction on it being the limits of its own purse. He added: "Here, thank God, our government holds over us the arm of its protection without interference with our God-given liberties as expounders of the divine law."

The cardinal closed with an eloquent plea that all those connected with the university be vindicators, not only of religion and science, but also of the civil and political institutions of our beloved country.

At the conclusion of the cardinal's address, Vice Rector Garrigan stepped forward and presented the new rector with the constitution of the university, adding an earnest welcome to the new rector.

Dr. Conaty acknowledged the long continued applause and then began his inaugural discourse, speaking in a strong, pleasing voice. After expressing his deep gratitude to the directors of the university, who had recommended him to the pope for the high honor of the rectorship, Dr. Conaty said that he had been called to his new post from the busy sphere of parochial duties, and felt unable to announce any definite plan of work until he had opportunity to study the needs of a great institution over which he had been selected to preside. He paid a warm tribute to the ability and integrity of his predecessor, Bishop Keane, who, he said, had been called by the pontiff to a field of greater honor and wider usefulness.

Speaking of the scope of catholicity of the university's teaching, Dr. Conaty said:

"Truth is one, as God is one, whether it be sought for in the moral or scientific order. There can be no secret in nature which can offer danger to truth. The church has always blessed true science and blesses it every day."

As Dr. Conaty closed he was greeted with hearty applause, while the cardinal and other high churchmen extended warm personal congratulations. The new rector proceeded to the rotunda below, where for half an hour he received the long line of guests, who were anxious to grasp his hand and express their good wishes.

Notice to Mariners.

Boston, Jan. 20.—Commencing tomorrow, the new experimental bell buoys located on Nix's Mate and State ledge in the harbor will be put in operation, and if proved successful will be continued until further notice. The bell on Nix's Mate will strike one stroke per second for 3 seconds, followed by a silent interval of of 12 seconds, while the one on State ledge will strike one stroke per second for 4 seconds, followed by a silent interval of 16 seconds.

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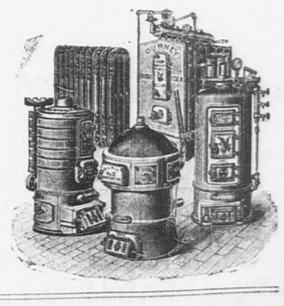
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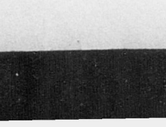
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NOTICE TO PARENTS.

CITY OF QUINCY.

CITY CLERK'S OFFICE, Dec. 14, 1896.

THE Record of births in any city or town is always more or less unsatisfactory, owing to the fact that the canvasser finds difficulty in getting the necessary information. Names and dates are frequently given incorrectly. The importance of accuracy is shown in many cases where there is a question of descent, or inheritance of property, or collection of life insurance or pensions. The City Clerk's copy of the record is accepted as conclusive evidence in a court of law. While great pains are taken by this office to have the record correct, experience shows that it is necessary that parents themselves should lend their assistance. In fact the law requires that parents shall give notice to the City Clerk of the birth of their children, and provides a penalty for neglect to give such notice for the space of six months.

It often happens that only children or servants are at home when the canvasser makes his call, and the answers to his questions are open to doubt. I therefore request all parents in whose households a birth has occurred in the year 1896, to place upon a paper or card the required information, and keep it in a convenient place until the canvasser appears.

The canvass will be commenced on Jan. 1, 1897.

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STATE HOUSE, BOSTON, Jan. 18, 1897.

THE Committee on FEDERAL RELATIONS will give a hearing to parties interested in the participation of the Commonwealth at the Centennial Exposition to be held at Tennessee, at Room No. 226, State House, on THURSDAY, Jan. 21, at 2 o'clock P. M.

HENRY PARSONS, Chairman.
JOHN E. BALDWIN,
Clerk of the Committee. 20-2t

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

STATE HOUSE, BOSTON, Jan. 15, 1897.

THE Committee on STREET RAILWAYS will give a hearing to parties interested in the petition of J. A. Prescott and others for legislation authorizing an appeal from orders of the selectmen relative to the location of street railways, and authorizing any street railway company that may construct its tracks between the village of Foxboro in the County of Norfolk and Mansfield in the County of Bristol to act as common carriers, at Room No. 431, State House, on THURSDAY, Jan. 21, at 10 o'clock A. M.

R. W. IRWIN, Chairman.
P. J. KENNEDY,
Clerk of the Committee. 18-3t

TO THE PATRONS OF THE Wollaston Steam Laundry

January 16, 1897.

In calling your attention to the fact that Mr. Geo. H. Sampson of Amesbury, Mass., has leased the Wollaston Steam Laundry, and will conduct the same on his own account on and after the 18th inst., I would thank you for past patronage, and bespeak a continuance of the same for Mr. Sampson, who is a thorough laundryman, with a reputation for turning out high grade work.

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Two Weeks' Temperature.

	This Week.	Last Week
Sunday	37	43
Monday	45	42
Tuesday	10	31
Wednesday	22	20
Thursday	—	30
Friday	—	33
Saturday	—	36

FREDERIC ALLISON TUPPER of the Quincy High is engaged in an interesting controversy relative to the New England record of High school as to membership. He seems to meet Principal Chapin of Fitchburg at every point, and to show that Quincy has had the most rapid increase.

THE ONLY piece of railroad constructed in Massachusetts last year was a freight road into the Cape Ann granite works. There are now 2,113 miles of main line and branch roads. The number of passengers carried in 1896 was less than in 1893, and the passenger revenue less. Less tons of freight were hauled but the revenue was greater. The gross and net earnings of the roads increased. With the exception of New Jersey, Massachusetts has more miles of railroad in proportion to her area than any other State.

THE OPINION seems to be that the School Committee has made a mistake in its boundary line between the Quincy and Massachusetts Fields school, or that it made a mistake in asking that a schoolhouse be built at Norfolk Downs. In nearly every room of the new building the few children really look lost, and it has been proposed to close at least one room. Yet the Quincy school, within a mile, is reported crowded and the School Committee continue to rent outside room. The boundary line appears unbusinesslike to taxpayers from the fact that there are houses in the Quincy school district which are nearer to the Massachusetts Fields building than to the room occupied in the Music hall building. Superintendent Lull informed the committee that extra accommodations were required at the Quincy school because of the change of boundary from Charles street to Glover avenue. In view of the fact that houses on the easterly end of Charles street are nearer by road to the new school than to Music hall, the Council should fully investigate this request for more accommodations at the Quincy school, and "go slow."

The boundary line now is from the Norfolk Downs depot by Billings road to Hancock street; northerly on Hancock street to Glover avenue; easterly on Glover avenue and in a direct line to the shore.

Regimental Reunion.

Judge E. C. Bumpus, Councilman Elisha Packard and I. W. Moody of Atlantic attended the annual reunion of the 44th Massachusetts regiment at the United States hotel in Boston Tuesday evening. There were 17 from Quincy in this regiment, but the only other ones living are Warren W. Adams, George W. Beale, Charles C. Curtis and John W. Hersey. All were under 19 years of age when they enlisted, the average of the 1,023 in the regiment being 21. The oldest was 38 and the youngest 16; but 496 are living.

Sunday Services.

This paper makes no charge for these notices and every church should be represented.

Moody says: "I don't believe that any preacher need address himself to empty benches if he will only use a little common sense. Advertise. Put a notice in the papers. Stick out a sign. Often the only sign about a church is that hung out by the undertaker. Put out a bill of fare; show people what you have to offer them. Don't be afraid if you shock some folks. That makes no matter. That's just what they want—a good shock. People may say such a course is undignified. My friends—that's just where the trouble is; we are overburdened with dignity. Let dignity be blown to the four winds. Dignity is not one of the fruits of the spirit. I believe if business men and newspapers were run as our churches are, they would all be bankrupt in less than six months."

—Thomas Bates of South Weymouth, who had been missing since Friday was found dead in his house Monday.

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THE GOLDEN CASE.

The Offence Charged is over Three Years Old.

Mayor Says He Knew Nothing of It Until Now.

Golden Will be Represented by Eminent Counsel at Investigation.

The article in Tuesday's LEDGER in relation to the charges preferred by Mayor Adams against special officer Timothy J. Golden was the one topic of conversation Tuesday night among police circles and the citizens in general, and the feeling was that even if the charges against Mr. Golden were true it was taking an unfair advantage of him, to prefer the charges at this time when there was an appointment to be made and Golden was a candidate for that appointment, as he was credited with the highest per cent. on the civil service list.

If the offence alleged was a recent one or if Golden had been lower down in the list there would not have been any comment, but the offence is alleged to have July 3, 1893, under the administration of Mayor Fairbanks and while there may have been no politics in the appointment or charges, the affair coming at the time it did is certainly open to criticism.

Officer Golden does not propose to quietly submit, and it is understood this morning that he has employed ex-District attorney Harvey H. Pratt to defend him at the hearing, and some spicy evidence may come out at the hearing which will be held next Tuesday.

Mayor Adams when seen Tuesday evening in regard to the LEDGER'S story, at first refused to say anything about the matter, but finally said that as far as Golden was concerned the offence was committed July 3, 1893, but the matter was not brought to his attention until recently when the matter of the new appointment came up, and that when he reappointed Golden a special officer this year he did not know anything about it. As far as the time the offence was committed it did not make any difference.

If the only offence brought against Officer Golden is that said to have been committed in July, 1893, so much the worse. There is a grave question if Mayor Adams has any right to go back of the time when Golden took his last examination and was given a rating and placed on the list, which was in May, 1895, and the general impression among those familiar with civil service rule is that any offence like that of drunkenness committed before May, 1895, would not act against him. Had the offence been committed since May, 1895, the case would be entirely different. He had a right to get drunk in 1893 if he wanted to, they say. Perhaps since that time he has seen the error of his ways and has reformed and sworn off drinking. In regard to that it might be said, "There are others." If Mayor Adams proposes to rake over his force for offences of that nature committed in the dark ages he will have his hands full before he gets through.

Officer Golden when seen this morning said that he had not received a copy of the specific charges, but as far as he knew, the charge was for drunkenness in July, 1893.

The ruling of the Civil Service Commission on this point will be of interest.

Mr. Golden is very popular in Wards Five and Six, and had an influential backing for the appointment.

Almost a Fire.

There was a narrow escape from a serious fire at 10 o'clock Tuesday night at the house of John Bergfos on Newcomb place. It was about that hour when the family, who had retired were awakened by a crackling noise in the kitchen and upon investigation a lively fire was found to be in progress in a closet adjoining the chimney. The family up stairs were aroused and by their combined efforts the flames were extinguished without calling out the department. The cause of the fire is unknown.

Two Still Alarms.

The fire department was called out on a still alarm at 9 o'clock Tuesday evening for a fire in the rectory of Christ's church, caused by an over heated furnace. The damage was trifling.

This morning at 9 o'clock the department was again called out on a still alarm for a fire in the store of the A. H. Doble, Co., South Quincy, caused by thawing out steam pipes by putting hot coals beneath them. There was no damage.

The Noon Alarm.

The alarm from Box 65 at 12 50 this noon was rung in for a grass fire near the residence of ex Councilmen Moxon on Squantum street. The alarm was needless.

—The Revere town hall was totally wrecked by fire early Tuesday morning. The town records were in safes and were saved.

Newport's New Park.

Newport, R. I., Jan. 20.—George Gordon King and Mrs. Leroy King have donated land for the proposed esplanade on Marine park valued at $5000, which is a most beautiful site, and overlooks Newport harbor. In notifying the city council Mayor Boyle recommended it be accepted and named the Edward King park. The council has appropriated $40,000 for the beautifying of the park.

$7,000 COLONIAL HOME.

A Well Planned Country House Suited to the Needs of a Physician.

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In the country home of a busy physician, where the domestic and business requirements must be met together, care and attention must be given to the planning, so as to distinctly meet the two issues and have both needs so expressed that they will connect and not interfere with each other. This design was carried out in Massachusetts, was built at a cost of about $7,000 and is an example that can be safely copied where the room given and the needs harmonize with the cost.

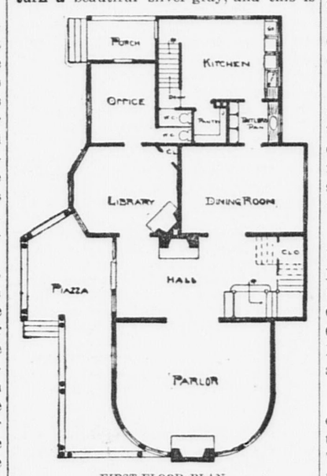
The house is in the colonial style of architecture and is set low on the ground over a cellar 7 feet deep. The first story



PERSPECTIVE VIEW.

is 10 feet and the second is 9 feet in the clear; attic, 8 feet, with three finished rooms.

The frame is balloon style and sheathed, papered and covered with cedar shingles. The roof is also of cedar shingles, all left to weather naturally. The advantages of a good cedar shingle so treated are many. First, the cedar is the second best shingle to be had, the first being cypress. Second, it is the cheapest shingle in the market, the price ranging from $3.50 to $4.25 per thousand, according to market. These shingles average 4 inches wide by 18 inches long, and a thousand will cover, laid 5½ inches to weather, 132 square feet of surface. Third, they do not need any paint or other protection than nature has provided them with, the wood being such that by leaving them exposed to the weather they turn a beautiful silver gray, and this is

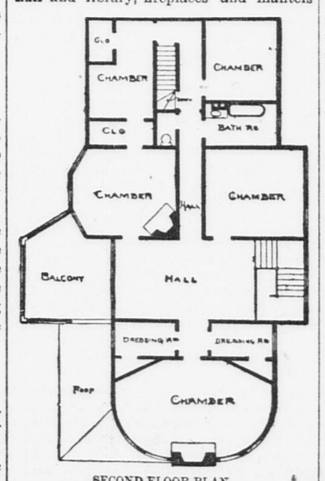


FIRST FLOOR PLAN.

effected in about two years and furnishes a surface that is proof against water or dampness. Fourth, they are durable and lasting, good for 50 years at least, and are most trustworthy against the ravages of time, storm or leaks, as they lie close and snug in place and are in all cases even and true and present the neatest appearance of any variety.

The last few years have been very profitable for those having cedar shingles for sale, and if the demand does not exhaust the supply and raise the prices it will be something all lovers of the useful and artistic may be thankful for.

The plan shows a very roomy house: Parlor, 19 by 24 feet; hall, 12 by 29 feet; dining room, 13 by 19 feet; library, 13 by 16 feet, with all the other rooms large and roomy in proportion. The parlor, hall and library, fireplaces and mantels



SECOND FLOOR PLAN.

are in buff brick, running from floor to ceiling, with brick hearth. The other fireplaces have simple wood mantels over the brick openings and facings, and all the fireplaces are built for use and utility (to burn wood "in ye olden style"), with andirons, etc. Such houses as this give a correct impression of what the real country residence ought to be, and the visitor, upon entering, is at once at home and feels free and easy. The large closet under the front stairs is a good place for the bicycle and fills the modern need of a storeroom for this purpose, something all well regulated houses must now have to be in touch with the times.

Paint the Floors.

Permanent floors should not be laid until the plasterers have finished their work, as lime destroys paint. Lay temporary floors until this work is completed. After they are done and everything cleaned of lime as far as possible lay the floors and give them a good priming coat, using boiled oil, as it dries quicker and harder than raw oil. After all the other interior woodwork is on and the varnishing done give the floors another coat of paint. This fills the cracks and pores so disease germs cannot lodge in them and makes a warmer and healthier floor to live over. If you do not wish to carpet the entire floor, small carpets or rugs can be used with good effect.

QUINCY BREVITIES.

Notes from Quincy Point, Wollaston, Atlantic, South and West Quincy.

It will be warmer tomorrow.

Five bell alarms for fires in four days, and some still alarms in addition.

Dr. John F. Welch, the city physician, recently vaccinated 125 in one day.

The Salvation Army will hold an entertainment and social on Saturday evening.

Mr. Henry L. Kincaide is in New York attending the furniture manufacturers' semi-annual exhibit.

The city of Quincy was included in a bill presented in the Legislature Tuesday relative to sewage disposal.

Mrs. Eliza D. Belcher, who died at Wollaston Sunday, was a widow of Daniel W. Belcher. She was in her 56th year.

The Meadow Brook Ice Co. and Eaton Bros. have about ten inches of good clear ice and they commenced housing their crops today.

Among the residents of this city are a number who came from Norway, who contemplate erecting a Congregational church near Brewer's Corner.

Mr. Harry W. McCabe of this city, formerly night operator at the Quincy telephone exchange, has obtained a position in a law office, Boston. His young friends wish him success in his change.

Some grand skating is being enjoyed on the meadows at Quincy Point, and large numbers are there day and evening. Councilman Phillips modestly declines all the praise, most of which he says should go to the owners of the land, the Quincy Saving, bank.

Messrs. Henry L. Kincaide & Co. are getting in their 1897 line of bicycles. This year's models are certainly beauties, and much lower in price than in former years. Among the most prominent we notice the Columbia, Victor, Crawford, Fowler, Orient and McCune.

A horse attached to a buggy owned by a man named Montgomery of Weymouth, took fright in City Square this morning and dashed down Washington street. The frightened animal turned up onto Edwards street and thence into Newcomb place where he was captured.

The newly elected officers of the Quincy Paving and Edgestone Co., are: Clarence Hall, secretary and treasurer; Fred L Badger, assistant; John Q. A. Field, George H. Hitchcock, E. Fred Carr, John Cashman, Peter T. Fallon, James H. Elcock, Walter R. Fagan, M. R. Wright and Fred L. Badger, directors.

For years the Odd Fellows' ball has been one of the grand social events of the winter, and this year with Towne's music, Tufts as caterer, and an efficient committee looking after all the details which add to the pleasure and comfort of the dancers, the ball tomorrow night should be another success. Late cars will be run after the ball.

There has been quite a shake-up at the Quincy depot, Messrs. Langley and Dunn, and the young lady telegraph operator have been dropped, and two new men have appeared on the scene. Both these men are telegraph operators and will assist in the ticket office, while Mr. Moran will perform the duties of baggage master in addition to his other duties.

The ladies of Bethany Congregational church are very busy today planing for their grand complimentary supper to be given this evening, but all has been done systematically, and the great task has not seemed hard. It requires considerable food however to give a supper to 400, and it will be necessary to spread tables in the chapel as well as the large dining room.

Miss Sadie Sutherland the twelve year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Sutherland, died on Tuesday evening of lung trouble, after several months' illness, marked by unfailing patience and sweetness. She passed away with words of trust in Jesus and love for the Saviour. This is the third loss in the family in a little over two years—a daughter just reaching womanhood, then a babe and now this lovely child. The afflicted family has the deep sympathy of all who know them. Funeral at 2 30 P. M., Thursday, from residence, corner of Franklin and Water streets.

Good Blood

Is essential to health. Every nook and corner of the system is reached by the blood, and on its quality the condition of every organ depends. Good blood means strong nerves, good digestion, robust health. Impure blood means scrofula, dyspepsia, rheumatism, catarrh or other diseases. The surest way to have good blood is to take Hood's Sarsaparilla. This medicine purifies, vitalizes, and enriches the blood, and sends the elements of health and strength to every nerve, organ and tissue. It creates a good appetite, gives refreshing sleep and cures that tired feeling. Remember,

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Hood's Pills cure Liver Ills; easy to take, easy to operate. 25c.

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WHEN the children admire our carpets you can depend upon it they are handsome, for the youthful eye is very critical. Our carpet department is designed and conducted in a manner to suit your notion. We have all that's new and desirable Carpets that are neat in design, durable and not expensive in price.

A visit will reveal much of the so-called carpet mystery. Strictly all wools from 40 cents to 65 cents for the heaviest manufactured Tapestry from 47c. to 85c. Brussells from 65c to $1.25. Other carpets as low as 15c., as high as $1.75 A pinch of profit for us, the rest is all for you.

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Match games may be arranged.

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It is just this. If you go on, allowing your eyes to smart and ache and trouble you, you may never be able to make them strong again. We have studied the eye—we know what we are talking about. It is a patient, long-suffering organ, but it will snap at last, and then all the oculists, and all the opticians in the world couldn't put it together again. Don't procrastinate. Any irritation whatever about the eyes means something. Come and find out what.

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Mr. Durgin or Mr. Merrill will be found upon the premises to show any one through the building who may call.

Quincy, Jan. 1.

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It is claimed that, while it has the required properties of ether, chloroform, nitrous oxide gas, it lacks the disagreeable and dangerous qualities of these drugs. It is certainly a boon to suffering humanity to be relieved of the nausea too often following the administering of sedatives of the old school.—Boston Transcript.

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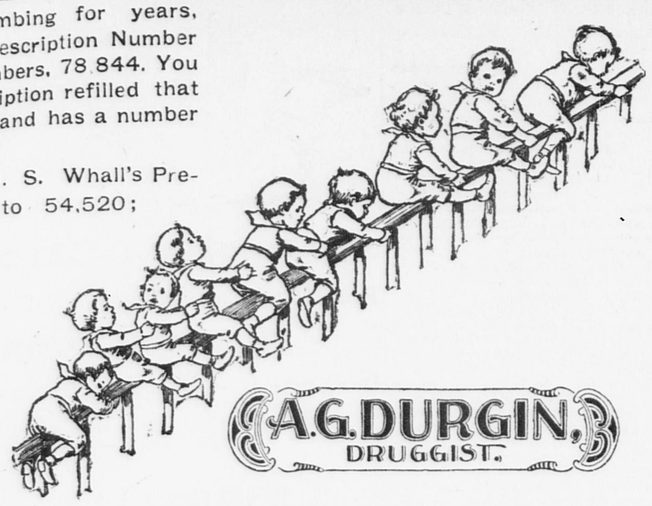
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We prepare your PRESCRIPTIONS promptly because we have the stock.



A. G. DURGIN, DRUGGIST.

Ranges

SOME Philosopher, we forget his name, once said, "That a life of regrets is the most miserable of all lives to live." Most of us can appreciate this from past experiences.

We do not wish any one miserable moments, hence this warning: If you need a range buy nothing but a Glenwood. Regrets will not be yours, household cares will be lighter, food better cooked, coal bills smaller, cook happier.

Glenwoods have reached the tip topest notch of perfection, no others quite so good. Prices wonderfully little when you buy them here, $18.00 to $33.00. Reasonable allowance for your old range, or a range on trial if you wish. Complete line to select from.

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Acorn and Magee Ranges.

A small payment and balance by the month.

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SILK MITTENS,

Plain and Fancy Back,

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CITY SQUARE.

Quincy, Jan. 7. tf

Low Prices

—ON—

BILLHEADS

AT PATRIOT OFFICE.

THE MORRELL CASE.

An Order for a Stenographer is laid on the Table.

The Journal reports another flurry about the Norfolk County impeachment case Tuesday afternoon in the House. Mr. Gibbs of Brookline offered order authorizing the special committee to whom the impeachment petition was referred to send for persons and papers and to employ a stenographer, etc.

The order was hardly read before Mr. Sargent of West Springfield jumped to his feet and wanted to know if it was necessary to go to all of this expense to determine the jurisdiction of the House in the premises. Mr. Sargent thought that the Attorney General might give all the information necessary, and was opposed to a long and expensive hearing for the single purpose of determining the propriety of the impeachment by the House. The member from West Springfield called attention to the importance of economy this year, and declared in closing that "economy should be our watchword."

At the request of Mr. Moriarty of Worcester the order was laid over.

The special committee held a meeting after the House session and elected Mr. Parsons of Greenfield Clerk.

The committee fixed a hearing for next Tuesday, Jan. 26, at 10 A. M., to give the petitioner a chance to show that the Legislature has jurisdiction in the case. The Massachusetts Constitution covers all cases of impeachment, and this is what it says about it:

Part the second of the Constitution, Article VIII: "The Senate shall be a court with full authority to hear and determine all impeachments made by the House of Representative against any officer or officers of the Commonwealth, for misconduct and maladministration in their offices. But previous to the trial of every impeachment the members of the Senate shall, respectively, be sworn, truly and impartially, to try and determine the charge in question, according to the evidence. Their judgment, however, shall not extend further than to removal from office, and disqualification to hold or enjoy any place of honor, trust or profit under this Commonwealth; but the party so convicted shall be, nevertheless, liable to indictment, trial, judgment and punishment, according to the laws of the land."

Article VI, chapter 1, of the Constitution provides, "That the House of Representatives shall be a grand inquest of this Commonwealth, and all impeachments made by them shall be heard and tried by the Senate."

K. of C. Installation.

The officers-elect of Quincy Council, No. 96, Knights of Columbus, were installed Tuesday evening by District Deputy Hugh J. Malloy of Randolph and suite. The ceremony took place in Doble's hall, and was witnessed by a large number of the council and their lady friends.

Before the installation a professional brother gave a very interesting talk of about thirty minutes. A collation was served by Nash, and then the assembly danced to its full pleasure, Hanson's orchestra furnishing the music. The festivities terminated at 1.30 and special cars conveyed the party home.

☞ Headache! Glasses relieve many. Consult Williams, practical optician, 104 Hancock street. Scientific test free. tf

—The report of the Metropolitan District Commission has been referred to the Committee on Rules of the Legislature.

—They say the DAILY LEDGER had many exclusives yesterday and that it was a newsy paper.

DIED.

SUTHERLAND—In Quincy, Jan. 19, Miss Sadie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs J B. Sutherland, of Franklin street, aged 11 years and 8 months.

Constipation

Causes fully half the sickness in the world. It retains the digested food too long in the bowels and produces biliousness, torpid liver, indigestion, bad taste, coated tongue, sick headache, insomnia, etc. Hood's Pills cure constipation and all its results, easily and thoroughly. 25c. All druggists. Prepared by C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass. The only Pills to take with Hood's Sarsaparilla

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Training School.

The lesson at the Training school of the Bethany church Monday evening was by Rev. C. A. Parker who took for his subject, "The birth and childbirth of Christ" and the lecture was by Rev. George M. Boynton, D. D., whose subject was "The upper end of the Sunday School." The doctor considered the upper end, or older classes, as the most difficult end to hold up. One of the best ways was by dignifying it, the three essential points being "Intelligence, honesty and Spirituality." He spoke of the necessity of the teachers doing independent study rather than to depend wholly upon the lesson, for anything you have studied out by yourself and come to by your own work would be fresh to those to whom it was told. The speaker took up the three subjects and treated each at length illustrating his points by stories which more forcibly impressed them as his hearers.

The Hidden Treasure.

In spite of the cold, there was a noticeable increase in the congregation Tuesday evening at the Water street church, when the Rev. Mr. Clayton spoke about the treasure hid in he field. In the east the savings bank was an old vessel buried in the earth. The field with such an added value would be eagerly sought. But the treasure could only be found by digging. So people who can not find much in the Bible would better dig. By praying they will receive guidance. The treasure is Christ. Better give up all things else that they may possess Him. And, wondrous result, they who receive Him get back all good things they have renounced enriched. Every good thing has a hundred-fold greater worth. Worthless things lose their apparent value. At the afternoon service members of other churches were present in good proportion.

Every afternoon at 3 and evening at 7 30. Everybody is invited.

PEOPLE OF THE DAY.

Lieutenant R. E. Peary is still confident that he can reach the north pole. He knows just how he can get there, and he told his plan to the American Geographical society recently after that scientific organization had awarded him the Cullom geographical medal. All he requires are sufficient funds and a good vessel. With a small crew and a large amount of concentrated food he would proceed to the northwest coast of Greenland, take on a few Eskimo families and a lot of dogs and then push as far north as possible. The stores would be landed



LIEUTENANT R. E. PEARY.

and the ship sent back after more. Then a year or two would be consumed in moving the supplies north from the base. After all arrangements had been made the daring explorer would take one faithful Eskimo with him and make a dash for the pole, which he is sure he could reach.

Lieutenant Peary is not yet 43 years old and is in the very prime of vigorous manhood. It is entirely probable that he will again revisit the arctics and add to his many successes in that region the final conquest of the pole itself.

Marshal of the Inaugural Parade.

General Horace Porter, who during the last campaign managed the largest and most successful political parade ever seen in New York city, is announced as the marshal of the inaugural parade in Washington on the 4th of next March. It may be confidently expected that the affair will be a most creditable one, for General Porter seems to have a



GENERAL HORACE PORTER.

special genius for handling large bodies of men as well as for making pleasant little after dinner speeches.

General Porter is nearly 60 years old now, but leads a most active life. He has large business interests, being, among other things, vice president of the Pullman Palace Car company, yet he seems to find time to attend banquets, first night performances at theaters, take a hand in politics, do a large amount of literary work and hold himself in readiness to help inaugurate a president when necessary

BRAM'S THREE CHANCES.

Counsel Will Allege That Jury in Murder Case Was Tampered With.

Boston, Jan. 20.—The United States circuit court will, today, hear the exceptions argued in the Thomas Bram trial. It is expected that the arguments will not be finished until Thursday.

Bram has three chances for a new trial. The judges may decide to grant his counsel's motion; if it is refused, counsel may carry the case to the supreme court; if this decision is adverse, there yet remains the decision of the supreme court on the exceptions.

Prejudgment is alleged on the part of two of the jurors.

Tampering with the jury and misconduct on the part of the jury are charged.

Affidavits have been filed, and testimony will be produced, alleging that Juror Briggs of Cambridge was prejudiced in the case; that he had formed an opinion, and that, before he had been called to the jury, he had expressed an opinion that Bram was guilty.

Mr. Briggs made the statement after the trial that he had made up his mind that Bram was guilty a week before the case was given to the jury.

Testimony will be introduced in regard to Juror Ford of Hyde Park, it being alleged that previous to his serving on the jury he had said that, in his opinion, Bram was guilty, and ought to be hanged.

The defense will argue that the jury was not kept secluded after they had been given the case, inasmuch as four persons entered the jury room and mingled with the jury for half an hour. The argument is based on the statement that on the Friday night that the jury was given the case, Deputy Frank McDonald, Bailiffs McConage and Rhul were in the jury room and ate supper with the jury, as well as the caterer from the Quincy house.

Another point will be raised in regard to the note which Juror Booth said was introduced into the jury room by Mr. Harrington, offering him liquor.

Another point that will be raised is that Mr. Hoar argued on matters that were not in evidence.

Soda Fountain Decision.

Philadelphia, Jan. 19.—The United States circuit court of appeals has reversed the decision of the lower court in the infringement suit of the American Soda Fountain company of Boston against Robert M. Green & Sons, manufacturers of soda water apparatus in this city. The litigation between the parties has extended over a period of several years. The Boston company, which operates on a large scale, sought to prevent Green & Sons, as well as several other individual manufacturers, from using a syrup dispensing device. The decision is important, and is of interest to every druggist and user of soda fountains in the country.

Decision In Three Friends Case.

Jacksonville, Fla., Jan. 19.—Judge Locke of the United States court for the southern district of Florida has rendered his decision in the Three Friends case upon the exceptions of the defense to the libel of the government for violating neutrality laws. The point was raised by counsel for the defense that inasmuch as the Cuban insurgents had not been recognized by the United States government, they were neither a people nor a body politic, as defined by section 5283, under which the libel was drawn. This was sustained by Judge Locke, and the district attorney was given ten days in which to file an amended libel. The point was one that had never been raised before.

The English Parliament.

London, Jan. 20.—Parliament formally convened yesterday, with the usual ceremonies. The queen's speech referred to leading questions of the day, including the arbitration treaty with the United States and the famine in India. Premier Saulsbury spoke of the treaty, and expressed the hope that it would be consummated. All of the speakers commended the treaty. Not one adverse remark was made.

Canada's Finances.

Ottawa, Jan. 20.—The public accounts of the Dominion of Canada for the fiscal year ending June 30 last have been made public. They show total receipts for the year of $36,618,590, and expenditures $36,940,142, leaving a deficit of $351,552. The debt of the country increased $5,444,505 during the year, and now amounts to $258,497,432.

Accounted For.



Cholly—Yas, Miss Cutter, that girl once made a fool of me!

Miss Cutter—Oh, is that the way it happened?—New York Journal.

She Knew.



Uncle Ned—Don't be pert, dear. You know what that is?

Flossie—Oh, it's speaking to grown up people the way they speak to you.—Truth.

High Scores.

A good team from Boston City Hall was pitted against the Gourd's candle pin team on Tuesday evening. The home team rolled well but the Boston gentlemen put up a phenomenal score and won by 121 pins.

The full score:

GOURDS.			
Souther,	79	73	79—231
Canfill,	75	81	82—238
Garbutt,	75	83	83—241
Westland,	73	89	83—245
Anderson,	82	80	84—246
	384	406	411 1201
CITY HALLS.			
Willard,	102	99	92—293
Cummings,	71	71	98—240
O'Brien,	90	88	88—266
Joy,	94	88	79—261
Dever,	84	73	105—262
	441	419	462 1322

If asked the question "Have you got a stomach?" it would be safe on general principles, to answer "Yes." But, if you are *sure* of it, that is, if you ever feel any distress after eating of any pains of whatever description in the region of the stomach, you have got something more than an ordinary stomach; in other words, you have got a diseased stomach. The stomach is a powerful muscle, and the proper remedy for a tired muscle is rest. Try the Shaker Digestive Cordial, for this product not only contains digested food, which will nourish the system without any work on the part of the diseased organs, but it aids the digestion of other foods as well. You can test its value in your case for the trifling sum of 10 cents. Samples bottles at this price are carried by all druggists.

Laxol is the best medicine for children. Doctors recommend it in place of Castor Oil.

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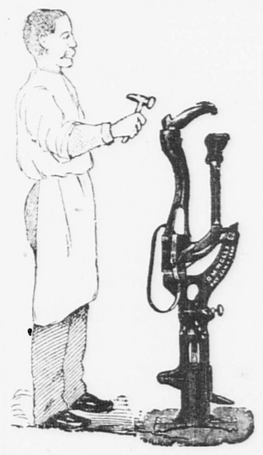
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Repairing neatly done while you wait. Tapped and heeled, 50 cts.

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New Year. New Prices.

Every thing at very low prices in order to make room for summer stock.

All Wool Shirts, 35 cts.
Gloves, worth 50 cts, only 19 cts.
Caps only 19 cts.
Sweaters, 70 cts.
Heavy Driving Jackets, 70 cts.
Men's Working Pants, 75 cts. up.

L. GROSSMAN.

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Quincy, Jan. 5. tf

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CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS.

Advertisements in this column inserted at the following rates:

Four lines, one day.....25 cents.
" three days.....50 "
" one week.....75 "

Additional lines will be charged for pro rata. Seven words equal a line. Long term rates furnished on application.

LOST.

LOST—On 10-10 A. M. train from Quincy Adams to Boston, on Saturday, Jan. 16, a lady's Muff. The finder will be rewarded by leaving same at HENRY McGRATH'S. South Quincy, Jan. 18. tf

WANTED.

WANTED—A good girl for general Housework. Experience and good reference required. Apply, 316 Hancock St. Quincy, Jan. 19. *2t

WANTED—Any kind of work by the day or hour. Will take in family washing. Distance no object. Address or apply, MRS. MOORE, 54 Canal street. Quincy, Jan. 18. 6t*

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TO LET—Furnished or unfurnished rooms; also a barn. Apply at 27 Franklin street, corner Water. Quincy, Jan. 19. *6t 23-1w

TO LET—A pleasant, sunny tenement of three connecting rooms at low rent. Centrally located. Apply at LEDGER office.

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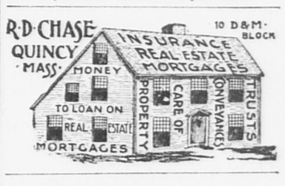
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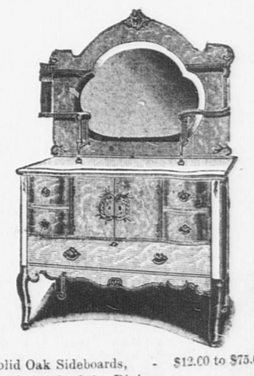
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Leave CITY HALL for Neponset—6.00 A. M., 6.15, 6.30, 6.45, 7.00, and every 15, 30, 45 and 60 minutes past the hour until 7.00 P. M., then every half hour until 10.50 P. M. Cars leaving Quincy on the hour via. Norfolk Downs, except 6.00 P. M.

Leave NEPONSET—6.22 A. M., 6.37, 6.52, 7.07, 7.22, and every 7, 22, 37 and 52 minutes past the hour until 7.00 o'clock, then every half hour until 11 P. M.; last car for Quincy at 11.15 P. M. Cars leaving Neponset 22 minutes past the hour via. Norfolk Downs.

Quincy and East Weymouth.

Leave CITY HALL (10 minutes later from Quincy Point and 22 minutes later from North Weymouth)—5.45, 6.20, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, 11.20, 11.50 A. M.; 12.20, 12.50, 1.20, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20 4.50 5.20 (5.30 to East Weymouth car house), 5.50, 6.20, 6.30, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.50 P. M.

Leave EAST WEYMOUTH (20 minutes later from North Weymouth and 30 minutes later from Quincy Point)—6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11, 11.30 A. M.; 12, 12.30, 1, 1.30, 2, 2.30, 3, 3.30, 4, 4.30, 5, 5.30, 6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11.30 P. M.

Quincy and East Milton.

Leave CITY HALL, 5.55, 6.25, then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 8.55 P. M., then at 9.50 and 10.50 P. M.

Leave EAST MILTON, 6.30, 7.00 A. M., then on the hour and half hour until 9.30 P.M., then at 10.20 and 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and Holbrook.

Leave QUINCY for SOUTH BRAINTREE and HOLBROOK at 6.10 and 6.40 A. M., and every 10 minutes past and 20 minutes of the hour until 10.10 P. M. Last car leaves at 10.50 P. M. On Saturdays the last car leaves Quincy at 11.50 P. M.

Returning cars leave HOLBROOK for SOUTH BRAINTREE and QUINCY at 5.55 and 6.25 A. M., and every 25 minutes past and 5 minutes of the hour until 9.55 P.M. Last car leaves Holbrook at 11.30 P. M.

☞ On Sundays on the Weymouth route cars will leave Quincy on the hour and half hour and East Weymouth at quarter past and quarter of the hour.

☞ Special trips can be arranged on application to the Superintendent.

☞ At Quincy Centre close connection is made with Electric Cars on all the routes.

☞ At Neponset close connection is made with West End Street Cars to and from Boston.

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On and after Jan. 17, 1897, trains will run as follows: (See note of explanation at bottom.)

TO BOSTON. Leave Quincy.	Stops at	Arrive Boston.	FROM BOSTON. Leave Boston.	Stops at	Arrive Quincy
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r 7 12	abc	7 30	7 30	cba	7 49 r
7 29	a	7 48	8 30	cba	8 49 r
r 7 42	abc	8 00	9 30	cba	9 49 r
r 8 12	abc	8 30	10 30	cba	10 49 r
8 29	a	8 45	11 30	cba	11 49 r
r 8 42	abc	9 00	12 00	(xx)	12 15
r 9 12	abc	9 30	12 30	cba	12 49 r
r 10 12	abc	10 30	1 30	cba	1 49 r
r 11 12	abc	11 30	2 30	cba	2 49 r
r 12 12	abc	12 30	3 30	cba	3 49 r
r 1 12	abc	1 30	4 30	cba	4 49 r
1 46	(xx)	2 00	5 00	cba	5 19 r
r 2 12	abc	2 30	5 15	a	5 32
r 3 12	abc	3 30	5 30	cba	5 49 r
r 4 12	abc	4 30	6 00	cba	6 19 r
r 5 12	abc	5 30	6 15	a	6 32
r 6 12	abc	6 30	6 30	cba	6 49 r
r 7 12	abc	7 30	7 00	cba	7 19 r
r 7 41	abcdefghi	8 07	7 30	cba	7 49 r
r 8 08	abcdef	8 30	8 30	fedcba	8 53 r
r 9 12	abc	9 30	9 30	cba	9 49 r
r 10 08	abcdef	10 30	10 30	fedcba	10 53 r
r 10 34	abcdefghi	11 08	11 00	ihgfedcba	11 27 r
r 11 12	abc	11 30	11 30	cba	11 49 r

SUNDAYS.

6 38	abcdef	7 00	4 05	fda	4 23
8 46	(xx)	9 00	7 30	fedcba	7 53 r
r 9 12	abc	9 30	8 30	(xx)	8 45
r 12 16	(xx)	12 30	9 30	ihgfedcba	9 57 r
1 07	abc	1 25	10 30	ihgfedcba	10 57 r
2 16	(xx)	2 30	11 30	(xx)	11 45
r 3 04	abcdefghi	3 30	12 35	cba	12 54
r 4 04	abcdefghi	4 30	1 30	(xx)	1 45
5 16	(xx)	5 30	4 30	cba	4 49 r
r 6 08	abcdef	6 30	5 00	(xx)	5 15
r 9 08	abcdef	9 30	7 00	fedcba	7 23 r
9 38	adf	9 55	10 30	fedcba	10 53 r

*The letters in the same line as the figures stand for different stations and indicate that trains stop, as follows:

a, Wollaston.
b, Norfolk Downs
c, Atlantic.
d, Neponset.
e, Pope's Hill.
f, Harrison Square.
g, Savin Hill.
h, Crescent Avenue.
i, South Boston.
r, Quincy Adams.
(xx), Express.

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O. D. Chick, 59 Liberty street.
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EAST WEYMOUTH—George H. Hunt.
WEYMOUTH LANDING—W. E. Cunningham.
NO. WEYMOUTH—B. F. Thomas.

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THE WEATHER INDICATIONS.

ALMANAC, WEDNESDAY, JAN. 20.
Sun rises—7:08; sets, 4:44.
Length of day—9h. 36m.
Moon rises—7:02 p. m.
Full sea—12:15 p. m.

Forecast for New England: Generally fair today; not so cold; westerly winds, shifting to south and east.

Sing a Song!

When troubles seem to bristle,
Sing a song.
When the world is weeping, whistle
Right along,
For though sorrow is outrageous
And in battle may engage us,
Still, laughing is contagious—
Laugh along!

Content with rose or thistle—
Sing a song.
Life's brighter if you whistle
Right along.
When trouble is advancing
And on gloomy skies you're glancing,
You can set the world to dancing
With a song.
—Atlanta Constitution.

Some friends as shadows are,
And fortune as the sun.
They never proffer any help
Till fortune hath begun.
—Sir Walter Raleigh.

Perils of the Atlantic.



Mrs. Slim (on the ocean liner)—Dear me! Dear me! What makes the ship roll so?

Mr. Slim—It's that confounded fat chief officer walking back and forth on the bridge way above us!—Truth.

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DULL IN BOTH HOUSES.

Routine Business Occupies Attention of Senate and House.

Agreement Reached on Immigration Bill.

Preparing For Next Census---Medal For Massachusetts Veterans.

Washington, Jan. 20.—The session of the senate yesterday was without incident. Senator Turpie spoke against the Nicaragua canal bill, and the reading of the legislative appropriation bill was completed, with the exception of sections making provision for the congressional library, which were passed over temporarily, in the absence of senators interested in the subject.

The old soldiers had a field day in the house. Under a special order, the whole day was devoted to the consideration of private pension bills. Of the 900 on the calendar, 52 were disposed of during the five hours' session. Among those favorably acted upon were bills to grant pensions to Major General Julius H. Stahel, at the rate of $100 per month; the widow of Major General Erastus B. Tyler, at $75; Hannah E. Rodgers, the daughter of a revolutionary soldier, at $12, and the widow of the late General Matthew M. Trumbull of Iowa at $100 per month.

Medals For Bay State Soldiers.

The president has awarded a medal of honor to Dr. George W. Brush of Brooklyn, for most distinguished gallantry in action on the Ashepoo river, S. C., May 24, 1864. This officer, then captain of the Twenty-fourth United States cavalry infantry, voluntarily commanded a boat crew which went to the rescue of a large number of Union soldiers on board the stranded steamer Boston, and with great gallantry succeeded in conveying them to the shore, being exposed during the entire time to a heavy fire from a rebel battery. Medals have also been awarded to the following soldiers, who voluntarily participated in the rescue, as members of the boat crew: Patrick Scanlan, late sergeant Company A, Fourth Massachusetts cavalry volunteers; John Duffey, late private Company B, Fourth Massachusetts cavalry volunteers (probably now of New Bedford, Mass.), and David L. Gifford, late private Company B, Fourth Massachusetts.

Dinner to President and Mrs. Cleveland.

Secretary and Mrs. Carlisle gave a dinner last night to the president and Mrs. Cleveland at their residence on K street. The table was set in white and green. The guests invited to meet the president and Mrs. Cleveland were Secretary and Mrs. Olney, Secretary and Mrs. Lamont, Attorney General and Mrs. Harmon, Secretary and Miss Herbert, Secretary and Mrs. Francis, Secretary and Miss Morton, Mrs. Harriet Lane Johnson, Solicitor General Conrad, Hon. St. George Tucker, Mrs. Perrine, Miss Lucy Page and Judge Stump of Baltimore.

Immigration Conference Ended.

The confreres of the two houses on the immigration bill have reached an agreement, and the bill, as agreed upon, will probably be reported today. Many of the provisions of both the senate and house bills were retained, but they were modified, so as to make it a very different bill from that which passed either house. The Lodge educational qualification was accepted, but its application was limited to persons between the age of 16 and 60 years of age. The Corliss amendment, adopted by the house and rejected by the senate, was restored, but in a very much modified form. As originally agreed to, the amendment made it unlawful to employ any alien in the United States. As changed, the prohibition is less stringent, and is made to apply only to the employment of aliens who habitually come and go—"birds of passage."

For Twelfth Census.

A bill providing for the taking of the 12th census of the United States, under the direction of Carroll D. Wright, the chief of the bureau of labor, has been introduced in the house of representatives by Sayers of Texas. The bill fixes Colonel Wright's salary at $5000, provides for an assistant commissioner of labor, salary $4000, who is to be an expert statistician, and for an increase of the clerical force of the bureau. It directs the commissioner of labor to report to congress in July, 1897, a plan for the 12th census, and carries an appropriation of $60,000 for preliminary expenses.

Insurance Changes.

Montpelier, Vt., Jan. 20.—The National Life Insurance company, which ranks as the 11th of the big life insurance companies of the country, at its annual meeting yesterday made a number of changes in its officers. Hon. Charles Dewey was re-elected president; James C. Houghton vice president, in place of Edward Dewey, retired. Joseph A. Deboer was elected secretary in place of George W. Reed. H. M. Cutler was promoted to treasurer to fill the place made vacant by the promotion of Mr. Houghton; Clarence E. Knowlton was made assistant treasurer. Mr. Deboer was also made actuary and O. B. Clark assistant secretary. The old board of directors was re-elected, except that Mr. Deboer was chosen to fill the vacancy caused by the death of ex-Governor L. K. Fuller.

Preferred Death to Canada.

Lowell, Mass., Jan. 20.—Hessium Hessen, a native of Turkey, lies in St. John's hospital, with a bullet wound in his left side, the result of an attempt at suicide. Hessen has been paying attention to Marie Lepine, a pretty young French girl. She promised to marry him, providing he would go to Canada. This he refused to do. The girl went to his room and told him she was going to Medford, as her mother opposed their marriage. Thereupon, Hessen took a revolver and, in spite of the girl's interference, shot himself in the left side. The girl says that if Hessen recovers, as he is likely to do, she will marry him, if he will go to Canada with her.

Harvard Man Weds.

Fall River, Mass., Jan. 20.—Oliver K. Hawes, son of G. H. Hawes, a mill broker, and Miss Elizabeth Hapgood Hawkins, daughter of Henry C. Hawkins, a prominent merchant, were married in the Church of the Ascension last night by Rev. E. W. Smith. The groom was a Harvard, '92, man, of Hasty Pudding and Mott Haven fame. The wedding was the largest and prettiest here for several years, and was followed by a reception at the home of the bride.

WILL WEAR TOGAS.

Many United States Senators Elected Yesterday.--Mason Wins In Illinois.

Springfield, Ills., Jan. 20.—Ex-Congressman William E. Mason was nominated by acclamation for United States senator by the Republican legislative caucus last night. William E. Mason was born July 7, 1850, in Franklinsville, N. Y., and is the youngest of a family of 14 children, nine of whom were boys. In 1856 his parents moved to Benton Port, Ia. After passing through the public schools with great credit, at the age of 15 he began teaching. At the same time he attended the college at Birmingham, Ia. At 19 he was graduated with honors and went to Des Moines, where he became a teacher in the high school. He continued in this position until 21, devoting his spare time to the study of law and shorthand. He then went into the law office of Thomas Withrow, and when, a year later, Mr. Withrow was made general solicitor of the Rock Island railroad, Mr. Mason came with him to Chicago as his clerk.



WILLIAM E. MASON.

Having perfected himself in shorthand, Mr. Mason became a court reporter.

In 1873, Mr. Mason married Edith White of Des Moines. Seven of their nine children are living. Mr. Mason was twice a member of the Illinois house of representatives, and once of the state senate. He was also a member in the Fiftieth and Fifty-first congresses.

Mr. Mason enjoys the distinction of being the champion campaigner of Illinois, having during the past eight years addressed more people in the state than any other man during that time.

Thomas C. Platt, Republican of New York, was elected to succeed Senator Hill.

Senator Vest of Missouri is returned.

The Connecticut legislature re-elected O. H. Platt, Republican.

Delaware's seat in the senate will be contested. R. R. Kenny, Democrat, was elected by the regular legislature, and the "rump" legislature elected J. Edward Addicks, Republican.

The North Carolina legislature will elect Pritchard, Republican, today.

Boies Penrose, Republican, was elected yesterday to succeed Senator Cameron of Pennsylvania.

The Oregon deadlock is still unbroken.

Senator Hansbrough, Republican, of North Dakota, has been re-elected.

Colorado returned Senator Teller, silver Republican.

About a dozen candidates for senator are before the Washington legislature.

Senator Gallinger of New Hampshire was re-elected yesterday.

Senator Voorhees of Indiana will be succeeded by Fairbanks, Republican.

The Arkansas legislature has re-elected Senator Jones.

Rawlins leads in the contest in Utah. No choice has yet been made in Idaho.

Noisy Politicians.

Philadelphia, Jan. 20.—There was another stormy hearing yesterday in the contest of Samuel E. Hudson, free silver candidate for congress from the Third district, against the seat of Congressman McAleer, and the fireworks were not only vocal. The monotony of the technical proceedings was first varied by the smashing of a large glass in a door at 125 South Fifth street, where the hearing was held. A little later in the session a stampede was almost caused by the explosion of a big firecracker in the corridor of the building, and the session was finally brought to a close by the declaration of the landlord of the premises that he could no longer endure the presence of such a disorderly gathering in his building. But little testimony was taken, because most of the witnesses refused to be sworn until they got their fees, whereupon the contestants' counsel threatened arrest, but without avail. The session came to a sudden end, and no time or place have been fixed for the next.

New Billiard Champions.

New York, Jan. 20.—The inauguration of a new billiard championship, that of champion of the United States and Canada, at the 14-inch balk line game, is contemplated in a proposition by George F. Slosson, which was promulgated yesterday. For a tournament to be held in New York during next month, Mr. Slosson offers $1000 in four prizes, $400, $300, $200 and $100, the winner of the first prize to be known as the champion of the United States and Canada. A suitable emblem will be donated. No entrance fee will be exacted. Players who have competed in matches or tournaments for the world's championship are not eligible to this tournament.

Maniac Palmer at Large.

Toronto, Jan. 20.—Chief of Police Grassett has received a message from the police authorities of New York notifying him of the murder of Leonard Palmer by his maniac brother at Mammaroneck, and stating that Palmer might be on his way to Toronto, where his wife was visiting. Policemen are guarding the house where Mrs. Palmer resides. The man has not been seen as yet. Mrs. Palmer was greatly alarmed when informed of the murderous attack made by her husband, and has left the house and sought protection with friends. Palmer's mother and sister are both dead.

Lasters Ask For Aid.

Berlin, N. H., Jan. 20.—The lasters at Chick Bros.' shoe factory, who went out on a strike, have asked the union at Haverhill to lend them financial assistance. As the firm is fast filling the places of the strikers, it is quite likely that the strike will fail, and many of the men who can do so will return to work.

Fayerweather's Will Sustained.

Albany, Jan. 20.—The New York court of appeals sustained the will of the late Daniel B. Fayerweather, by which Dartmouth college was bequeathed between $150,000 and $200,000.

MARRIED THE MAN SHE LOVED

An Australian Romance In Two Chapter Ends as it Should.

Chicago, Jan. 20.—Alfred Ashbrook, a millionaire sheep owner of Melbourne, Aus., died in 1896, and left his estranged daughter, Edith, one-third of his vast estate. The heiress is supposed to be in Chicago or its vicinity, and detectives are trying to find her.

The announcement of Ashbrook's death and the disposition of his property was made in a communication received yesterday by a Chicago attorney from correspondents at Melbourne, who have the estate in charge.

The estate of the sheep king, as Ashbrook was known, is estimated to be worth at least $2,500,000.

The story of Miss Edith's leaving home and her estrangement from her family is romantic. In spite of parental objection, she married the man she loved, and received a father's curses and promise of disinheritance. But the latter promise was, as now develops, never fulfilled.

In 1880, Edith Ashbrook, then 18 years of age, met and loved Edward Townsend, an American civil engineer, in Melbourne. After a few months' courtship, Townsend proposed and was accepted by the girl, but the parent would not sanction the union. The girl, however, married Townsend. The following year Townsend and his bride left Melbourne, going to San Francisco, where, for a while, he was employed on one of the morning papers. In 1886, the couple went to Port Townsend, Wash., and later to Seattle. Later they drifted to Victoria, where Townsend is said to have died of pneumonia. With her child, Mrs. Townsend has moved from one place to another, supporting herself and child as best she could. Two years ago advices from Melbourne stated she was employed as a clerk in one of the big department stores in Chicago. That was the last heard of her.

POACHERS SHOT DOWN.

Bloody Battle Between Farmers and Club Gamekeepers.

Crown Point, Ind., Jan. 20.—In a pitched battle between Tolleston club gamekeepers and poachers, on the preserves of the Tolleston club of Chicago, near here yesterday, five men were shot, three of them fatally. The wounded are:

Frank Costwick, shot through the lungs, will die.

Theo Pratt, shot in body with gun, will die.

Charles Pratt, shot in body, will probably recover.

Alvin Bothwell, shot in the body, will probably recover.

John Blankburn, shot in temple, with revolver, will probably die.

Poaching on the club's grounds has given its caretakers a lot of trouble of late, and several gamekeepers, well armed with shotguns and pistols, were on duty yesterday when 14 young men, members of the families of neighboring farmers, invaded the duck swamp and prepared for the sport. Watchmen bore down on the boys in a body, and, hailing them from a considerable distance, ordered them off the club's grounds. Instead of complying, the poachers made a rush for the gamekeepers. The latter opened fire at three rods' range, and four of the young men fell to the marsh ice, riddled with shot, two of them mortally wounded. Their comrades returned the fire, and Blankburn, one of the watchmen, fell with a shot in his skull.

Cornell's Athletic Finances.

Ithaca, N. Y., Jan. 20.—An open meeting of the Cornell athletic council was held last night. The report of Graduate Treasurer Treman showed Percy's athletic team free from debt. The baseball debt is $1300; the football surplus, $2600. Manager Fuller and Captain Beachman of the baseball association also rendered reports, as well as Manager Shires of the track team. He announced that a meet had been arranged with Syracuse university for May 7, and that negotiations are pending with the Elmira athletic team for a meet. Commodore Murdock of the navy reports a deficit of $600, and estimated the expense of the coming racing season at $4000. Professor Wheeler received an ovation when called upon. He said: "Cornell is about ready to celebrate her quarter centennial in aquatics. Whatever else we can do here, we can row; we most always win." He announced that Courtney had contracted to remain Cornell's coach for three years, dating from next October. "We cannot afford to lose the coming races," he added, "after the great victories of last summer, and in the last year of the dual agreement with Harvard."

Responsible For Her Injuries.

Providence, Jan. 20.—The inquest on the body of Mrs. Ellen Lee, who died from a knife wound received during a quarrel with her husband, was held yesterday. All the testimony indicated that the deceased was responsible for her injuries. She had been drinking heavily, and was suffering from alcoholic frenzy when she threatened her husband, and the wounds were inflicted when Lee attempted to seize the carving knife.

Marine Engineers' Convention.

Washington, Jan. 20.—The National Association of Marine Engineers, an organization which includes the greater part of the 19,000 licensed engineers of the merchant marine, are in annual convention here. Delegates from nearly every section of the Union are in attendance, and, as important matters affecting the interests of their members are at stake, the national organization will remain in session for the entire week.

Sandow's Rival.

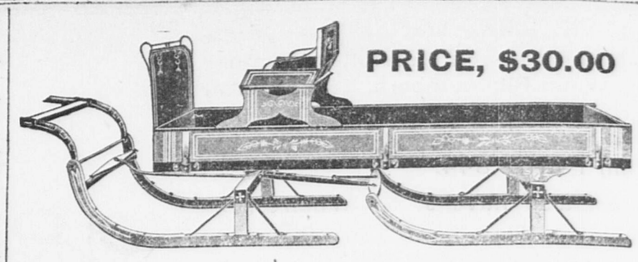
Buffalo, Jan. 20.—Louis Steinagle, the champion of the local Turners, outlifted George Wenzenreid, the unknown butcher, at Turn hall. He lifted 1330 pounds, dead weight. Steinagle offers to lift against anybody in the world for from $200 to $1000. He weighs 155 pounds, and will concede his rival 25 pounds in weight.

New York Bar Association.

Albany, Jan. 20.—The New York State Bar association began its annual session here last night in the assembly chamber. There was a great gathering of distinguished lawyers and many spectators. Postmaster General Wilson spoke on the subject of some points in the working of our constitutional system.

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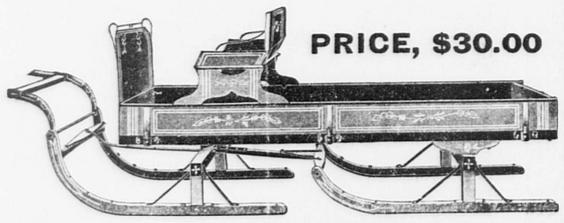
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DEEDS OF IRISHMEN.

American-Irish Historical Society Organized at Boston.

Its Object to Perpetuate History of Race.

Records of Irish of Colonial Period to Be Secured.

Boston, Jan. 21.—A new national body, the American Irish Historical society, was organized in this city last night at the old Revere house. Its projectors include many of the most prominent men of Irish birth or descent in the United States, and of which Rear Admiral Richard W. Meade, U. S. N., has been chosen the first president general.

Letters commending the idea were read from a large number of prominent Irishmen in all parts of the country. Among those present were: Thomas J. Gargan of this city, Joseph Smith and George C. Dempsey of Lowell, Thomas B. Lawler of Worcester, John C. Linehan, insurance commissioner of New Hampshire; Rev. M. H. Egan of Concord, N. H., Osborn Howes of Boston, J. J. McCoy of Chicopee and Rev. Timothy P. Linehan of Biddeford, Me.

Hon. Thomas J. Gargan presided and outlined in his opening remarks the object of the new society. He said that the Irish race had played a prominent part in the history of the country from its first settlement, but no history of the deeds of the brave men had ever been written.

Insurance Commissioner Linehan of New Hampshire believed that it was due the memory of the ancestors of the present Irishmen in this country, the men of the revolutionary times, who made sacrifices, that the society should be formed. A large part of the work of the society will be the taking of the records of the Irishmen of the colonial period and compiling them in suitable form.

Joseph Smith of Lowell believed that the history of the country had not been written as it should be. The Irish had played an important part in the making of the country and should receive the credit for it. He urged the organization of local societies.

Osborn Howes said that such a history should not be in the spirit of laudation, but a plain, simple statement of the doings of the Irish in this country.

The following officers were elected for what will be the parent society: President, General Rear Admiral Richard W. Meade of Washington; secretary, General Thomas Hamilton Murray of Lawrence; treasurer, General John C. Linehan of New Hampshire; librarian, Thomas B. Lawler of Worcester; executive committee, in addition to the above officers, Theodore Roosevelt of New York, James J. Beach of Boston, Joseph Smith of Lowell, Augustus St. Gaudans of New York, Thomas J. Gargan of Boston, Maurice Eagan, E. A. Mosely of Washington and T. Russell Sullivan of Boston; vice-presidents, one from every state and territory; from New England, James Cunningham of Maine, T. W. Malony of Vermont, Osborn Howes of Massachusetts, N. J. Hanson of Rhode Island and Joseph W. Swords of Connecticut.

THE M'CLOUD MURDER.

Belief That Jack O'Neil Will Be Convicted o the Crime.

Shelburne Falls, Mass., Jan. 21.—The McCloud murder inquest was concluded yesterday afternoon. During the two days 55 witnesses were called, and all but two were examined. The government officials are confident, and believe they have secured very important evidence against the prisoner. It is believed this evidence comes from the chums of Jack O'Neil. The officers feel confident that the crime will be brought directly home to O'Neil in such a way that he will be convicted. At the afternoon session of the inquest these witnesses wre calld: Tommy O'Neil, who saw his brother on the bridge at 7.17; Eddie O'Neil, who carried the washing to and from Mrs. McCloud's home; George Fontz, who saw O'Neil come from near Woodward's about 8 o'clock; Mrs. Patrick Kennedy; Christian Fontz, who saw the prisoner at Haller's pool room about 8:30; Paul John Edward; Francis Beir, to whom O'Neil gave a dollar to buy whiskey at Woodward's; Dennis O'Brien, John H. Coward, William O'Connell, Joseph Atkins, T. F. Cronin and Lenis H. Merrill.

Some stress is put on the evidence given by Lenis Merrill. Merrill lives a short distance from the scene of the murder, and testifies that, while milking cows in his barn at 6:30 Friday night, he first heard two distinct cries, and later he heard three more. They seemed to him like a woman in distress. If he heard the sound of Mrs. McCloud's voice, it places the time of the murder.

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DARING JAIL BREAK.

Five Prisoners In Laconia Jail Escape Through the Roof.

Laconia, N. H., Jan. 21.—Another jail-breaking episode was added to the history of the Belknap county jail here last night, and this time five prisoners, one of whom was undergoing a sentence, exchanged their cells for the freedom of the country. The escaped prisoners are Albert Pike, under sentence for breaking and entering, and Jessie Reynolds, Patrick Briscall, Henry Kumas and Jerry McColley, who are being held for the grand jury on various charges.

The men broke jail in a bold manner. They demolished the cell locks by using the iron posts of their bed frames, and, with the posts as weapons, made their way to the roof of the jail, getting out on the roof through a skylight. That their plan of escape had been carefully made is shown by the fact that they had torn up the sheets and knotted them into a rope, by which means the ground was reached from the roof. The men then scattered and apparently were a long way off when the alarm was given.

There have been previous breaks at the jail, and, strange to say, several of the escaped prisoners have got out by the same skylight.

Massachusetts Schools.

Boston, Jan. 21.—The annual report of the state board of education has been made public. State valuation of schools for 1895 was $2,545,348,992. The number of persons in the state May 1, 1895, between 5 and 15 was 417,335, an increase over the preceding year of 8437; the number of all ages in the public schools for 1895-96 was 424,353, an increase of 11,460; the average membership, 349,336, an increase of 7665; the average attendance, 321,685, an increase of 7992; the percentage of attendance, 92. The number of pupils in academies was 5994; in private schools, including parochial, 61,090. During the year 12,275 teachers were employed, of whom 1078 were men and 11,197 were women. The men have been paid an average of $136.03 a month, an increase of $7.48; and the women $50.30 a month, an increase of $1.92. The number of schools, according to the popular local count, is 4539, a decrease of 51, which is explained by the process now going on of consolidating feeble and scattered rural schools into stronger schools and transporting the children thereto.

Harvard-Yale Difficulties.

Cambridge, Mass., Jan. 21.—Harvard and Yale seem to be steadily drifting apart, and it now seems as if nothing short of a miracle would bridge over the gulf which has arisen betwen them in their attempts to resume friendly athletic intercourse. The report received from New Haven to the effect that Yale had given up all ideas of playing Harvard this year was a surprise to the athletic committee here, and Professor J. H. Beale went as far as to say that he thought that the report from New Haven was very likely true. He would say nothing more, however, except that Harvard was likely to give out an official statement of the entire affair inside of a week. The one point which has been bothering the committee here for some time past is whether it would be consistent for Harvard to play baseball with Yale in case no boat race was arranged, in view of their original position, that contests must include all sports or none.

Agricultural Interests Considered.

Boston, Jan. 21.—The annual meeting of the Bay State Agricultural society was held at the United States hotel here yesterday. The chief business of the session, following the reading and adoption of the annual reports, consisted of the presentation and adoption of resolutions affecting the agricultural iterests, not alone of Massachusetts, but of the country in general. The methods employed by members of congress in distributing seeds were denounced, and resolutions favoring better laws for protection from contagious diseases in cattle were adopted. The passage of the "free homestead" law was condemned. President French was re-elected, and the same secretary, assistant secretary, vice presidents and auditors were appointed as last year.

Stamford Skaters.

Stamford, Conn., Jan. 21.—The first of the three days' racing of the National Amateur Skating association was held on Cove pond, near Stamford, yesterday, and was witnessed by upwards of 3000 persons. The ice was in excellent shape, though the wind was against the contestants. The event was under the management of the Outing Athletic club of Brooklyn, and the list of entries far outnumbered all previous records, which with the co-operation of the weather clerk promises a meeting which will surpass all its predecessors.

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Portland, Me., Jan. 21.—Twenty 25 masons employed in the construction of the new Grand Trunk elevator went on a strike yesterday for a raise of 25 cents a day. Their demands were refused, and they attacked the boss mason. A fight took place, in which several men were injured. One of the strikers was arrested, and all of the others were discharged, and all of the others were distheir places. The strikers tried to prevent these men from working, and another fight took place. Five more men were arrested, charged with rioting.

Evils of Immigration.

Boston, Jan. 21.—Before the Boot and Shoe club last night, Brigadier General Curtis Guild spoke on "Immigration, Its Effects and Defects." The speaker said that the Lodge bill was almost certain to pass congress. It is perhaps not a dangerous fact that 15 per cent of our population were foreign born, but it was a dangerous fact that these people furnished 33 per cent of our paupers, 37 per cent of the criminals of the United States, and 75 per cent of the criminals in Massachusetts.

Maine Firemen Organize.

Portland, Me., Jan. 21.—A Maine State Firemen's association, based on the same general principles as the Massachusetts association, has been organized. The object of the association is the establishment of a relief fund for firemen disabled in discharge of their duties, the study of the best methods for subduing fires and for the promoting of social relation between the firemen of social relations between the firemen of various cities of the state.

MURDERERS LYNCHED.

Three Hundred Louisiaians Avenge Death of Cotton Family.

Two of Negroes Confessed Their Guilt.

One of Wretches Would Have Been Burned But Wood Was Wet.

Amite City, La., Jan. 21.—Three negro murderers were lynched here yesterday. Two of them—Joiner and Johnson—confessed that they murdered the Cotton family. Gus Williams, the third victim of the mob, killed his wife.

Three hundred men approached the courthouse, the greater part on horseback, and some on foot, and immediately began searching the deputies, so that they could get the keys. After a delay of about 10 minutes the men found Deputy Wainwright in one of the rooms of a hotel and forced him to deliver up the keys before he had time to make an attempt to hide them. The work of getting into the prison was simple. Johnson saw his executioners coming, and slipped on his shirt, so that when they opened his cell door he would be ready. Joiner was told that he would be taken too, and immediately set up a wail that could be heard from outside. He swore that he was innocent, but the men who were taking charge of all three threw him down and tied his hands behind his back. Johnson asked one of the men who was tying his hands if they meant to burn him or not. He was told that the crowd meant to do so.

Williams claimed that he shot his wife accidentally, while endeavoring at 1 o'clock in the morning to kill a rat with a Winchester. He was jeered at and told that rat killing was a bad practice, and people should be hanged for it. Knowing that his fate was sealed, Williams said nothing more, going with his captors quietly.

The three negroes were led out into the court green, where the horsemen surrounded them and waited a little while while the captain of the squad announced his readiness to depart. Before going the captain thanked the people and said that they were there for business only, and if anyone wanted to join in and take a hand in the execution they were welcome.

The three captives, with long ropes attached to their necks, were led by the horsemen to the little Zion church, on oak street, in this place, and there it was decided to hang Williams to a tree that did duty before as a gallows. One of the men climbed up the oak and fastened the rope, while another slipped a noose over the unfortunate's head. While this was going on, Johnson said to the men about him that if they hanged Joiner, whom he had implicated in previous statements, they would be killing an innocent man, as the men who helped him were not in this country. For his pains he was given a rap over the head with a heavy piece of rope, which quieted him for the time.

Williams was told to pray, and he did so, after which he was ordered to get upon a horse. He became contrary, and it was necessary for some of the men to lift him upon the back of the animal. In their confession, Johnson and Joiner said that two section hands working near Independence took part in the murders. Their object was robbery, as they believed old man Cotton had money in the house. No reason was advanced why they did not kill Miss Maude Miller, while they were killing the rest of them. This part of the mystery has never been explained, and will never be known now. It is a noticeable fact that the two negroes they implicated, Willie Bell and Charles Brooks, left Independence the day after the Cottons were murdered and have not been heard of since.

Just before Joiner was hanged he made another effort to escape. One reason why Johnson was not burned is that the wood was too wet and a hot fire could not be had just then. Several people are not satisfied with the confession, advancing the theory that there is more behind the case than will ever be known. Before dayobreak most of the crowd had disappeared. All is quiet now.

"Captain John Smith" Gone.

Hingham, Mass., Jan. 21.—Amos Pendelton, alias Captain John Smith, aged 95 years, died at the Hingham almshouse yesterday. For many years he lived alone on Great island, and when the late William A. Bradley purchased the place, Pendelton lived on a mud scow in Weir river as a hermit. He was always accused of being a pirate during his younger days. He had admitted to his most intimate friends that he had had trouble with pirates in the Mediterranean sea. He was widely known among people along the coast, and especially the south shore. He was extremely peculiar, and those who knew him best were unable to understand him. He was a man of unusual weight, tipping the scales at nearly 400 pounds.

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W. H. COOK, Chairman.

E. B. ESTES, Clerk of the Committee. 21-1t

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

STATE HOUSE, BOSTON, Jan. 18, 1897.

THE Committee on FEDERAL RELATIONS will give a hearing to parties interested in the participation of the Commonwealth at the Centennial Exposition to be held at Tennessee, at Room No. 226, State House, on THURSDAY, Jan. 21, at 2 o'clock P. M.

HENRY PARSONS, Chairman.

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CITY OF QUINCY.

CITY CLERK'S OFFICE, Dec. 14, 1896.

THE Record of births in any city or town is always more or less unsatisfactory, owing to the fact that the canvasser finds difficulty in getting the necessary information. Names and dates are frequently given incorrectly. The importance of accuracy is shown in many cases where there is a question of descent, or inheritance of property, or collection of life insurance or pensions. The City Clerk's copy of the record is accepted as conclusive evidence in a court of law. While great pains are taken by this office to have the record correct, experience shows that it is necessary that parents themselves should lend their assistance. In fact the law requires that parents shall give notice to the City Clerk of the birth of their children, and provides a penalty for neglect to give such notice for the space of six months.

It often happens that only children or servants are at home when the canvasser makes his call, and the answers to his questions are open to doubt. I therefore request all parents in whose households a birth has occurred in the year 1896, to place upon a paper or card the required information, and keep it in a convenient place until the canvasser appears.

The canvass will be commenced on Jan. 1, 1897.

HARRISON A. KEITH, City Clerk.

Dec. 14 to Feb. 1. Dec. 19—7w

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Two Weeks' Temperature.

	This Week.	Last Week
Sunday	37	43
Monday	45	42
Tuesday	10	31
Wednesday	22	20
Thursday	45	30
Friday	—	33
Saturday	—	36

MR. HAMMOND ELECTED.

He Will be at Head of Republican Committee Another Year.

The Republican City Committee of 1897 held its meeting for organization Wednesday evening in Durgin & Merrill's block, Chairman Charles L. Hammond presiding.

The report of treasurer R. A. Sears showed that all the bills of the years 1895 and 1896 had been paid in full as well as some $150 of the debt left from the Moxon campaign and the remaining liabilities of that year were small.

The next business was organization for the year. Messrs. T. H. Burke, J. C. Murray and John S. Gay were appointed a committee to receive and count votes.

The vote for chairman was as follows:

Whole number of votes,	29
Necessary for choice,	15
Charles L. Hammond had	18
John P. Bigelow had	10
Blanks had	1

Charles L. Hammond was declared elected and upon motion of John P. Bigelow the vote was made unanimous.

Mr. Hammond in accepting the chairmanship for another year said he would endeavor with the assistance of the committee to carry it through successfully and hoped everything would be unanimous.

The balance of the organization was then completed as follows:

Secretary,—Edgar G. Cleaves.

Treasurer,—Russell A. Sears.

Vice Presidents,—John P. Bigelow and A. L. Baker.

It was voted that the chairman appoint a committee consisting of the chairman and six members to draft by-laws and report at a future meeting.

The following Republican Ward Committees have organized:

Ward One, Russell A. Sears, chairman; Edgar G. Cleaves, secretary.

Ward Three, John P. Bigelow, chairman; William W. Parry, secretary.

Ward Five, R. R. Freeman, chairman; A. L. Baker, secretary.

"Pinafore on the Half Shell."

Many from this city will attend the Bijou theatre on Friday evening when the bankers of Boston will present a burlesque of "Pinafore." Mr. W. S. Osborne of Quincy is in the cast, and all his friends will be there with their encouragement. The entertainment will be repeated on Saturday afternoon and evening.

All the roles will be filled by men, and there will be a chorus of 50, picked from the bright young men who make figures and handle money in the city banks. Specialties will be introduced.

Besides the chorus there will be a strong ballet of airy fairies in short skirts, who will dance as no ballet ever danced in Boston before. They have been at it for weeks, and their only difficulty has been to repress their vigor and appear fluffy and feminine.

"Leah, the Forsaken."

The Holbrook Dramatic company appeared at Hancock hall Wednesday evening and presented the drama "Leah, the Forsaken."

The drama, which calls for much hard work, was given in a very creditable manner, the several characters being well impersonated. Particular mention should be made of the work of Miss Rose Smith, who impersonated "Leah." Between the acts there were solos by Miss Rose Kelly and J. F. Kelliher and fancy step dancing by Prof. Daly. The audience was a small but appreciative one.

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Annual Church Meeting Held and Officers Elected.

For many days the annual church supper of Bethany Congregational church has engrossed the attention of the ladies who undertook the great task of providing a grand complimentary feast to all who worship at the church. In was a great undertaking requiring hundreds of pounds of turkey, many hams and tongues, nearly one hundred pies, half a hundred loaves of cake, etc., and much labor; but each lady was assigned a part, one to get the turkey, one the beans, one the fruit, etc., and they selected assistants and the work went along systematically and well, so that there was enough and some to spare for the 400 in attendance, and it was said to have been the best supper ever served this side of the Parker house. The ladies were complimented on every side, and later at the church meeting a vote of thanks was passed by a rising vote.

The menu included:

TURKEY.
HAM. TONGUE.
BAKED BEANS.
BROWN BREAD. PICKLES.
PIES IN VARIETY.
CAKE. ROLLS.
FRUIT.
TEA. COFFEE.

Rev. Edward Norton, the pastor, emeritus, asked the blessing and it was a very pleasing one to his people.

The LEDGER is able to present nearly a complete list of all present, but realizes that there are some omissions. By tables they were as follows:

Rev. and Mrs. Edward Norton, Elbridge Clapp, Franklin Hardwick, Simeon Scammell, Mary Scammell, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Pratt, Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Prescott, Miss R. H. Denny, Mrs. Hugh McPhail, Caroline L. Fowler, Mrs. Julia A. Mitchell, Mrs. Hannah M. Tanner, Mr. and Mrs. Reuben S. Elliott, Miss Wilhelmina Birse, Miss Alice S. Hatch, Miss Mona M. Birse, Oliver J. Churchill, John J. Sherman, Mrs. M. E. Sherman, Dr. C. T. Sherman, Mrs. Angelia M. Sherman, Mary Webb, Cornelia Elliott, Jessie Webb, Mr. and Mrs. Francis K. Damon, Mrs. George E. Newcomb, Mr. and Mrs. John F. Merrill, Mr. and Mrs. Eben W. Sheppard, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Fay.

Mr. and Mrs. John Sanderson, Herbert H. Colby, Mr. and Mrs. John Federhen, 3d, Mrs. Ethan Wilcox, Westerly, R. I., C. C. Bradford, Miss Ellen M. Hersey, Mrs. G. H. Joslin, Miss Luella Joslin, Mrs L. L. Trask, Mrs. W. Isaac, Mrs. J. H. Gilbert, Mr. John Lavers, Griffith P. Roberts, S. E. Thomas, Wm. S. Saunders, Miss Nellie Saunders John Jones, Mrs. Frank L. Carlton, Albert R. Cushman, Mr. and Mrs. John C. Murray, Mrs. Bessie Peterson, E. J. Steer, William Ross, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Baxter, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Comey, Laura S. Hayward, Alice Dunn, Mrs. Helen Fitts, Mr. and Mrs. H. Walter Gray, Miss Bowditch, Boston, Mrs. H. E. Burns, Miss Lavers.

John Evans, Jane Evans, Sarah Evans, Mrs. Langhorne, Mrs. R. R. Smith, Mrs. Annie Rogers, Miss Mercy B. Jones, Mary Jane Duthie, Mrs. Laura A. Horton, Mrs. N. J. Stearns, Mr. and Mrs. J. Percival Sears, Mr. and Mrs. J. Frank Merrill, Mr. and Mrs. George L. Badger, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Branch, Miss Iola L. Pearl, Miss Frances Forsaith, Miss Mary E. Dearborn, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Parker, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Bailey, R. C. Allen, William Laing, R. D. Chase, David Roberts, Fannie Roberts, E. Lloyd Evans.

Rev. and Mrs. E. N. Hardy, Miss Pearl Elliot, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Coffin, Mrs. J. A. Pratt, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Baker, Mr. Walter Pratt, Frances C. Lance, C. H. Scammell, John Wickham, Edward McBairn, Wm. G. Webb, Cholie Webb, Jasper Newberry, John W. Northcott, Fred Scammell, Herbert W. Beattie, Mrs. Herbert W. Beattie, Dr. and Mrs. J. F. Welch, Mr. and Mrs W. H. Mitchell, Mr and Mrs. George W. Clapp, Mrs. C. M. White, Mary A. White.

Theodore Gullicksen, Emma Gullicksen, Mrs. Alex Greer, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Hill, E. D. Gourd, Ella Moury, Carrie L. Bliss, Grace J. Holmes, Frederick Jay, Henry Glidden, Anna L. Glidden, Mary H. Purdy, Lillian M. Glidden, Mr. and Mrs. Horace A. Feltis, M. H. Atkins, F. F. French, Ida Jennie Cameron, Maude B. Cameron, Mrs. Chas. E Ford, Mrs. Lizzie Bird, Albert L. Hayden, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Badger.

Mrs. A. A. Dell, Mrs. L. Dell, Mrs. H. Willey, Mrs E T. Spear, Mrs. M. Souter, Miss E. A. Wheble, Mrs. G. W. Tuckerman, Miss Kate L. Townsend, Miss A. L. Phelps, Mr. and Mrs. E. Tingley, Miss B. J. Patterson, Miss Ida M. Steer, Miss Lizzie F. Roberts, Miss Jennie Masson, Mr. Frederick L. Paine, Mrs. F. L. Paine, Miss Mary Aurilla Paine, Miss Patience Edna Paine, Mrs. Anna E. Nightingale, Mrs. H. L. Dell, Mr. Charles H. Hayden, Mrs. William D. Carson, Mrs. Fred E. Nightingale, Miss C. Townsend, Mr. John J. Griffiths, Mr. Robert E. Jones, Mr. Benjamin Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Cantley, Mr. A. S. Patterson.

Mr. Lewis G. Griffiths, Mr. Roland R. Hughes, Mrs. Sarah Murray, Mrs. Margaret Jones, Mrs. Laura Jones, Mr. Henry H. Faxon, Mrs. James King, Mr. Arthur R. Fitts, Mr. William Laing, Mrs. Margaret Laing, Mr. Ross, Mrs. Maggie Ross, Mr. William Birnie, Miss Mabel S. Baxter, Mr. J. W. Ross, Miss Clara B. Cobb, Mr. James Skinner, Mr. W. Skinner, Mr. Frank Gilbert, Mr. Thomas Parsons, Miss Alice J. Skinner, Mr. M. A. Gow, Mrs. Ellen Jones, Miss

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QUINCY BREVITIES.

Notes from Quincy Point, Wollaston, Atlantic, South and West Quincy.

A rainy day.

Odd Fellows ball tonight.

The City Council will not meet next week.

No school today; signals were given at 7.30 and 11.30.

Hose 3 wagon is undergoing repairs at Wild's manufactory.

Klippan lodge of Good Templars will give a concert and festival at Faxon hall, March 6.

It was rather slippery walking this morning on the sidewalks, and it was hard work to keep from falling.

The weather today is rather bad for the ice men, who commenced Wednesday to get in their crops of ice.

The Ollie Torbett Concert Company is coming to Quincy Feb. 20, under the auspices of some of our Swedish citizens.

The large plate glass window in the store of A. H. Doble & Co. at South Quincy which was broken by a boy was replaced Wednesday.

A Legislative hearing relative to transportation of liquor into no-license towns is advertised today. It will be held tomorrow morning.

A series of revival services will be held at the West Quincy Methodist church commencing Sunday evening and continuing through the week.

Brainard D. Feltis, the two-year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Horace A. Feltis of Bigelow street, entertained his little friends and their mammas Wednesday from 2 to 4. It was a happy occasion.

At Dedham on Wednesday administrations were granted on the estates of Mrs. Mary Field late of Quincy, to George H. Field; estate of Mrs. Anna Roberts to John H. Roberts; estate of James P. Jones to Louise Allbee.

The Solid Foundation.

Mr. Clayton's sermon Wednesday evening before the best congregation of the week, was upon our building our lives upon the rock, Christ Jesus. He instanced Jeroboam, who had the promise of God that his kingly house should be established if he would serve God, but he forsook God because of jealous fear of the Kingdom of Judah which had the Temple in its city Jerusalem, and his house was wiped out. The rich man who was going to tear down his barns and build larger, built his life upon the sand. Paul, on the contrary, built upon the rock. We read of him, a poor prisoner, going before the Roman Emperor. Now the empire of the Caesars has long passed away, but Paul's life is still forceful as that of an ambassador of Christ.

There were some who arose to confess the Saviour at the close of the meeting.

This afternoon at 3 and evening at 7.30 the evangelist will seek to arouse the church people. The meetings are held in the Water street church.

New County Laws.

The Committee on Counties of the Legislature gave a hearing Wednesday on the Brookline petition for county reform which was largely attended.

Chairman Codman of the Brookline town committee, explained the bills presented to the Legislature. He said that they aimed at specific appropriations by the Legislature for specific purposes, and no excess except as required by law; clear and full reports of county expenditures and of the condition and methods of county business and finances; the carrying out of all considerable county transactions by contract, after proper competition; and adequate means of enforcing the laws relating to county affairs.

There was some objection to the bond required, and to the financial year.

Capt. Wadsworth was the only Norfolk county commissioner present.

King's Daughters.

At the January meeting of the Gleaners, King's Daughters, the following officers were elected for 1897:

President,—Mrs. S. F. Howard.
Vice President,—Mrs. Watson Brasee.
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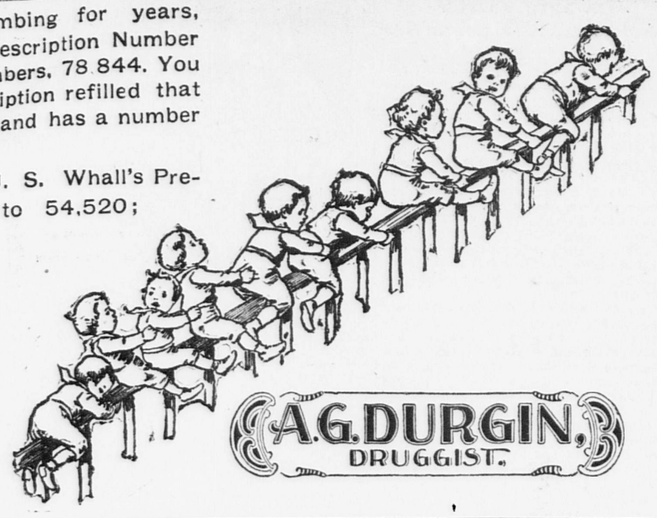
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High School Debate.

The Quincy High School Debating society met Wednesday. Miss Joss, '97, president took the chair, and Mr. Lewis, '98, secretary, presented his report.

The debate of last week on Protection and Free Trade was concluded.

Arguments in the affirmative were made by Miss Williams, and in the negative by Mr. Wales and Mr. Pendis.

When the debate was opened to the society, Miss Walker, Mr. Lewis, Mr. Lyons, Miss Martin, Miss Thompson and Mr. Wilkins spoke.

Mr. Saunders, the critic, made his report.

The entertainment followed:

Piano duet, Miss Scharnagel, '97 and Miss Thomas, '97. This selection was received with applause.

Essay, "Scenes in Rome," Miss Johnson, '97.

Recitation, Miss McGuane, '97.

The entertainment was of unusual merit.

The subject of the next debate is: "Resolved, That all the studies of the High School Course Ought to be Elective."

Unity Club.

The meeting of the Unity club on Friday evening in the Wollaston Unitarian vestry will be a brilliant one.

The essayists will be Rev Mr. Bagley, Miss Carrie Small, Mr. F. A Tupper, Miss Clara E G. Thayer.

Miss Thomas, the accomplished violinst, will play, accompanied by Mrs. Moorhouse on the piano. Mrs. Alma Faunce Smith will also play.

Dr. F. Merrill will recite and the Ladies' Quartette will sing.

The quartette is composed of Mrs. Frank Sprague, Mrs. H. W. Lull, Mrs. N. G. Nickerson and Mrs. L. C. F. Smith.

Concert.

A very fine musical treat was given at Faxon hall last evening, by the following artists: Miss Eva Stone, contralto; Mr. Arthur M. Dow, tenor; Miss Florence Lent, reader, Mr. David W. Fudge, violinist; Miss Fay Simmons and Mr. Philip O. Dallinger, accompanists. Mrs. Manna Simmons-Taylor, a distinguished soprano singer, who was announced, was sick and unable to be present, which was a great disappointment to many, although her part was ably filled by a fine vocalist whose name our reporter did not catch.

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HAPPY SOLUTION.

Enlargement of the Quincy School Averted.

Extra Room Outside the Building to be Given up.

Seventh Grade to be Consolidated with Massachusetts Fields.

A special meeting of the School Committee was held Wednesday evening to hear the report of the special committee appointed to look into the matter of the pupils of the seventh grades of the Wollaston, Quincy, and Massachusetts Fields schools.

Mr. Breed was the only absent member.

The committeee reported as follows:

"We find that in the three classes as now existing there are 78 pupils, 30, 30, 18 respectively. In the judgment of your committee 18 pupils is not a sufficiently large number to warrant the establishment of a new class, unless it is absolutely required by overcrowding. They agree that 78 pupils assigned to two teachers would not prove burdensome to the teachers, and that it would not be detrimental to the pupils to be in classes of reasonable size. The problem to be solved then is simplified into a search for two rooms into which the three grades can be consolidated without placing unfair burdens upon the pupils.

"The most obvious solution appears to be to assume that for the present the Massachusetts Field school is not completed as far as accommodations for Grade VII is concerned and to continue the classes in the Wollaston and Quincy schools as before. This plan meets the demand for economy, but the economy seems to be secured at the expense of the educational rights of the children.

The crowded condition of the seventh grade at the Wollaston school has been one of the most urgent reasons for new school rooms. This class has been hampered in its opportunities from the time of its first entering school to the present, because the school authorities have been obliged to resort to devices designed to make a large class fit itself to a small room, and now that provision has been made by the city to meet their needs it seems to the committee that it would be an unnecessary wrong to continue a bad system merely because it is cheap. It is the opinion of the committee that the Wollaston school ought to be left with its present second grade which can now be well accommodated and instructed, and can now receive a little extra attention to make up for the enforced neglect of previous years.

"We believe that thirty pupils of the Quincy school and the eighteen of the Massachusetts Fields can be well taught by a single competent teacher if they can be brought together in a suitable room. The Quincy school is overcrowded. One class is now out of the building and it has no room large enough to accommodate such a class as is proposed.

The Massachusetts Fields school has new up to date rooms which can easily accommodate these two classes and being brought together they can be instructed by the principal himself, but the committee agrees that it would be manifestly unjust to remove the Quincy school class so far away from their school room unless transportation should be furnished.

"We are in accord with the City Council in believing that transportation to pupils should not be furnished except in rare and peculiar circumstances. Still in this case which involves a reduction of $475 in the salary list, and a saving of about $300 per year in the expense of maintaining a school in a rented room, making a total net saving of nearly $800, without seriously imparring the usefulness of the schools, we do unanimously recommend:

"That transportation be furnished to the pupils of the seventh grade of the Quincy school from the Quincy school to the Massachusetts Fields school and return every school session, and that this grade be consolidated with the seventh grade of the Massachusetts Fields schoool.

"That the class now in Music Hall be returned to the Quincy school building, and that the superintendent of schools be instructed to carry these recommendations into effect at the earliest date possible.

The Committee voted to accept and adopt the report of the Committee.

As the Committee can not expend money for transportation the chairman was instructed to present the matter to the City Council.

Still Losing.

At Somerville on Wednesday the Quincy team was again defeated in the Candle Pin league. It lost every string to the Jamesons who won by 121 pins.

The full score:

JAMESONS.

	1	2	3	Total
Bowler				
Flynn,	78	75	81	234
Rinn,	72	100	93	265
Manning,	74	78	85	237
Rogers,	95	102	91	289
Bradbury,	94	89	85	268
Team totals,	414	444	435	1293

QUINCYS.

Sanborn,	74	79	83	236
Cuttill,	87	60	78	225
Freeman,	78	86	78	242
Costello,	74	91	73	238
Cavanagh,	72	83	76	231
Team totals,	385	399	388	1172

The other winners were the Meyers, Jeffersons, Hubs, Lenoxs, South Bostons and the Prospects. The defeat of the McCarthys puts the Meyers in first place. The Quincys continue to foot the list.

A GRAND SUPPER.

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W. W. Parry, Mrs. Duncan Rurk, Mrs. W. W. Parry, Mrs. L D. Goodridge, Mrs. W. E. Webb, Miss C. S. Hubbard, Mrs. Harry W. Tirrell, Miss Bessie Wickham, Mr. David Goss.

Miss M. Lillie Taber, Mrs. Edwin I. Beal, Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Colton, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. G. Shaw, Miss Mary E. Fish, Mr. and Mrs. William Coppin, Miss M. A. Gardner.

It required an army of waiters for such a grand banquet, and this work was performed by the following young ladies and gentlemen under the direction of Miss Burns: Miss Park, Miss Underwood, Miss Hardwick, Miss Bradbury, Miss Miller, Miss Mack, Miss Greer, Miss Newcomb, Miss Dunbar, Miss Kingman, Miss Perry, Miss Laing, Miss Stanley, Miss Lowe, Mr. Moorehead. Mr. Badger, Mr. Pratt, Mr. Patterson, Mr. Fitts, Mr. Blaisdell, Mr. McConnell, Mr. Miller, Mr. McLean, Mr. Hall, Mr. Appleton, Mr. Field, Mr. Park, Mr. Somers, Mr. Hayward, Mr. Hardwick, Mr. Walsh, Mr. Evans, Mr. Jones, Mr. Anderson, Mr. Parsons.

About 8 o'clock all present were invited to the annual church meeting and nearly all accepted.

E. W. Branch was moderator. After a song and prayer came the reports of officers. These showed considerable progress during the year. Briefly told, the church has 27 new members. The church has been incorporated. Individual communion cups introduced. New singing books for the chapel. The training school for Christian service opened. The Brotherhood of Andrew and Phillip organized. Home department of Bible school introduced, and the record for largest attendance in the school broken Dec. 11. Special work for the boys begun.

The church has 320 members and a complete list with the year of joining will appear in the LEDGER tomorrow.

The report of the treasurer showed the receipts to have been $4,211 and the expenditures $4,088, while there were but few unpaid bills.

The Bible School report showed 15 to have united with the church; $300 to have been paid on the chapel debt; record of attendance broken, and that for the last seven Sundays the attendance had been over 300. The primary department has over 100 enrolled.

Among the needs of the church is a motor for the organ, and exterior painting.

All the committees and organizations connected with the church made reports, and officers were elected by the Australian system.

There was cast 111 ballots, only one of which was defective and the following were elected:

Moderator,—E. W. Branch.

Deacons for 3 years,—W. W. Parry and Dr. C. T. Sherman.

Deaconesses,—Mrs. A. N. Badger, Miss A. L. Bumpus, Mrs. H. E. C. Burns, Mrs. H. F. Futts, Mrs. A. J. Macfarlane, Miss N. L. Saunders.

Clerk,—E. D. Gourd.

Treasurer,—C. T. Sherman.

Prudential Committee for 3 years,—E. S. Beckford.

Auditor,—H. W. Gray.

Finance Committee,—W. G. Comey, F. H. Crane, T. King, C. T. Sherman, T. H. Wason.

Music Committee,—J. D. Buckingham, Miss B. L. Burns, A. L. Hayden, W. T. Isaac, Miss F. C. Lance.

Bible School Superintendent,—E. W. Branch.

Mr. E. W. Branch declined to serve but the meeting would not hear of it, and promised to give him assistance. With this promise he withdrew his declination.

TODAY'S COURT.

Frank Hand was arraigned for drunkenness at Quincy. Case continued two weeks.

The continued case of John Sullivan for keeping a liquor nuisance at Randolph was called and he was fined $50.

—Amos Pendelton, better known to many as Capt. John Smith, the Weir river hermit, died at the Hingham almshouse Wednesday. He is said to have been 95 years old.

—The committee on Commissioner Morrell's impeachment case has been authorized to employ a stenographer.

ALMOST A GAS VICTIM.

A Quincy Young Lady Who is Teaching Out of Town

Miss Florence R. Faxon of Quincy, a school teacher employed in the Crosby school, Arlington, and who boards at Frank C. Fessenden's on Massachusetts avenue, narrowly escaped being numbered among the list of gas victims on Sunday last, says the Post. She probably owes her escape to the fact that she was suffering from a cold, which prevented her from sleeping soundly.

She retired Sunday night about 9 o'clock and an hour or two later she awoke with a painful feeling of discomfort, only to find an impressive odor around her. Investigation showed that the room was full of gas and the jet turned about half on.

Miss Faxon is positive she did not light the gas on Sunday night, but she thinks that she may have turned on the gas some time during the preceding two days, when the gas had been shut off in the house, and finding no gas, had forgotten to turn the jet off again.

The Angelus Brotherhood.

The members of the Brotherhood and friends, under the direction of Mrs. W. E. Rowe, are rehearsing for a minstrel show to be given in February. It promises to be a great success. All the young men are intensely interested and are very much in earnest, and desirous of doing something for the church. The young men, with the assistance of one or two ladies, will furnish the entire entertainment, including jokes, stump speech, singing, violins, banjos, mandolins, bones, and tambourines, etc. Miss Fairbanks will be the accompanist.

Funds Tied Up.

Cincinnati, Jan. 21.—The examination into the condition of the First National bank of Newport, which failed on Monday, will not be completed by the government officer for a week or 10 days. It is claimed that the indebtedness of Cashier Youtzey to the bank will reach $225,000, also he has turned over to the bank real estate and securities estimated to be worth $150,000. It will not be possible to realize more than one-half this indebtedness. A most disagreeable feature of the failure is the tying up of the school funds on deposit, also the funds of the county treasurer.

Demise of Charles F. Mudge.

Lynn, Mass., Jan. 21.—Charles Frederick Mudge, at one time superintendent of the United States sanitary commission, died at the home of his father, Charles F. Mudge, on Essex street, yesterday, aged 69 years. Previous to the war, he was in the stone business in Boston. He went out with the Massachusetts Nineteenth regiment as quartermaster, and was afterward clerk of the barracks in Boston. After the war he went in o the sanitary commission. He was born here Dec. 7, 1828, and leaves a wife and daughter.

Torpedo Boat Trial.

Newport, Jan. 21.—It is announced that torpedo boat No. 6 made 26.85 knots over the measured mile under 180 pounds steam pressure during her trial yesterday. The contract speed must be 27.5 knots, which figure, it is predicted, will be easily exceeded.

Sons of Temperance.

Fall River, Mass., Jan. 21.—The Sons of Temperance held their fifth open Bristol county convention in the Pearl street Presbyterian church yesterday. Delegates were present from New Bedford, Freetown, Acushnet, Mattapoisett, Marion, Middleboro and Fall River. Franklin Howland of New Bedford presided and the day was given up to reports and addresses.

Production Not Curtailed Yet.

Boston, Jan. 21.—Fifteen members of the Arkwright club, the most prominent organization of cotton manufacturers in New England, met at Young's hotel yesterday, but no action as taken with reference to curtailment of production or work at the cotton mills of which the members of the club are owners.

Clerk Charged With Theft.

Boston, Jan. 21.—William S. Baxter, 34 years old, in the employ of the Goddard Credit company, was arrested last night on a charge of larceny. The firm claims that it has lost goods amounting to $5000 since June, 1896, and charges Baxter with being the thief.

Estate of Abigail Dodge.

Beverly, Mass., Jan. 21.—An inventory of the estate of the late Abigail Dodge ("Gail Hamilton") has been filed in the Salem probate courut. The estate is valued at $31,029, of which $2250 is in real estate in Hamilton and the balance in this city.

Grand Lodge at New Haven.

New Haven, Jan. 21.—The leading Masons of the Grand Lodge of the state met in session at Masonic hall yesterday. At the evening session the attendance was over 300. The principal address was delivered by Grand Master James H. Welch.

Wholesale Grocers Burned Out.

Boston, Jan. 21.—Fire early this morning destroyed $100,000 worth of property belonging to Charles C. Moody & Co., well-known wholesale grocers.

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Mr. F. C. Platt of 43 Austin street has been a resident of Worcester for 40 years. He served in the U. S. navy, and has also been a boss painter in the Bradley car shops. He recently made the following statement:

"For nine months past I have suffered with what doctors call a low grade of inflammation of the bowels. It commenced in my stomach, and for more than six weeks I passed quantities of blood. If I caught cold or ate anything that did not agree with me, I was forced to leave my work, completely knocked out. I would go home and to bed and could not get warm, no matter how many clothes were piled on me. I ran down from 175 to 153 pounds. Doctors afforded me no relief whatever. At last, my wife, noticing the Puritana advertisements in the papers, consulted friends and was advised to try it. I began using it and can truthfully say it is the only thing that ever touched my case. From the start, almost, I began to feel relief, and said to my wife: 'We have a good thing here!' I cheerfully give my testimony in the hope that others may benefit from the use of this wonderful discovery."

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LOST—On 10-10 A. M. train from Quincy Adams to Boston, on Saturday, Jan. 16, a lady's Muff. The finder will be rewarded by leaving same at HENRY McGRATH'S. South Quincy, Jan. 18. tf

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WANTED—A young nurse who has had a year's hospital training, wishes employment. Best references given. Address "M," LEDGER office. 19-3teod*

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House, 12 rooms, with stable and sheds, 16 Cottage street.

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Jan. 18. 12t

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On and after Friday, Jan. 1, 1897, cars will make trips on week days as follows:

Quincy and Neponset.

Leave CITY HALL for Neponset—6.00 A. M., 6.15, 6.30, 6.45, 7.00, and every 15, 30, 45 and 60 minutes past the hour until 7.00 P. M., then every half hour until 10.50 P. M. Cars leaving Quincy on the hour via. Norfolk Downs, except 6.00 P. M.

Leave NEPONSET—6.22 A. M., 6.37, 6.52, 7.07, 7.22, and every 7, 22, 37 and 52 minutes past the hour until 7.00 o'clock, then every half hour until 11 P. M.; last car for Quincy at 11.15 P. M. Cars leaving Neponset 22 minutes past the hour via. Norfolk Downs.

Quincy and East Weymouth.

Leave CITY HALL (10 minutes later from Quincy Point and 22 minutes later from North Weymouth)—5.45, 6.20, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, 11.20, 11.50 A. M.; 12.20, 12.50, 1.20, 1,50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20 4.50 5.20 (5.30 to East Weymouth car house), 5.50, 6.20, 6.30, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.50 P. M.

Leave EAST WEYMOUTH (20 minutes later from North Weymouth and 30 minutes later from Quincy Point)—6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11, 11.30 A. M.; 12, 12.30, 1, 1.30, 2, 2.30, 3, 3.30, 4, 4.30, 5, 5.30, 6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11.30 P. M.

Quincy and East Milton.

Leave CITY HALL, 5.55, 6.25, then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 8.55 P. M., then at 9.50 and 10.50 P. M.

Leave EAST MILTON, 6.30, 7.00 A. M., then on the hour and half hour until 9.30 P.M., then at 10.20 and 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and Holbrook.

Leave QUINCY for SOUTH BRAINTREE and HOLBROOK at 6.10 and 6.40 A. M., and every 10 minutes past and 20 minutes of the hour until 10.10 P. M. Last car leaves at 10.50 P. M. On Saturdays the last car leaves Quincy at 11.50 P. M.

Returning cars leave HOLBROOK for SOUTH BRAINTREE and QUINCY at 5.55 and 6.25 A. M., and every 25 minutes past and 5 minutes of the hour until 9.55 P.M. Last car leaves Holbrook at 11.30 P. M.

☞ On Sundays on the Weymouth route cars will leave Quincy on the hour and half hour and East Weymouth at quarter past and quarter of the hour.

☞ Special trips can be arranged on application to the Superintendent.

☞ At Quincy Centre close connection is made with Electric Cars on all the routes.

☞ At Neponset close connection is made with West End Street Cars to and from Boston.

☞ Cars are due at Beale street, Wollaston ten minutes after leaving Neponset and seven minutes after leaving Quincy.

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On and after Jan. 17, 1897, trains will run as follows: (See note of explanation at bottom.)

TO BOSTON. Leave Quincy.	Stops at	Arrive Boston.	FROM BOSTON. Leave Boston.	Stops at	Arrive Quincy
r 6 12 abc	*	6 30	5 53 ihgfedcba	*	6 20 r
r 6 42 abc		7 00	6 30 cba		6 49 r
r 7 12 abc		7 30	7 30 cba		7 49 r
7 29 a		7 48	8 30 cba		8 49 r
r 7 42 abc		8 00	9 30 cba		9 49 r
r 8 12 abc		8 30	10 30 cba		10 49 r
8 29 a		8 45	11 30 cba		11 49 r
r 8 42 abc		9 00	12 00 (xx)		12 15
r 9 12 abc		9 30	12 30 cba		12 49 r
r 10 12 abc		10 30	1 30 cba		1 49 r
r 11 12 abc		11 30	2 30 cba		2 49 r
r 12 12 abc		12 30	3 30 cba		3 49 r
r 1 12 abc		1 30	4 30 cba		4 49 r
1 46 (xx)		2 00	5 00 cba		5 19 r
r 2 12 abc		2 30	5 15 a		5 32
r 3 12 abc		3 30	5 30 cba		5 49 r
r 4 12 abc		4 30	6 00 cba		6 19 r
r 5 12 abc		5 30	6 15 a		6 32
r 6 12 abc		6 30	6 30 cba		6 49 r
r 7 12 abc		7 30	7 00 cba		7 19 r
r 7 41 abcdefghi		8 07	7 30 cba		7 49 r
r 8 08 abcdef		8 30	8 30 fedcba		8 53 r
r 9 12 abc		9 30	9 30 cba		9 49 r
r 10 08 abcdef		10 30	10 30 fedcba		10 53 r
r 10 34 abcdefghi		11 08	11 00 ihgfedcba		11 27 r
r 11 12 abc		11 30	11 30 cba		11 49 r

SUNDAYS.

6 38 abcdef	7 00	4 05 fda	4 23	
8 46 (xx)	9 00	7 30 fedcba	7 53 r	
r 9 12 abc	9 30	8 30 (xx)	8 45	
r 12 16 (xx)	12 30	9 30 ihgfedcba	9 57 r	
1 07 abc	1 25	10 30 ihgfedcba	10 57 r	
2 16 (xx)	2 30	11 30 (xx)	11 45	
r 3 04 abcdefghi	3 30	12 35 cba	12 54	
r 4 04 abcdefghi	4 30	1 30 (xx)	1 45	
5 16 (xx)	5 30	4 30 cba	4 49 r	
r 6 08 abcdef	6 30	5 00 (xx)	5 15	
r 9 08 abcdef	9 30	7 00 fedcba	7 23 r	
9 38 adf	9 55	10 30 fedcba	10 53 r	

*The letters in the same line as the figures stand for different stations and indicate that trains stop, as follows:

a, Wollaston. b, Norfolk Downs c, Atlantic. d, Neponset. e, Pope's Hill. f, Harrison Square. g, Savin Hill. h, Crescent Avenue i, South Boston. r, Quincy Adams. (xx), Express.

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WOLLASTON—Ross' news stand and carriers.
NORFOLK DOWNS—Branscheid & Martens and their carriers.
ATLANTIC—Brancheid & Martens News Agency and their carriers.
QUINCY POINT—Miss Freeman's store.
SOUTH QUINCY—Peter Haverly, Water street.
F. J. Pierson, 96 Granite street.
O. D. Chick, 59 Liberty street.
EAST MILTON—William Clark's periodical store and his carriers.
EAST WEYMOUTH—George H. Hunt.
WEYMOUTH LANDING—W. E. Cunningham.
NO. WEYMOUTH—B. F. Thomas.

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MOON'S PHASES.

New Moon	3	1:03 a. m.	Full Moon	18	3:17 p. m.
First Quarter	10	4:46 p. m.	Third Quarter	25	3:08 p. m.

THE WEATHER INDICATIONS.

ALMANAC, THURSDAY, JAN. 21.
Sun rises—7:07; sun sets, 4:45.
Length of day—9h. 38m.
Moon rises—8:14 p. m.
Full sea—12:45 a. m., 1 p. m.
Forecast for New England: Snow or rain; clearing in southern portion during the evening; warmer; easterly to southerly winds; gales on coast.

Weed and Rose.

A little weed grew at the foot of a rose,
And they both breathed the soft summer air.
But the little weed sighed as it looked at the rose,
For the rose was so tall and so fair.
At sunset the little weed trembling spoke
And told of its love for the rose.
But the rose did not hear, for the language of weeds
Is a language a weed only knows.

Then the little weed wept, washed the fair rose's feet,
And the rose was refreshed for the night.
The songs of the morning birds opened her heart,
And she lifted her head to the light,
And taller she grew, and her green leaves spread wide
Till they shut out the sunlight and air;
So the little weed died at the foot of the rose,
And the rose never knew it was there.
—Atlanta Constitution.

In Chicago.



"You say she is a connection of yours?"

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MISCONDUCT OF JURY.

Bram's Counsel Presents Argument For New Trial.

Alleged Irregularities of the Jurymen.

Court Admits Affidavits Regarding Actions of Members of Jury.

Boston, Jan. 21.—Yesterday Lawyers Cotter and French, for Mate Thomas M. Bram, convicted of murder, began their fight for a new trial. Opposed to them were United States District Attorney Hoar and his assistants.

A number of the jurors who had tried the case were present. Among them were the foreman, Rinaldo A. Jack, Oliver J. Briggs, Warren W. Blake and A. C. Ford.

Judges Colt and Webb having taken their seats on the bench, the case was opened by District Attorney Hoar, who made a motion affecting the conduct of the hearing. He stated that there were two motions—one for a new trial, with an amendment, and a second for an arrest of judgment. He wanted them not merely heard separately, but wanted the first motion divided.

Mr. French objected, saying that he thought the motion ought to be heard as a whole. He was supported in this by the court.

Mr. French then set out the grounds alleged in the motion for a new trial, as follows:

First—Because the verdict is against the evidence and the weight thereof.

Second—Because the interruptions, statements of fact, and opinions, and examinations of witnesses by one member of the court during the trial were partial, argumentative and unduly prejudicial to the defendant in so much that the defendant has been deprived of a fair trial and because incompetent and prejudicial matter introduced by one member of the court, by questions and statements, and characterizations of the defendant and his testimony, and of the closing argument in his behalf, forced the defendant's counsel to protest in the presence of the jury and thereby placed themselves in the attitude of antagonizing the opinion of the court, in respect to a question of guilt or innocence of the defendant, and because the withdrawal of such matter, statements, opinions and characterizations (where they were withdrawn) could not, and did not, remove the unwarrantable influence and prejudice thereby injected into the minds of the jurors.

Third—Because the closing argument of the United States attorney was improper in tone, language and manner, and because its tendency was, and its effect must have been, to unduly excite the passions of the jury, and to arouse in them a feeling of hatred and contempt for and prejudice against the defendant, as well as by reason of its said tone, language and manner, as by unjustifiable inferences and deductions from the testimony, and by innuendoes from assumptions of fact not in evidence; and, further, because he argued on evidence excluded by the court.

Fourth—Because it appears that the jury misapprehended and misapplied the instructions of the court, given them on the morning of Saturday, Jan. 2, 1897, when the jury came into court for further instructions, insomuch as they believed, or certain of them believed, that they were then instructed that they must of necessity agree that the minority must of necessity conform to the opinion of the majority, and that it would not be lawful for them to disagree unless they unanimously concurred in disagreeing.

Fifth—Because it appears that certain of the jurors had prejudiced the defendant.

Sixth—Because of the misconduct of certain of the jurors through the trial.

Seventh—Because of the misconduct of certain of the jurors after the case had been given to the jury.

Eighth—Because a certain person, or persons, in the service of the United States, were permitted to, and did, improperly communicate and intermeddle with certain of the jurors during the progress of the trial.

Mr. Ormsby of counsel for the defense then read the specifications in the testimony as to Judge Webb interposing and questioning the witnesses.

At this point there was a long discussion betwen the lawyers and the court, during which Judge Webb stated that he would personally take the responsibility of all he had said from the bench.

District Attorney Hoar said he had caused subpoenas to issue for the witnesses named by counsel for the defense, and he believed most of them were in court then, so he did not think there was any good ground for delay because of the necessity for the presence of witnesses.

Mr. French read a number of authorities bearing on cases which he contended were similar to the one under discussion, and which, he argued, bore out his contention.

District Attorney Hoar replied, and said if the defense were to be permitted to attempt to upset the verdict on mere affidavits, where there would be no opportunity permitted to counsel for the government to cross-examine the witnesses, it would be a travesty on justice.

The court decided to follow the ruling of the court in the case cited by Mr. French—Maddox vs. the United States—in relation to the form of admitting the affidavits as evidence. The affidavits would be admitted.

The court ruled that objections could be made as affidavits were read.

Mr. Ormsby then read the affidavit of James J. Connell of Cambridge. This said that Connell knew Oliver J. Briggs for some years, and that about Dec. 5, 1896, Briggs said "there isn't the least doubt that things are looking bad for Bram, and I believe he is guilty."

The affidavit of Sylvanus G. Coffin of Hyde Park stated that he had conversed with Abel C. Ford, another juror in the Bram trial, on Sunday, Jan. 10, when Ford stated that he had said before being empaneled in the trial that Bram ought to be hung.

The affidavit of Juror Harry J. Booth was objected to by District Attorney Hoar, but admitted.

It stated that on the 18th of December, while passing through the corridor, a bailiff, whose name he believed to be Harrington, said: "Look in your hat."

The deponent did so, and found a slip of paper, on which was written: "Do you want ½ a pint? If so, give me the tip Sat. Morning, and I will put it in your pocket. Red."

A supplementary affidavit of Juror Booth was objected to by the district attorney, but admitted.

It told of experiments of the jury after they had retired to determine whether or not they could look through, as was testified Brown had, the cabin window.

Foreman Jack of the jury was then called by Mr. Cotter, and asked to identify a paper, supposed to be the one shown him by Juror Booth.

Mr. Hoar objected to the introduction of the paper, as it would include a conversation between the jurors in the jury room. This was the merest hearsay, and what passed in the jury room was confidential.

The court directed the witness to answer the question, and he stated that he had seen the paper with Mr. Booth on the second Friday of the trial—Christmas day—or perhaps the Thursday before.

The next question put by Mr. Cotter as to whether the jurors had tried any experiments in the jury room in regard to the plans.

Mr. Hoar objected ,and said he would like to be heard on it.

Judge Webb told him to proceed, and Mr. Hoar proceeded to argue on the point.

In his reply to Mr. Hoar, Lawyer French argued that the testimony they wished to introduce was admissable, and he stated that it was impossible for the jurors to have to try experiments and be able to get anything like intelligent results.

Mr. Hoar replied briefly, and then there was a short consultation of the judges. Judge Webb then announced, as it was apparent the case would have to go on today, an adjournment would be taken until 10 o'clock.

CIVIL ENGINEERS MEET.

Forty-Fourth Annual Convention of the American Society.

New York, Jan. 21.—The 44th annual meeting of the American Society of Civil Engineers was called to order yesterday in the Twenty-third Street Baptist church. The annual reports were read and the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

President, B. M. Harrod, New Orleans; vice presidents, Colonel George H. Mendall, San Francisco, and John F. Wallace, Chicago; treasurer, John Thompson, New York.

The office of secretary is an appointive one, and was not filled at that session.

The new president of the society is a graduate of Harvard university and a member of the Mississippi river commission.

Colonel Mendall recently refused the office of chief of engineers of the United States army.

Vice President Wallace is chief engineer of the Illinois Central railroad.

Old Republicans' Rally.

Pittsburg, Jan. 21.—The reunion and rally of the "Formers of the Republican party and the veterans of 1853" held last evening in old city hall, in celebration of the 84th anniversary of the birth of General John C. Fremont, was a meeting long to be remembered in the political history of this city. Notwithstanding the inclement weather old city hall was filled with an audience enthusiastic with the sentiment of the occasion. Letters of commendation of the movement to commemorate the birth of General Fremont, and regret at their inability to be present, have poured in upon the secretary from distinguished men of the country. Among them were letters from Hon. William McKinley, Garrett A. Hobart, Benjamin Harrison, John Sherman, B. B. Foraker, Thomas B. Reed, H. B. S. Pinchback, Mark A. Hanna, General Felix Angus, Matthew Stanley Quay and many others. Joseph Abel, president of the association, opened the meeting, and Mayor Ford made the address of welcome, responded to by Hon. Thomas M. Marshal.

Canovas Disappointed.

London, Jan. 21.—The correspondent at Paris of the Daily News says: "During the negotiations with the United States last week, Senor Canovas (the Spanish premier) was surprised and dismayed to receive an intimation from Washington that Secretary Olney would have no time to settle the Cuban question and that he would leave President McKinley's hands free to deal with it. Two days later Senor Canovas issued an official denial that negotiations were proceeding. It is a great blow to Senor Canovas, who has no confidence in General Weyler's ability to suppress the rebellion. He is credited with an intention to resign if General Weyler has not given a deathblow to the revolution by the beginning of the rainy season."

Peffer Dropped Out.

Topeka, Kan., Jan. 21.—William A. Harris of Linwood was nominated for United States senator in the Populist caucus last night on the 35th ballot. Senator Peffer dropped out a few ballots before. Both houses will meet in joint session next Tuesday, when the nominee will be elected United States senator. Mr. Harris is 54 years old and a native of Virginia. He came to Kansas in 1865, and was a Democrat until 1890. During the last 20 years he has been a farmer. In 1892 he was elected by the Populists as congressman at large, and held the place until 1894, being defeated by Representative Blue, the present Republican incumbent.

Turkish Villages Destroyed.

Athens, Jan. 21.—An earthquake has occured at Delvins, Turkish Epirus. Several villages, mostly inhabited by Christians, have been destroyed, and it is feared that many people have perished.

Delvino (or Delhino) is a town of Turkey, province of Albania and district of Epirus. It is situated 47 miles west northwest of Yanina, on a hillslope covered with olive and orange plantations. It has a population of about 10,000 people.

Epirus, meaning "mainland," was a country of ancient Greece; but now corresponds to the southern portion of Albania, in which it is now included.

Wants Divorce From Wife.

Washington, Jan. 21.—Annie M. Bradley has been sued for divorce by Samuel Bradley. The petitioner is a navigators' writer on the United States steamship Raleigh, and the wife is at Fall River, Mass. The parties were married Sept. 15, 1882, at Fall River, and two children were born.

Ivory Released.

London, Jan. 21.—Edward J. Ivory, alias Bell, the New York saloon keeper who was arrested last September on a charge of conspiring to commit dynamite explosions, has been released. The crown prosecutor withdrew the charges.

IN BOTH HOUSES.

Senate Considers Canal Bill---Yost-Tucker Contest In House.

Washington, Jan. 21.—The senate yesterday proceeded with the consideration of the Nicaragua canal bill, Mr. Turpie continuing his speech in opposition. He has not yet concluded, and today will be the third day of his speech. His remarks yesterday were bitterly antagonistic to the Nicaragua Canal company, the senator characterizing its method as those of Peter Funk. Mr. Morgan will ask to have a time fixed for a final vote as soon as Mr. Turpie closes.

The legislative, executive and judicial appropriation bill, carrying, approximately, $23,000,000, was passed during the day.

Mr. Pettigrew of South Dakota severely criticized the executive authorities for concluding the Venevuela boundary agreement, which, he said, was a complete surrender of Venezuela to Great Britain. His resolution, calling on the secretary of state for information, was referred to the committee on foreign relations.

Unanimous agreement was secured for taking up the bill for an international monetary conference on Tuesday next.

The house spent the day debating the Yost-Tucker contested election case, from the Tenth Virginia district. Much interest was manifested in the case, owing to the fact that the Republicans on the committee which reported the case were divided, four siding with Mr. Tucker, the Democrat, and sitting member, and but two with the Republican contestant, Mr. Yost. The latter is a member-elect of the next house, and Mr. Tucker is one of the most prominent and popular Democrats on the floor. Mr. Tucker had 892 plurality on the face of the returns, but several thousand imperfect ballots were rejected, under the then existing "Walton law" of Virginia, which, the contestant claimed, if counted, would have reversed the result. Mr. Yost himself was accorded the privilege of addressing the house in his own behalf. He was very sarcastic in his reference to the Democratic election of officials of the Old Dominion, characterizing them as "chivalrous Virginians, who assaulted the mentally weak and unarmed and robbed them of their rights." The others who spoke were Messrs. Codding (Rep., Pa.) and Jenkins (Rep., Wis.), in behalf of Mr. Tucker, the sitting member, and Messrs. Grosvenor (Rep., O.) and Daniels (Rep., N. Y.), for Mr. Yost, the contestant. The debate will close this afternoon. Mr. Tucker probably will addres the house in his own behalf, and Mr. McCall, chairman of the committee, will close, in support of the majority report, confirming Mr. Tucker's right to the seat. Both sides profess confidence, and the vote probably will be close.

Olney Explains Treaty.

Washington, Jan. 21.—Secretary Olney, in a two hours' interview with the committee on foreign relations, explained the arbitration treaty, answering all objections raised against it, and members of the committee say now that the treaty will be reported favorably, but with radical amendments. The committee will not meet again until next Wednesday, when it is expected to take action. In elaborating his statement that the Monroe doctrine would not come within the terms of the general treaty of arbitration, Mr. Olney told the committee that it was well understood by the negotiators of the convention that all questions relating to the foreign policy of either government were not intended to be included in the terms of the treaty. It is understood, however, that when pressed on the subject of the Nicaraguan canal, Mr. Olney said that if Great Britain sought to make an issue on that subject growing out of the terms of the existing Clayton-Bulwer treaty, it would probably come within this general treaty, under that clause which provides for the settlement of disputes between the two governments arising "under treaties or otherwise."

Killed by Her Own Love Letter.

Shamokin, Pa., Jan. 21.—Miss Helen Musgrave, a pretty young woman of Cameron township, is dead, as a result of blood poisoning, brought about by moistening an envelope with her tongue in sealing a letter intended to end a lovers' quarrel. The letter was meant for her former lover, Herman Shultz of Pittsburg, in the hopes of bringing about a reconciliation. While sealing it she cut an artery in her tongue. But little attention was paid to the cut, and it apparently healed up. Last Friday, however, it began to swell and became rapidly worse, until her death. Meanwhile the letter had reached its destination, and Shultz arrived at her bedside in time to become reconciled to her before she died.

First College to Admit Women.

Appleton, Wis., Jan. 21.—Lawrence university of Appleton celebrated yesterday the semi-centennial of its founding. The university was founded by Amos A. Lawrence of Boston, and was chartered by the Wisconsin territorial legislature Jan. 17, 1847. The present city of Appleton grew up as a result of the location of the college in the then wilderness. Lawrence was the first college established in Wisconsin, and the first college in the United States to admit women to equal privileges with men. The celebration began with an illumination and a meeting in the college chapel.

His Neck Broken.

Laconia, N. H., Jan. 21.—Joseph Dockham, aged 45 years, who was engaged in cutting ice at Lake Paugus, near Lakeport, yesterday afternoon, was instantly killed by a fall. He was on the ice run, 25 feet from the ground, when he slipped and fell headlong upon a pile of ice below. His neck was broken and his skull fractured. He leaves a widow, three children, a brother and four sisters.

Want Treaty Confirmed.

London, Jan. 21.—The British Foreign Arbitration association has instructed an American delegate to go to Washington and present a petition, praying that the senate shall confirm the Anglo-American arbitration treaty.

Lillian Ashley Loses.

San Francisco, Jan. 21.—Superior Judge Slack yesterday decided against Lillian Ashley, who sued E. J. (Lucky) Baldwin, the turfman and millionaire ranch and hotel owner, for $100,000, for alleged seduction.

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You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Dedham, in said County of Norfolk, on the seventeenth day of February, A. D., 1897, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Quincy DAILY LEDGER, a newspaper published in Quincy, the first publication to be thirty days at least before said Court.

Witness, George White, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this thirteenth day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven.

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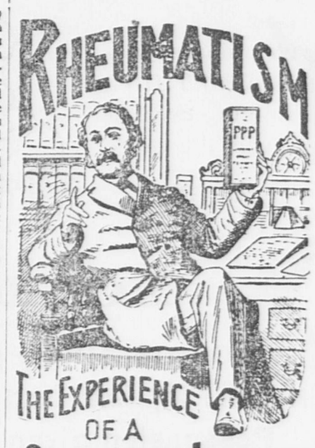
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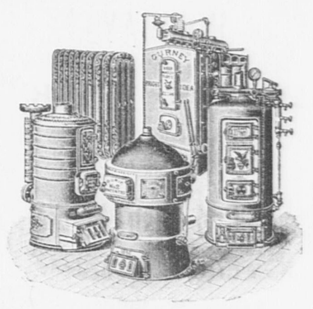
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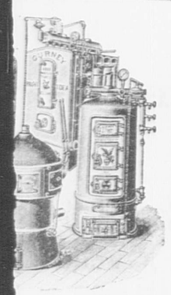
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TO RUN ON SHORT TIME.

Agreement of Fall River Manufacturers to Curtail Production.

Other New England Mills Asked to Join.

Mills to Run Forty-Two Hours a Week From February 1 to May 1.

Fall River, Mass., Jan. 22.—An appreciable curtailment of the production of cotton cloth of the various descriptions and goods made by Fall River mills is not only impending, but almost a certainty. This was practically the announcement made after yesterday's general meeting of the Cotton Manufacturers' association.

President Andrew Borden presided, and only the curtailment subject was discussed, for which the meeting was called, in view of so much talk among the manufacturers and brokers for a fortnight. The mills represented were: The American Linen, Anawan, Barnard, Border City, Bourne, Chace, Cornell, Durfee, Fall River Manufactory, Flint, Granite, Mechanics', Merchants', Metacomet, Pocasset, Richard Borden, Robeson, Sagamore, Shove, Slade, Stafford, Tecumseh, Troy, Union, Wampanoag and Weetamoe.

Before the meeting ended a paper was circulated, and the first signature was that of M. C. D. Borden, owner of the Fall River Iron Works company, representing a quarter of million of spindles, pledging the signers to a curtailment of product, to be secured by shutting down the mills for two days a week, making 42 hours, instead of 58 hours, per week, from Feb. 1 until May 1, or 13 weeks. The provision is that 3,500,000 spindles be represented on the agreement.

Secretary Rounseville stated, in an interview, later, that, while the papers are largely signed, several mill men held off until they were instructed by the directors. The executive committee will take charge of the movement and will try to get co-operation from manufacturers in New Bedford and Rhode Island. On the strength of representations made at the meeting, citing conference by local agents with agents in other places, the curtailment will be general. It is necessary to secure outside signers to bring in the required number of spindles to make the plan operative. Fall River alone will present 2,000,000 spindles in favor of the curtailment.

The present weekly production of this city is 220,000 pieces. The short time will cut out about 60,000 pieces, or nearly a million pieces in the aggregate, for the 13 weeks. Brokers say this will bring the needed relief, and they advise the adoption of the plan, and believe that it will come.

The Manchester Mills.

Manchester, N. H., Jan. 22.—Agents here have been seen, and would have little to say concerning the alleged curtailment. They are not directly affected, however, by the Fall River mills' action. At present the mills of Manchester are running on full time. Agent Herman F. Straw states that he has received no authority yet to curtail working hours, and until something definite is received matters will continue as they are.

Situation In Lewiston.

Lewiston, Me., Jan. 22.—Inquiries at cotton mills in Lewiston show that the agents have made no plans for a curtailment, neither do they expect the Fall River curtailment to effect the mills here.

Lowell Mills Will Not Curtail.

Lowell, Mass., Jan. 22.—While Lowell mills are feeling the effects of the stagnant market for cotton goods, the agents here state that they do not anticipate an immediate curtailment.

ONE JUROR DISAPPEARS.

Harry J Booth of Bram Case Missing---The Fight In Court.

Boston, Jan. 22.—The fight for a new trial for Thomas Bram was continued yesterday in the United States court in the federal building with unabated zeal on the part of counsel for the defense.

The hearing was begun promptly at 10 o'clock a. m., judges, counsel and defendants all being on hand in good time. What with jurors and newspaper men on the stand and a constant fire of objections to the admission of evidence, the day's proceedings were very interesting.

The chief point that came out at the morning hearing was that the statement made by Juror Briggs when being examined by Lawyer Cotter as to his qualifications for service on the jury, to the effect that he had not either formed or expressed an opinion on the case was at variance with the fact. The evidence of two witnesses went to show that before being drawn on the Bram jury he had expressed his belief in the guilt of the mate of the Herbert Fuller.

Another interesting fact brought to light by the testimony of John F. Bentley was that Juror Harry J. Booth, who is employed by the witness, could not be found.

The principal features of the afternoon were the admission of evidence proving that the marshals in attendance on the jury ate their meals in the jury room at the same table as the jurors, after the case had been finally submitted, and that the waiters who brought the food from the restaurant were in and out of the jury room for a period varying, according to Deputy Marshal Ruhl, from 15 to 30 minutes at each meal.

Somewhat of a sensation was caused near the close of the afternoon session, when Mr. Cotter asked for an adjournment at 4 p. m. until this morning at 10 a. m. to give him an opportunity of serving subpoenas on two witnesses resident in Cambridge, whose testimony he believed would have an important bearing on the fitness of one of the jurors to serve on the trial.

FOUR ARRESTS MADE.

Lynn Authorities Prosecute Promoters of "Seeley" Show.

Lynn, Mass., Jan. 22.—The arrest of four men last night is the confirmation from police headquarters of a spicy and sensational incident in this city Wednesday night. The men are Frank E. Berry, a shoe cutter, Otis Page, a painter, Ernest F. Haskell and William H. Holmes, dealer in shoe supplies, and the charge against them is that of promoting an amusement enterprise without a license, in Montrose Temple hall.

This entertainment was designed to be a reproduction on a small scale of the now famous Seeley dinner, a recent incident in New York life.

As the story is told, a number of the members of the Montrose lodge of Good Templars arranged for a smoke talk, or what was announced as a "stag party." It was quietly given out that there would be a merry time, and about 150 men were present. But the police had been quietly informed that the entertainment would exceed the bounds of decorum and possibly decency. Accordingly Sergeant O'Brien and a squad went out to attend the party. But they missed their way for some time, by reason of misdirections, reaching Montrose hall just when the fun was waxing fast and warm.

The main feature of the party, and the one which has caused trouble for some of the men at it, was two young colored women who gave a few of the dances which were features of the Midway Plaisance. Their first appearance was in sheets, in lieu of more substantial apparel. Their success as dancers was instantaneous, and encores were in demand. More than this, something more artistic for art's sake was called for, and a committee appointed to wait upon the young women to see if their other numbers might be danced without sheets. The dancers acquiesced, on condition that art should have its reward by a contribution from the audience. It was just at this stage when the officers came in to be spectators. Confusion reigned as the "altogether" young women gathered up their garments and left, while the police checked off the names of many of the audience. Arrests have been hourly expected, and more are anticipated. The men arrested are said to be the committee who arranged the party. Members of the lodge who were not at this special event are highly indignant at its developments.

Back In Jail Again.

Laconia, N. H., Jan. 22.—The five prisoners who broke out of the Belknap county jail Wednesday night are again safe in their cells, and, in fact, the men are only too glad to be in warm, and somewhat comfortable, quarters. Two of the men returned of their own accord, impelled by force of circumstances. The other three were rounded up last night in the state camp at Hog island. Peter McAuley, in descending from the roof, sustained a fracture of the ankle. Peter Driscoll stayed behind to help McAuley, while the other three scattered. Driscoll got the injured man into the woods and stayed until it was evident that McAuley was in too bad a condition to get away. They then returned to the jail and received a hearty welcome.

Maine Caught It.

Portland, Me., Jan. 22.—The storm here yesterday was very severe, and the damage done to the wharf property in the harbor will probably aggregate several thousand dollars. The tides were higher than they have been for 11 years, and the undertow in the harbor swept everything movable before it. The lower harbor is filled with vessels, and none of the coastwise steamships sailed. Many schooners moored at their docks here suffered minor injuries from knocking against the wharves.

Belfast, Me., Jan. 22.—The worst blizzard of snow, sleet and rain of the season raged here all Wednesday night and yesterday. The water in the bay was so rough that island boats were unable to make their return trip.

Founded Greenhalge Club.

Boston, Jan. 22.—Nearly a hundred of the personal and political friends of the late Governor Greenhalge met at the Parker house last night and formed the Greenhalge club. General E. R. Champlin, a warm friend of the late governor, presided, and stated that the object of the club was to revere his memory. The officers of the club were then elected as follows: President, General Curtis Guild, Jr.; vice president, General E. R. Champlin; secretary, Colonel W. M. Bunting; treasurer, W. R. Evans; executive committee, the vice president, George F. Lawton, W. F. Ryder, Colonel Charles Kenny and Lucius Tuttle; auditors, General A. O. Davidson and C. H. Allen.

Harvard Boat Crew.

Cambridge, Mass., Jan. 22.—George Mumford coached the Harvard oarsmen in the tank yesterday afternoon, devoting special attention to blade work, and emphasizing the importance of the blade entering the water promptly at the full reach. J. F. Perkins was in his place at No. 6 again, but only rowed a short time, as his knee still troubles him. The order of the crew was: Stroke, Bull; 7, Goodrich; 6, J. F. Perkins (Moulton); 5, J. H. Perkins; 4, Sprague; 3, Hollister; 2, Thomson; bow, Boardman.

Found Dead on Husband's Grave.

Machias, Me., Jan. 22.—Yesterday Nancy Huntley, a widow, who lived alone in a small house, just outside of Cutler village, was found lying on her husband's grave, frozen to death. Before leaving her house she set fire to it in several places, without effect. Mrs. Huntley had been mildly insane since the death of her husband several years ago.

Railroad Employe Killed.

Rutland, Vt., Jan. 22.—Frank Eddy, an employe of the Bennington and Rutland railroad, was instantly killed yesterday by a train at Clarendon. His body was badly mangled. He was 25 years old and unmarried.

Detriot's Mysterious Assaulter.

Boston, Jan. 22.—A. M. Thayer, who is supposed to be the mysterious villain who assaulted many girls in Detriot, was arrested here yesterday. Detroit officers will arrive to identify Thayer, if possible.

INDORSED BY EDMUNDS.

Ex-United States Senator Believes In Arbitration Treaty.

Replies to Criticism of the Agreement.

Says Monroe Doctrine Is In No Wise Affected. About Umpire.

Philadelphia Jan. 22.—Following is a letter by ex-Senator George F. Edmunds in reply to a request for his opinion on the new arbitration treaty. The letter is written to C. C. Harrison, provost of the University of Pennsylvania.

Philadelphia, Jan. 20, 1897.

My Dear Sir: I have yours of yesterday concerning the arbitration treaty, and am very willing to answer your inquiry, if my opinion is of any interest to you. The three principal criticisms of the treaty are:

First, that it commits this government to submitting to arbitration questions that may arise in connection with the Monroe doctrine. With sincere respect for the gentlemen who, it is said, have suggested this objection, I think that it is quite unfounded, and that those who have advanced it must have failed to observe the careful language used in the treaty. The words upon which the criticism is based are found in Article IV., as follows:

"All other matters in difference, in respect of which either of the high contracting parties shall have rights against the other under the treaty or otherwise." What, then, are "rights against the other" in the theory of the municipal, state and of all its autonomy? The rights of one citizen against another are essentially and exclusively those things that the law of the state enjoins upon each in regard to the other. This is the whole definition. Precisely the same is true in international law and the centuries of intercourse between nations. This, I believe, all writers on national law and international law agree in. To illustrate these propositions: I take it that the United States has no right against Great Britain in regard to her operations in Abyssinia, nor would she have any rights against us if we were to attempt to share in the partition of Africa. In the case of Turkey, if we were to seize the whole of Asia Minor and establish peace and order there (as the British have done, in substance in Egypt), we should have invaded no right of any power except Turkey. The same is, of course, true in respect of our relations and conduct with the states of the western hemisphere under the Monroe doctrine, or under any other policy that we may think is just to adopt. It was, then, the clear and perfectly understood distinction between the rights of one nation against another and their interests and policies in regard to other nations that doubtless led to a separate treaty in regard to the Venezuelan question, for both governments knew that the affair could not possibly come within the scope of the general treaty. You will see, therefore, that the phrase of the treaty which is criticised is the most apt, possibly, to mark the boundary of arbitration, and that it leaves the Monroe doctrine unaffected.

The second objection is the fear that the treaty may affect our attitude in regard to the Nicaragua canal, in which the interests of the United States are so deeply concerned. What I have already said disposes of that solicitude. I have not time to go into detail about it.

The third and last objection I have heard is the supposed danger of leaving it to any European power to name an umpire in certain contingencies. It is enough to say that, so far as our considerable experience has gone in such matters, we have never had occasion to complain of the action of any sovereign in naming an umpire or in deciding a dispute. In the great arbitration treaty of 1871, we agreed that three members of the Geneva tribunal should be named by three sovereigns, two of them European, and that if any or all of these sovereigns should fail to name these members, the King of Sweden should name them all. And, in the same treaty, we did not hesitate to submit the very important question of our boundary on the Pacific coast to the Emperor of Germany.

I am an intense supporter of the Monroe doctrine. I believe the building of the Nicaragua canal under the auspices of the United States to be of urgent necessity. I believe most earnestly in international arbitration to the utmost extent that civilized, just and self-respecting nations can go; and I most earnestly hope that the senate will ratify the treaty, as it is proposed, as the first step—very great and auspicious—toward the attainment of peace among nations.

(Signed) Geo. F. Edmunds.

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NOTICE is hereby given that the third meeting of the creditors in the case of the Quincy Cycle Company of Quincy, in said County, an insolvent debtor, will be held at the Court of Insolvency, at Dedham in said County, on the first WEDNESDAY of April, A. D., 1897, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at which meeting creditors may be present and prove their claims. The Assignees will present their account at said meeting, and creditors may appear and object to the allowance of the same.

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Two Weeks' Temperature.

	This Week.	Last Week
Sunday	37	43
Monday	45	42
Tuesday	10	31
Wednesday	22	20
Thursday	45	30
Friday	40	33
Saturday	—	36

The Predictions.

In New England it will probably be colder Saturday afternoon or night and Sunday, with winds from west and northwest. While some cloudiness is probable, the weather now promises generally fair Saturday and fair Sunday.

What Wilt Thou Have Me to Do?

A heart-searching sermon on this question, addressed principally to Christians, was given by Evangelist Clayton in the Presbyterian church on Water street Thursday evening. He said that it is being noticed this winter by Christian workers everywhere that the attendance at evangelistic services is principally made up of church members. Thus they come and receive much for themselves, but are not instrumental in leading others into the places where they may hear the Gospel preached. But love for Christ cannot be separated from love for souls, and love is the fountain of service. He asked Christians to consecrate themselves for service, and to pray all together: "Lord, what wilt thou have me to do?" Several nonconfessors expressed their desire to lead a Christian life. Miss Goldthwait of Boston, from the New England Evangelistic association, sang persuasively, two consecration hymns. She will assist henceforward in the meetings. Come tonight, and bring some of your unconverted friends with you.

The Depot Changes.

Those who use the telegraph will be pleased to know that from this out messages can be sent and received at the Quincy depot at all hours of the day and up to 12 o'clock every night, including Sundays, when the telegraph office is open until after the arrival of the late trains. This important service has been brought about by the recent changes at the Quincy depot. The N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R. has assumed control of all the telegraphic wires along its system and is putting in its own operators.

At the Quincy depot the telegraph instruments have been moved into the ticket office. Two operators are employed, they also serving as ticket sellers; one for day duty and one for night duty. Mr. Coffin's position is still that of station agent and he therefore has general supervision over all. The old telegraph office will be fitted up for his private office.

The other changes were made in the way of economy and it is understood that Mr. Langley will go back on the road again in the spring.

Our Almshouse.

The Quincy almshouse was visited by an agent of the State Board of Lunacy and Charity in 1896, and the criticism of the board in its annual report may be of interest:

"The almshouse here remains unchanged. No proper separation of the sexes is secured. There is a bath-room, but it is used by the inmates only as they choose. Heating and ventilation are good, and the house is clean and orderly. The premises have been improved by discontinuing the use of the front yard as a city dump, but the swill nuisance in the rear continues. There are accommodations for nearly twice the present number of inmates. The warden distributes supplies to the outside poor of the city from the almshouse stores. There are twelve inmates, of whom one man is insane. The warden and matron have a salary of $500. Receipt of abstract of visitor's report not acknowledged."

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The annual balls of Mt. Wollaston lodge of Odd Fellows continue to be the grand event of the year, but they would be much more successful if held in a grand opera house. It is on occasions like these that indignation is expressed because Quincy has not a few public spirited citizens who will build a large hall, even though the return was but four or five per cent. On this occasion Guy's Coliseum was decorated with flags and bunting but it is almost impossible to make it attractive. However there was a crowd present, as many or more than could be comfortably accommodated.

From eight to nine o'clock there was a concert by Towne's orchestra, including vocal and instrumental numbers. The reception committee were Mr. John W. Nash, Mr. Aubrey R. Keith, Mr. Henry A. Willey, Mr. Alexander Shirley, Mr. Charles B. Tilton, Mr. James Thompson and Mr. Thomas Clare.

The dancers waited rather impatiently for the ball to open, but all was activity when the grand march and circle were announced, and over one hundred couples participated; as many more enjoying the scene. The march was led by the floor director, Mr. Joseph P. Prout, and Miss Grace L. Morton of Medford, assisted by Mr. Henry L. Kincaide and Miss Kincaide, Mr. Nathan Ames and wife, Mr. W. R. Thomas and Miss Thomas, Mr. F. W. Folsom and Miss Jennie Crowell, Mr. William Westland and wife, Mr. G. Frank Tarbox and Miss Tarbox, Mr. Joseph Alden and Miss Bertha Richards. It was an imposing army which these eight couples led "company front."

Dancing continued until after 2 A. M., with the exception of an intermission about midnight for supper. There were twenty numbers on the order, but most of the round dances were encored, and the programme lengthened.

An excellent menu was spread by Tufts, of Boston, and was pronounced the best for some years.

Floor Director Prout had as assistant directors, Mr. Henry L. Kincaide and Mr. Charles L. Hammond, and there was an efficient corps of aids.

Much of the success of the annual gathering was due to the committee of arrangements: Wilmot L. Spooner, William Westland, Charles L. Hammond, Edward L. Goodridge, Henry L. Kincaide, Henry P. Kittredge and E. Frank Mitchell.

An "S" Supper.

A very enjoyable sociable was given at the Wollaston Unitarian vestry on Thursday evening. An "S" supper was served. It was very appetizing. This is what the large crowd of people ate:

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Mrs. Arthur Sibley, Mrs. Charles R. Sherman, Mrs. Eugene H. Sprague, and Mrs. W. E Simmons, were the "S" committee who made such a success of the affair.

A Power in Song.

Some who were present at the Evangelistic service in the Presbyterian church Thursday evening said of the solos of Miss Goldthwait that they preached sermons of the gospel. This is a witness to the reality of Christian consecration. Had this young lady, who is one of the workers of the New England Evangelistic Association, sung the same pieces when she was studying for the concert stage, people would have said, "How beautiful." Now that she has consecrated her voice to the Master's praise they say, "How beautiful is the gospel. Miss Goldthwait will sing of Christ's love and power to save while these special services continue which will be at least until next Thursday, Saturday excepted.

Officers Installed.

Puritan Council, No. 6, Jr. O. U. A. M., held its installation of officers Thursday evening at Wilson's hall and following is the the list:

Past Councillor,—Arthur Ryder.
Councillor,—George Bean.
Vice Councillor,—G. S. Waterhouse.
Recording Secretary,—John Bent.
Assistant Recording Secretary,—George Phillips.
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Inside Sentinel,—F. B. Gould.
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—The management of the Brockton fair are already out with dates for 1897; viz Oct. 6, 7, 8 and 9.

CHURCH MEMBERS.

Many Well-Known Residents Connected with Bethany Church.

A revised list of the members of Bethany Congregational church was submitted at the annual church meeting on Wednesday evening and will be of interest to many.

It will be seen that two of the present members have been affiliated with the church since 1833, about 44 years, and another 41 years. The church was established in Quincy as the Evangelical Congregational church in 1831. Services were first held in the Town Hall, and then in a small hall. In 1832 there were but 21 members. Rev. William M. Connell was the first pastor, he being installed in 1834.

In 1874 Rev. Edward Norton became the pastor and the greatest growth in the church has taken place since as will be seen by the date of admission against each name:

Miss Judith Spear	1833
Mrs. Susan Whitney	"
Miss Louisa Nightingale	1836
Mrs. Mary A. Whiting	1842
Mrs. Mahala P. Veazie	"
Mrs. Lydia L. Trask	"
George S. T. Whiting	1843
James S. Baxter	1854
Mrs. Julia A. Mitchell	"
Dea. Franklin Hardwick	"
Mrs. Theodosia O. Hardwick	"
Dea. Elbridge Clapp	1857
Mrs. Martha Clapp	"
Mrs. Elizabeth C. Gray	"
Miss Ellen M. Hersey	"
Miss Lucia Hardwick	1862
Mrs. Mary E. Alden	1863
Miss Martha C. Bowditch	"
Mrs. Elizabeth A. Baxter	"
Miss Abbie Vinton	"
Mrs. Jane Gilbert	"
Miss Emeline Hewins	1864
H. Walter Gray	"
Mrs. Mary A. Colby	1865
Mrs. Mary E. Taber	"
Mrs. Ruth Williams	1866
Miss Hattie M. Pratt	"
Dea. Richard D. Chase	1868
Herbert Reed	"
Mrs. Harriet Curtis	"
Mrs. Susan F. Chase	"
Charles L. Badger	1870
Miss Ella Williams	"
Mrs. Abbie F. P. Mitchell	1871
Mrs. Mary A. Thayer	1872
Mrs. Etta F. Stock	1873
Joseph W. Lagalle	1874
Mrs. Joseph W. Lagalle	"
Mrs. Edward Spear	"
Mrs. Elizabeth W. Pratt	"
Miss Blanche M. Thayer	"
T. H. Wason	"
Mrs. Anna W. Wason	"
Miss Amelia L Bumpus	"
Miss Cora Young	"
Mrs. Hattie Southworth	"
Mrs. Sarah Johnson	"
Rev. Edward Norton	"
Mrs. Jennie S. Norton	"
Warren G. Comey	"
Mrs. Mary E. Comey	"
Mrs. Mary E. Sampson	"
Theodore Gullickson	"
Mrs. Susan P. Savary,	1875
Mrs. Elizabeth A. Beckford	"
Jonathan Dinnie	"
Mrs. Mary A. Bailey	"
Mrs. Amander M. Willis	"
Theophilus King	"
Mrs. Helen L. King	"
Christian Thordsen	"
Mrs. Lucretia S Bent	1876
John Evans	"
Charles S Whiting	1877
Mrs. E M Nightingale	"
Mrs. S M Gilbert	"
Mrs. S Lizzie Perry	"
Miss A M Wheble	"
William H Mitchell	1878
Simeon Scammell	"
Mrs. Mary Scammell	"
Mrs. Jane Evans	"
David Roberts	"
Mrs. Fannie T Roberts	"
Edward P Howland	1879
Thomas B Tilton	"
Mrs. Martha L Kingman	"
John Jennings	"
Mrs. John Jennings	"
Mrs. H E C Burns	"
Miss S J E Bergendahl	"
Miss Mary F Curtis	"
Miss Ella A Wheble	"
Miss Grace McKinnen	"
Mrs. James F Coolidge	1880
Miss Kate McQuarrie	"
Alexander Fairweather	"

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Notes from Quincy Point, Wollaston, Atlantic, South and West, Quincy.

L. M. Pratt & Co. quote very low figures.

A sunlight dance is to be held at Atlantic Washington's birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Pettengill arrived home from their wedding trip Thursday.

A hearing on Metropolitan Boston is advertised for Monday next, at the State House.

The O. T. Rogers Granite Co. held its annual meeting Thursday and reelected its board of directors.

Mrs. F. J. Stewart of Appleton street, who has been seriously ill, is reported as being a little better.

The Ward Two members of the City Council are quite fortunate as regards Council committees.

The Quincy and Boston street railway company is repainting and varnishing its open cars at the power station.

Skating continues to be fairly good at the pond off South street, as the rain of Thursday did not affect it much.

The twenty-fourth anniversary of that honored institution, the Pickwick club, was fittingly observed on Monday evening.

John Phelan and Thomas F. Ferguson took part in the drama Octoroon which was presented at Hingham Thursday evening.

It was expected that the Gridley Bryant school would be open for public inspection Saturday, but it has been postponed one week.

The managers of the Hurdy Gurdy party, announce with pleasure that it netted fifty dollars for the charity fund of the Fragment society.

It is reported that attempts were made by burglars last Sunday night to enter the houses of N. O. Parker and Howard Gannett at Wollaston.

C. A. Howland and John Shaw of this city were at the organization of the new Greenhalge club at the Parker house, Boston, on Thursday evening.

The prominence of the principals in the forthcoming "mock trial" at the Washington Street Congregational church is such as to ensure success to the affair.

Tonight the regular prayer meeting of Calvary Baptist church at the chapel at 7.30 o'clock. All are welcome to these services; choir meets at the close of meeting.

J. B. Foster, who has been quite sick, has arrived home from New Hampshire almost entirely recovered. His friends were pleased to see him at the Odd Fellows ball.

Capt. Charles N. Hunt of this city was on Thursday reelected president of the association of Co. H, 39th regiment, at the annual meeting at the Crawford House, Boston.

At the whist party by the members of Granite City club on Wednesday evening, Mr. R. D. Gordon took the first prize, having a score of over eighty per cent., and Mr. Clarence Burgin, the second prize.

The Elliot club was entertained by Mrs. A. G. Olney at her home on Grand View avenue, Wollaston, on Wednesday evening. The programme, which was in charge of Mrs. H. T. Whitman, was literary and musical.

The contest at the coming annual meeting of the Quincy Yacht club over the election of a House Committee promises to be a warm one. There are twelve candidates in the field, but only seven can attain the honors.

T. B. Davenport, who was taken suddenly ill, Thursday, is reported as being better this morning. He was threatened with a fever but it is thought that it has been broken up and that he will be out again in a few days.

J. W. Wilbur, the owner of the Quincy Park property, has five houses in the process of erection on the property, several of which are nearly completed. It is also said that as soon as spring opens that several more will be commenced.

The readiness with which the members are taking tickets for the Ladies' night of Philedian Senate, Feb. 3, assures success. The entertainment will consist of vocal selections, readings, violin, cornet and piano solos, to be followed by dancing.

A large number of Quincy and West Quincy people journeyed to Hingham Thursday evening to be present at the presentation of "The Octoroon" by a dramatic club connected with St. Paul's church, of which Rev. A. F. Roche is pastor.

Among those from Quincy who will attend the annual banquet of the Boston Press club at the American house, Boston, next Tuesday are Mayor Adams, Commissioner Knowlton, Clarence Burgin, Henry H. Faxon and the local newspaper correspondents.

The Alpine Male quartette, consisting of William J. Geary, William H. Owen, B. J. Lynch and Walter R Hall gave a pleasing concert at the Memorial church Wednesday evening, assisted by Miss Mabel Burr, Miss Gertrude Austin and Mr. Sweeney of Boston.

The granite Railway Co. elected these officers at its annual meeting held on Thursday: William R. Sewall, president; John W. Leighton, vice-president; J. Albert Simpson, clerk and treasurer; George E. Dodd, J. Albert Simpson, Henry E. Sheldon, Robert B. Williams, John R. Bullard, directors.

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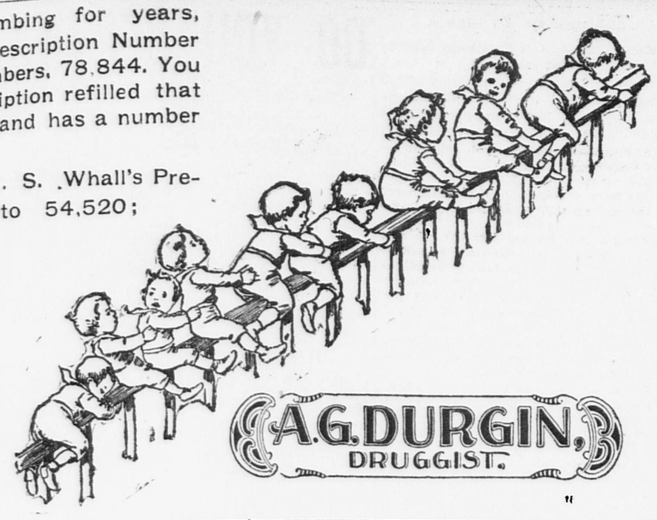


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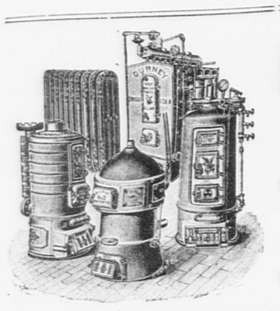
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Cost of Schools.

The State valuation for 1895 was $2,545,348,993. The amount expended for wages of teachers, fuel, care of rooms and transportation of children was $2.89 on each thousand dollars of this valuation, or $7,360,413.38,—an increase of $420,470.42; for supervision, $316,674.07,—an increase of $7,020.08; for text-books and supplies, $522,652 91,—a decrease of $98,126.19; for new schoolhouses, $2,400,005.87, — the largest annual expense for this purpose ever incurred, and showing an increase of $729,924.27; for permanent improvements, $505,477.00,—a decrease of $41,644 64; for repairs, $284,175 54, — an increase of $474 93; and for sundries, $247,464 40.

The grand total expended upon the public schools for all purposes, including the foregoing amounts, and an additional amount of $324,605 33 derived from voluntary contributions ($8,320.37), income of local funds ($132,277.89), tax on dogs, etc. ($97,642 05), and the income of the school fund ($86,364 82), reaches the large amount of $4 65 on on each thousand dollars of the State valuation, or $11,829,190.61, which is $1,167,834 39 more than last year.

The cost of the schools per pupil, based on the amount expended for public schools *exclusive* of repairing and erecting schoolhouses ($8,639,532.20) and on the number of children between five and fifteen is $20.70. When based on average membership the cost is $24 73.

The average cost of text-books and supplies, based on average membership, was $1.50 for the year.

Wollaston Branch.

Beginning Monday evening the Wollaston branch of the Young Men's Christian Association, on Brook street, will be open every evening except Sunday from 7 to 9.30 o'clock. Young men over 15 years of age will be cordially welcomed. On Tuesday, Thursday and Saturdays, from 4.15 to 6 o'clock boys from 10 to 15 will be admitted.

On Thursday evening, Jan. 28, there will be a public reception in the rooms, given under the joint auspices of the Young People's Union and the Young Men's Christian Association. The purpose of this is to give the public an opportunity to see the rooms and at the same time give all the privilege of assisting in starting a library. Everyone is invited to bring a new or second hand book, suitable for boys and young men. Money for books and papers will be acceptable. The ladies will furnish light refreshments and an opportunity will be given to see a few of the Sloyd school at work.

Cases Decided.

At Dedham yesterday, before Judge Richardson, and the second jury, a verdict was rendered for the plaintiff for $460 54 in the case of Eagle Polishing Co. against John S. Poole. An action of contract to recover $442, alleged to be due the plaintiff for labor in polishing granite. W. W. Jenness for plaintiff, E. J. Parker for defendant.

In the jury waived session of the superior court at Dedham, before Judge Dunbar, in the case of Gustave B. Bates against L. R. Taber, judgment was entered for the plaintiff for $43 79. This was an action for plumbing done on the Pine Point house, Weymouth. W. W. Jenness for plaintiff; W. A. Morse for defendent.

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—The Supreme Court of Massachusetts has decided on appeal that it is not lawful to walk up and down in front of a man's premises, for the purpose of preventing persons from entering his employment, by intimidation and threats.

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BORN.

STEPHENSON—In Quincy, Jan. 16, a son to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stephenson.

DIED.

MOORE—In North Weymouth, Jan. 20, Mrs. Hannah Moore, wife of Mr. Richard Moore, aged 55 years and 6 months.

DOANE—In Quincy, Jan. 20, Miss Hattie E. daughter of Capt. Ephraim H. and Mrs. Harriet H. Doane, aged 27 years and 25 days.

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SEWER PIPE BIDS.

Quincy Sewer Commissioners Get Some Very Low Bids.

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The Sewer Commissioners opened bids Thursday for the 24-inch cast iron pipe required for the sewer construction. The weight required is 175 pounds per foot, and the quantity as follows: 16,655 feet of straight pipe, 2240 pounds to the ton; 925 feet of curved pipe, 2240 pounds to the ton, and about 3 tons of special castings. The bids were as follows, the first figures being for straight pipe, the second for curved pipe and the third for special castings:

M. J. Drummond, of New York, $20.30, $47 00, $44.00.

Chattanooga Foundry & Pipe Works of Chattanooga, Tenn., $21 28, $47.60, $47.60.

Warren Foundry & Machine Co. of New York, $21.30, $42 00, $42 00.

Charles Millar & Son of Utica, New York, $21.60, $44 80, $44.80.

McNeal Pipe & Foundry Co. of Burlington, New York, $21.00, $44 80, $44.80.

Howard, Harrison Iron Co. of Bessemer, Ala., $22 40, $56.00, $50.40.

Anniston Pipe & Foundry Co. of Anniston, Ala., $22.90, $50.40, $50.40.

R. D. Wood & Co. of Philadelphia, Penn., $22 90, $45 00, $45.00.

The contract was not awarded, but the bids taken under advisement.

As about 1,300 tons of straight pipe are required, a cent per ton amounts to something. It may also be noted that $20.30 per ton of 2,240 pounds is equivalent to $18 12 per ton of 2,000 pounds. It is reported that the lowest price ever paid for pipe in this vicinity was on a contract awarded by the Commonwealth last year at $18.50 per ton of 2,000 pounds. At the lowest bid the cost would be over $9,000 less than if paid for at the rate the city of Brockton paid for its force main.

It seems a very advantageous time to make a contract, and as the payments will be in the future it may be unwise to delay the work.

Thayer Academy.

To the Editor of the Daily Ledger:

I would like to reply to the article inserted in the PATRIOT, taken from the Randolph Register, relating to Prof. Sewall. This article says that Prof. Sewall could not get down to where the boys and girls were (a strange expression) and for that reason unpopularity has sprung up in the last few years in the Thayer Academy.

Whoever wrote the article was ignorant of what he said. Unpopularity in the academy has never arisen for that or any other reason regarding Prof. Sewall.

Also I would say that if ever there was a teacher who "could get down to where the boys and girls were," it was Prof. Sewall; oftentimes sacrificing his own time and convenience to do it, as many scholars, both past and present, of Thayer Academy can testify.

A THAYER ACADEMY STUDENT.

County Laws.

The Committee on Counties of the Legislature continued the hearing on the reform of county laws on Thursday. There was objection raised to advertising for supplies exceeding $300, and $500 was suggested. Further objection was raised to the fiscal year and bonds for the commissioners. Adjourned to Friday.

Civil Trial List.

The following case is marked for trial at the Civil session of the District court next Tuesday: 4787 Dow vs. Braintree & Weymouth street railway company.

—The results of the excessive bowing is that Paris hatters do a larger business than those of any other city. Nothing ruins a hat so quickly as constant bows with it. In London, where men are less polite, a hat lasts twice as long, usually giving way first at the crown, instead of at the nape or brim, as do French hats.

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William Laing	1873
Miss Catherine Ross	"
Mrs. Priscilla R Wheble	"
Edward A Spear	"
F K Damon	"
Mrs. Carrie C Sampson	"
Miss Mabel S Baxter	"
Miss Annie H Kingman	"
Miss Kate S Townsend	"
Mrs. Lillian M Damon	"
Mrs. Margaret D Laing	1884
George H Joslin	"
Mrs. Josephine Joslin	"
Mrs Helen F Fitts	"
James F Merrill	"
Mrs. Hattie B Merrill	"
Alfred C Sampson	"
Miss Bessie L Burns	"
" Helen S Nightingale	"
Mrs. Lydia A Cantley	1885
" Mary J Field	"
Miss C Emma Emerson	"
Reuben S Elliott	"
Alfred R Baxter	"
Delcevare King	"
Jabez Steer	"
Mrs. Eliza D Parker	"
" Jabez Steer	"
" Lillian F Rogers	"
William J. Paschal	"
John C Scott	1886
Mrs. Annie B Scott	"
" John Ross	"
John Ross	"
J Frank Merrill, Jr.	"
Miss May Merrill	"
" Mary E Lavers	"
" Mary Evans	"
Mrs. Melvina A Bailey	"
" Hattie F Fay	"
William H Fay	"
John H Sweetser	1887
Mrs. Mary B Sweetser	"
" Nellie R Myers	"
" Cornelia Elliott	"
" Elizabeth Roberts	"
" Harriet Isaac	"
Lemuel J Myers	"
S G Elliott	"
Miss Cornelia Elliott	"
" Pearl Elliott	"
" Nellie L Mitchell	"
E S Sampson	"
John G Roberts	"
Warren B Haskell	"
Daniel F Bill	"
Miss Grace M Isaac	"
Mrs. Abbie B Spear	"
Miss E Luella Joslin	"
" Annie K Bailey	"
" Marion I Bailey	"
Wm. P Bailey	"
Arthur W Bailey	"
R C Allen	"
James E Myers	1888
Mrs. Louise B Myers	"
Miss Charlotte D Orcutt	"
" Elsie A White	"
David Evans	"
Miss Kate E Evans	"
Miss Annie S Nelson	"
Miss Zayma King	"
Edwin S Beckford	"
Mrs. Maria Beckford	"
Mrs. Annie J Macfarlane	"
Miss Frances M. Orcutt	"
Clarence Hunter	"
Mrs. Annie Hunter	"
Miss Lizzie Roberts	"
Mrs. Clarissa Harris	1889
Mrs. Emma F A Welch	"
Mrs. Ina N Marsh	"
Mrs. Kate McKenzie	"
Miss Caroline Fowles	"
Mrs. Carrie C Parrott	"
John Russell	"
John Lavers	"
Mrs. Isabella Lavers	"
Miss Maria W Stevens	"
James Moorehead	"
Mrs. Wm. Birse	"
Miss Minnie Birse	"
Miss Mona Birse	"
Mrs. Annie Sanderson	"
Dr. C T Sherman	"
Mrs. Angelia M Sherman	"
Miss Laura Hayward	"
Robert Cantley	"
Mrs. Augusta Anderson	1890
Mrs. Jessie Arnold	"
Mrs. Lilla G McIntire	"
Ernest W. Branch	"
Mrs. Fairvilla A. Branch	"
Charles Sampson	"
Miss Clara Merrill	"
Mrs. James Moorehead	"
Mrs. Hannah M Tanner	"
Mrs. Sadie A Elliott	"
Mrs. Charlotte Sargent	1891
Miss Charlotte L Sargent	"
Miss Olive R Sargent	"
Miss Edith P Gray	"
Miss E. Augusta C. Hardwick	"
Mrs. Eliza Webb	"
Miss Mary A Webb	"
Mrs. Eva M. Gragg	"
Wm. W. Parry	"
Wm. H Parry	"
Wm Skinner	"
Mrs. Barbara Skinner	"
Miss Mary F. Sampson	"
Mrs. Carrie E. Parry	"
Miss Mary A Gardner	"
Mrs. F. P. Bennett	"
John Federhen 3d	"
Mrs. Mattie K. Federhen	"
Archibald Patterson	"
Mrs. Ellen Gragg	"
Miss E. May McPhail	1892
Benj. J. Weeks	"
Mrs. Cora L. Weeks	"
Miss Hattie E. Sargent	"
O C Colton,	"
Mrs. Lena B Colton	"
Mrs. Mary A Ryder	"
Miss Lillian E Taylor	"
J H Gordon,	"
Roland L Hughes	"
Mrs. Annie W Badger	"
Mrs. Minnie W Miller	"
Miss Alice F Sampson	"
William T Isaac,	"
Arthur R Fitts	"
Ernest V Fitts	1893
Ernest D Gourd	"
Fred Scammell	"
Charles Scammell	"
E Irving Beal	"
Mrs. Julia A Beal	"
Mrs Ellen E Hitchcock	"
W P Tanner	"
Charles W Miller	"
Harry A Wason	"
Herbert Pratt	1893
Mrs. Alice G Pratt	"
Nathan Weston	"
Mrs. Sophronia A Weston	"
F A Crane	"
Mrs. N Delia Crane	"
H Everett Crane	"
Mrs. Hattie E Baxter	"
" Jennette L Barclay	"
" Ellen Jones	"
Miss Nellie L Saunders	"
Ellis W Roland	"
Walter L Sargent	"
Ezekiel C Sargent	"
Walter C Sampson	"
George A Taylor	"
Albert L Hayden	"
Miss Ida J Cameron	"
" Mabel G McKenzie	"
" Maude W McFarlane	"
" Mary E Fish	"
" Mary E Coyle	"
Thomas H Parsons	1894
Mrs. Mary Hobart	"
Miss Mary A Reed	"
" Maria McPhail	"
" Hattie M Ford	"
William Duff	"
Miss Caroline Hubbard	"
" Fannie F French	"
" Frances C Lance	"
Mrs. Elizabeth Stephens	"
Robert Stephens	"
Robert Shand	"
Mrs. Annie D Shand	"
" William Francis	"
Frank W Crane	1895
Mrs. Jennie M Crane	"
Miss Alice Dunn	"
Mrs. Margaret Jones	"
" Laura A Horton	"
Thomas Pritchard	"
Griffith P Roberts	"
Ralph G. Merrill	"
Robert E Jones	"
Miss Josephine Emery	"
William Birnie	"
Mrs. Harriet H Birnie	"
Chas Taylor	"
Mrs Helen Taylor	"
Rev. Edwin Noah Hardy	"
Mrs. Nellie M Hardy	"
" Annie O'Neal	1896
Miss Martha Heaton	"
Archibald Parsons	"
Miss Ida M Steer	"
David Lloyd Evans	"
Benj R Williams	"
Mrs Mabel L Bridger	"
" David Lloyd Evans	"
" Sarah Evans	"
Geo E Newcomb	"
Mrs Geo E Newcomb	"
John C Murray	"
Mrs Lizzie Murray	"
" Florence A Swingle	"
" Margaret Badger	"
" Merrill	"
" Annie M Hayden	"
John Northcott	"
Richard McConnell	"
William Laing	"
Mrs. Elizabeth Laing	"
" Mary A Webb	"
" Elizabeth Evans	"
James Skinner	"
Mrs. Katherine Skinner	"
Miss Alice J Skinner	"
" Williamina F Skinner	"
" Belle Patterson	"
" Ida L Thomas	1897
" Annie G Williams	"
" Breta F Mitchell	"
" Elizabeth B Merrill	"
" Maggie A Gow	"
Mrs. Mary S Bradbury	"
Carl R Hayward	"
Henry P Hayward	"
Melvin P Hayward	"
Mrs. Annie E Nightingale	"
" Laura Jones	"
Richard Jones	"

TO THE PATRONS
OF THE
Wollaston Steam Laundry

January 16, 1897.

In calling your attention to the fact that Mr. Geo. H. Sampson of Amesbury, Mass., has leased the Wollaston Steam Laundry, and will conduct the same on his own account on and after the 18th inst., I would thank you for past patronage, and bespeak a continuance of the same for Mr. Sampson, who is a thorough laundryman, with a reputation for turning out high grade work.

HORACE P. KENT.

Jan. 16. 2w

NOTICE TO PARENTS.

CITY OF QUINCY.

CITY CLERK'S OFFICE, Dec. 14, 1896.

THE Record of births in any city or town is always more or less unsatisfactory, owing to the fact that the canvasser finds difficulty in getting the necessary information. Names and dates are frequently given incorrectly. The importance of accuracy is shown in many cases where there is a question of descent, or inheritance of property, or collection of life insurance or pensions. The City Clerk's copy of the record is accepted as conclusive evidence in a court of law. While great pains are taken by this office to have the record correct, experience shows that it is necessary that parents themselves should lend their assistance. In fact the law requires that parents shall give notice to the City Clerk of the birth of their children, and provides a penalty for neglect to give such notice for the space of six months.

It often happens that only children or servants are at home when the canvasser makes his call, and the answers to his questions are open to doubt. I therefore request all parents in whose households a birth has occurred in the year 1896, to place upon a paper or card the required information, and keep it in a convenient place until the canvasser appears.

The canvass will be commenced on Jan. 1st 1897.

HARRISON A. KEITH,
City Clerk.

Dec. 14 to Feb. 1. Dec. 19—7w

Remnants of Carpets

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LOST.

LOST A Gold Pin with a Diamond in the centre. The finder will be rewarded by leaving the same at the LEDGER office. Quincy, Jan 22. 1t*

LOST—On 10-10 A. M. train from Quincy Adams to Boston, on Saturday, Jan. 16, a lady's Muff The finder will be rewarded by leaving same at HENRY McGRATH'S. South Quincy, Jan. 18 tf

WANTED.

WANTED—Any kind of work by the day or hour. Will take in family washing. Distance no object. Address or apply, MRS M MOORE, 54 Canal street. Quincy, Jan. 18 6t*

TO LET.

TO LET—One-half house of nine rooms. Apply to WARREN S. PARKER, No 5 Hancock court. Quincy, Jan. 21 tf

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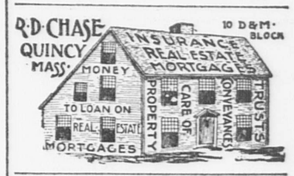
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On and after Friday, Jan. 1, 1897, cars will make trips on week days as follows:

Quincy and Neponset.

Leave CITY HALL for Neponset—6.00 A. M., 6.15, 6.30, 6.45, 7.00, and every 15, 30, 45 and 60 minutes past the hour until 7.00 P. M., then every half hour until 10.50 P. M. Cars leaving Quincy on the hour via. Norfolk Downs, except 6.00 P. M.

Leave NEPONSET—6.22 A. M., 6.37, 6.52, 7.07, 7.22, and every 7, 22, 37 and 52 minutes past the hour until 7.00 o'clock, then every half hour until 11 P. M.; last car for Quincy at 11.15 P. M. Cars leaving Neponset 22 minutes past the hour via. Norfolk Downs.

Quincy and East Weymouth.

Leave CITY HALL (10 minutes later from Quincy Point and 22 minutes later from North Weymouth)—5.45, 6.20, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, 11.20, 11.50 A. M.; 12.20, 12.50, 1.20, 1,50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20 4.50 5.20 (5.30 to East Weymouth car house), 5.50, 6.20, 6.30, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.50 P. M.

Leave EAST WEYMOUTH (20 minutes later from North Weymouth and 30 minutes later from Quincy Point)—6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11, 11.30 A. M.; 12, 12.30, 1, 1.30, 2, 2.30, 3, 3.30, 4, 4.30, 5, 5.30, 6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11.30 P. M.

Quincy and East Milton.

Leave CITY HALL, 5.55, 6.25, then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 8.55 P. M., then at 9.50 and 10.50 P. M.

Leave EAST MILTON, 6.30, 7.00 A. M., then on the hour and half hour until 9.30 P.M., then at 10.20 and 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and Holbrook.

Leave QUINCY for SOUTH BRAINTREE and HOLBROOK at 6.10 and 6.40 A. M., and every 10 minutes past and 20 minutes of the hour until 10.10 P. M. Last car leaves at 10.50 P. M. On Saturdays the last car leaves Quincy at 11.50 P. M.

Returning cars leave HOLBROOK for SOUTH BRAINTREE and QUINCY at 5.55 and 6.25 A. M., and every 25 minutes past and 5 minutes of the hour until 9.55 P.M. Last car leaves Holbrook at 11.30 P. M.

☞ On Sundays on the Weymouth route cars will leave Quincy on the hour and half hour and East Weymouth at quarter past and quarter of the hour.

☞ Special trips can be arranged on application to the Superintendent.

☞ At Quincy Centre close connection is made with Electric Cars on all the routes.

☞ At Neponset close connection is made with West End Street Cars to and from Boston.

☞ Cars are due at Beale street, Wollaston, ten minutes after leaving Neponset and seven minutes after leaving Quincy.

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On and after Jan. 17, 1897, trains will run as follows: (See note of explanation at bottom.)

TO BOSTON. Leave Quincy.	Stops at	Arrive Boston.	FROM BOSTON. Leave Boston.	Stops at	Arrive Quincy
r 6 12 abc	*	6 30	5 53 ihgfedcba	*	6 20 r
r 6 42 abc		7 00	6 30 cba		6 49 r
r 7 12 abc		7 30	7 30 cba		7 49 r
7 29 a		7 48	8 30 cba		8 49 r
r 7 42 abc		8 00	9 30 cba		9 49 r
r 8 12 abc		8 30	10 30 cba		10 49 r
8 29 a		8 45	11 30 cba		11 49 r
r 8 42 abc		9 00	12 00 (xx)		12 16
r 9 12 abc		9 30	12 30 cba		12 49 r
r 10 12 abc		10 30	1 30 cba		1 49 r
r 11 12 abc		11 30	2 30 cba		2 49 r
r 12 12 abc		12 30	3 30 cba		3 49 r
r 1 12 abc		1 30	4 30 cba		4 49 r
1 46 (xx)		2 00	5 00 cba		5 19 r
r 2 12 abc		2 30	5 15 a		5 32
r 3 12 abc		3 30	5 30 cba		5 49 r
r 4 12 abc		4 30	6 00 cba		6 19 r
r 5 12 abc		5 30	6 15 a		6 32
r 6 12 abc		6 30	6 30 cba		6 49 r
r 7 12 abc		7 30	7 00 cba		7 19 r
r 7 41 abcdefghi		8 07	7 30 cba		7 49 r
r 8 08 abcdef		8 30	8 30 fedcba		8 53 r
r 9 12 abc		9 30	9 30 cba		9 49 r
r 10 08 abcdef		10 30	10 30 fedcba		10 53 r
r 10 34 abcdefghi		11 08	11 00 ihgfedcba		11 27 r
r 11 12 abc		11 30	11 30 cba		11 49 r

SUNDAYS.

6 38 abcdef		7 00	4 05 fda		4 23
8 46 (xx)		9 00	7 30 fedcba		7 53 r
r 9 12 abc		9 30	8 30 (xx)		8 45
r 12 16 (xx)		12 30	9 30 ihgfedcba		9 57 r
1 07 abc		1 25	10 30 ihgfedcba		10 57 r
2 16 (xx)		2 30	11 30 (xx)		11 45
r 3 04 abcdefghi		3 30	12 35 cba		12 54
r 4 04 abcdefghi		4 30	1 30 (xx)		1 45
5 16 (xx)		5 30	4 30 cba		4 49 r
r 6 08 abcdef		6 30	5 00 (xx)		5 15
r 9 08 abcdef		9 30	7 00 fedcba		7 23 r
9 38 adf		9 55	10 30 fedcba		10 53 r

*The letters in the same line as the figures stand for different stations and indicate that trains stop, as follows:

a, Wollaston. b, Norfolk Downs c, Atlantic. d, Neponset. e, Pope's Hill. f, Harrison Square. g, Savin Hill. h, Crescent Avenue. i, South Boston. r, Quincy Adams. (xx), Express.

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

NORFOLK, ss. PROBATE COURT.

TO the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin and all other persons interested in the estate of

ELIZA A. TOWNSEND,

late of Brookline, in said County, deceased.

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, has been presented to said Court for probate by Frank A. Townsend of said Brookline, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, without giving a surety on his official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Dedham, in said County of Norfolk, on the third day of February, A. D., 1897, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week for three successive weeks, in the QUINCY DAILY LEDGER, a newspaper published in said Quincy, the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, and by mailing, post-paid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, George White, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this thirteenth day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.
3t 15-22-29

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NO. WEYMOUTH—B. F. Thomas.

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MOON'S PHASES.

New Moon	3	1:03 a. m.	Full Moon	18	8:17 p. m.
First Quarter	10	4:46 p. m.	Third Quarter	25	3:08 p. m.

THE WEATHER INDICATIONS.

ALMANAC, FRIDAY, JAN. 22.
Sun rises—7:06; sets, 4:46.
Length of day—9h. 40m.
Moon rises—9:27 p. m.
Full sea—1:30 a. m.; 1:45 p. m.

Forecast for New England: Fair in southern portion; light rain or snow, followed by fair weather in northern portion; colder westerly winds.

Railroad Firemen In Session.

Cleveland, Jan. 22.—A union meeting of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen, embracing six states, was called to order here yesterday. The meeting was held behind closed doors. One of the most important questions to be taken up is that of the proposed federation of all railroad employes' organizations into one body. This subject will undoubtedly cause a warm debate.

Pierce Statue Sculptor.

Concord, N. H., Jan. 22.—The Pierce statue commission has selected H. J. Ellicott of Washington, as sculptor. Sketch models were submitted by G. Moretti of New York, Carl Conrads and H. J. Ellicott. Previous to the meeting, Stilson Hutchins of Washington offered to subscribe $1000 to the fund, in case Mr. Ellicott was chosen.

Switchman Beheaded.

Bridgeport, Conn., Jan. 22.—Michael J. Dowd, aged 35 and single, a switchman in the Berkshire division yard here, slipped while coupling cars last night and fell across the rail. He was beheaded. His family lives in Palmer, Mass.

Bondsmen's Offer Accepted.

Concord, N. H., Jan. 2.—The city of Concord has decided to accept the offer of the bondsmen of the defaulting tax collector, A. I. Foster of this city, to pay 33 1-3 per cent of the latter's deficiency.

Mrs. Dupont Extradited.

Boston, Jan. 22.—Governor Wolcott yesterday signed requisition papers sent by the governor of New York for Mrs. Annie M. Dupont, who is wanted in New York city on a charge of larceny.

Shriners Initiated.

Lewiston, Me., Jan. 22.—Kora Temple, A. A. O. N. M. S., at its meeting last night, initiated 62 candidates.

You Can Be Well when your blood is rich, pure and nourishing. Hood's Sarsaparilla makes the blood rich and pure and cures all blood diseases, restoring health and vigor.

Hood's Pills are easy to take, easy to operate. Cure indigestion, headache. 25c.

—One of the most wonderful of the feathered inhabitants of South America is the oven bird, which mixes hair with mud and builds its nest in the form of a baker's oven. In this structure there are two compartments, one of which—where the eggs are laid—is high up, so that the birds may hatch their young in a dry place.

For Throat And Lung Troubles, Take AYER'S Cherry Pectoral
Received Highest Awards At World's Fair.
When in Doubt, ask for Ayer's Pills.

MUST BECOME CITIZENS

Immigration Bill Amended to Stop Employment of Aliens.

Violation of Act Incurs Fine and Deportation.

If Passed, Law Will Go Into Effect on July 1. Conference Amendments.

Washington, Jan. 22.—The compromise immigration bill which has been agreed upon by the conferees of the house and senate, and which will come before the two houses for acceptance within a few days, contains several new features which have not heretofore been made public

The first section of the senate bill is retained, which excludes from the United States all persons over 16 years of age who cannot read and write the English language or the language of their native country, but is amended by the words "or resident" before "country," in accordance with a suggestion made by Chairman Bartholdt of the house committee. For the purpose of testing the ability of immigrants to read, it is provided that they shall draw from a box a printed slip containing between 20 and 25 words of the constitution, instead of five lines of it, required by the senate bill, and read these words. A clause is added to the bill that if the slips are not at hand for use the officers shall make the test by the most appropriate and available means at hand, and state in writing the reasons the slips are lacking and the substitute employed.

The plan of Representative Corliss of Michigan for excluding aliens from temporary employment in the United States reads as follows: "That it shall hereafter be unlawful for any male alien who has not in good faith made his declaration before the proper court of record of his intention to become a citizen of the United States to be employed on any public works of the United States or to come regularly or habitually into the United States by land or water, for the purpose of engaging in any mechanical trade or manual labor, for wages or salary, returning from time to time to a foreign country."

"That it shall be unlawful for any person, partnership, company or corporation knowingly to employ any alien coming into the United States in violation of the next preceding section of this act; provided, that the provisions of this act shall not apply to the employment of sailors or deckhands or other employes of vessels or railroad trainhands, such as conductors, engineers, brakemen, firemen or baggagemen, whose duties require them to pass over the frontier to reach the terminus of their run, or to boatmen or guides on the lakes and rivers of the northern border of the United States."

Violations of these sections by aliens or citizens are made misdemeanors punishable by $500 fine or imprisonment not exceeding one year, or both, and persons coming into the country in violation of the sections are to be deported to the country whence they came.

The secretary of the treasury is authorized to permit the entrance of aliens for the purpose of teaching new arts or industries, under such rules as he may provide.

The section of the senate bill exempting from the act persons who may enter from Cuba during the disorders there is retained.

A new section is added to the bill, which follows: "That any alien who shall in violation of this act or any other existing law, secure entry into the United States without inspection or examination, or through mistake, misrepresentation, collusion, deception or fraud, may be taken into custody by the properly authorized immigration officers within 30 days after the facts become known to them, and such alien, upon a special inquiry at the most convenient place, conducted according to section 5 of the immigration act of March 5, 1893, shall be dealt with as provided by law for alien immigrants upon their first arrival."

Instead of taking effect three months after its passage, the bill is amended to take effect July 1, 1897.

IN SENATE AND HOUSE.

Washington, Jan. 22.—The senate was on the verge of a deadlock yesterday, and for a time there were prospects of a protracted test of endurance, extending the session late into the night. Morgan, in charge of the Nicaraguan canal bill, was determined to secure time for a final vote. This was resisted, however, by Turpie and Vilas. Thereupon, Morgan announced that he would ask the senate to "sit out" the bill, remaining in continuous session until a vote was forced. This evoked sharp criticism. Vilas finally made a dilatory motion, which, on a roll call, disclosed the absence of a quorum, and Morgan was obliged to give up his plan, although he expects to execute it if an agreement for a vote is not reached.

During the day Chandler presented the credentials of John Edward Addicks, claiming the vacant seat as senator from Delaware. The claim of Henry A. Dupont for the same seat has already been presented. In the course of a discussion on laying electric conduits in the Washington street, Hill (N. Y.) spoke against trusts and monopolies in general, as a serious menace to the public welfare.

After a two days' debate, in the course of which considerable partisan passion was aroused and an ineffectual attempt to filibuster, for the purpose of gaining time, the house yesterday decided the contested election case of Yost vs. Tucker, from the Tenth Virginia district, by denying the seat to Mr. Yost and confirming Mr. Tucker's title thereto. The Republicans were badly divided, 54 of them joining with the Democrats and supporting the claims of the Democratic contestee. When the supporters of Mr. Yost's contentions found they were defeated by a narrow margin of eight votes (the vote being 119-127 against him), they inaugurated a filibuster, in the hope of gaining time, and for two hours there was a succession of roll calls, but they were finally overpowered by numbers, and the resolutions confirming Mr. Tucker's title to his seat were adopted.

Oregon Deadlock Broken.

Salem, Ore., Jan. 22.—With the assistance of two Democrats the Benson men, supporters of Senator Mitchell, yesterday afternoon completed the organization of the house according to program, without a collision with the opposition.

SPANISH FIENDS.

Cuban Hospital Taken and All Inmates Butchered.

Havana, Jan. 22.—One of the principal hospitals of the Cubans, located in the Siguanea mountains, near Cienfuegos, was captured last week by Spanish troops.

The Cuban soldiers defended the sick and wounded inmates of the hospital, and fought heroically, holding the passes successfully for hours—as long, in fact, as their scant supply of ammunition lasted. They were finally compelled to give way, and the majority of them were mercilessly cut down by the Spaniards. A few escaped.

The hospital, once reached, was attacked on all sides. Dr. Soler, the patriot surgeon, came out, waving a white flag and bearing the insignia of the Red Cross, to ask for mercy.

He was met by a volley of Spanish bullets and fell wounded. He was dispatched a few minutes later by the machete.

A sick American in one of the buildings, assisted by two wounded Cubans, raised the Stars and Stripes. This act infuriated the Spanish commander, and was made the signal for a general charge.

The work of Spanish bayonets and machetes was short and bloody. Not a prisoner was taken, not even women nurses were spared.

When the work of the cold-blooded assassination was over and the piteous, but vain, appeals of the sick for mercy and the moans of the wounded and dying were hushed, the government commander, before retiring from the scene of his "victory," set fire to the hospital and surrounding buildings, burning them down over the bodies of his victims.

CABINET GOSSIP.

Lyman J. Gage Said to Have Been Offered Treasury Portfolio.

Cleveland, Jan. 22.—Lyman J. Gage of Chicago is the latest addition to the president elect's official family. He will probably be secretary of the treasury. A gentleman in this city as conversant with the situation as anyone can be outside of Major McKinley himself or his confidential advisers said Mr. Gage was being considered for the position, and that his friends were urging his appointment. It was further stated that Major McKinley had sent an emissary to see Mr. Gage at his home in Chicago, and ascertain whether or not the latter would accept the portfolio if tendered him. The source from which the authority for the statement comes is beyond question. Further strength to the statement is added, if such be possible, from the fact that Senator Cullom of Illinois, who has been considered for the place, has been dropped, it being the desire of Major McKinley to have Mr. Cullom remain in the senate, as there is no telling what might turn up, should the McKinley forces in Illinois attempt to replace him with the present legislature so badly torn up.

New York, Jan. 22.—The Press this morning says: There is good reason to believe that if the Empire state is to be represented at all in the McKinley cabinet General Horace Porter will receive the appointment. He has been recommended by prominent Republicans, including Cornelius N. Bliss, to whom a cabinet place was offered, and it is understood that either the war or navy appointment would be acceptable to him. A delegation from the Union League club, of which General Porter is president, will start for Canton probably tonight, to impress General Porter's qualifications upon the major.

Violation of Eight-Hour Law.

Washington, Jan. 22.—Replying to a resolution, the secretary of the navy has sent to the senate a statement of the department's attitude towards the violation of the eight-hour law by contractors and sub-contractors. The secretary says he has no information as to whether such violations are being committed, and adds: "It has always been the policy of this department to require an absolute observance, both in letter and spirit, of the act of congress, insofar as all employes under its direction are concerned; but it has never supposed that it had any authority or that it was its duty to enforce the provisions of the act as to laborers or mechanics not under its employment or control."

Gerrymander In Kansas.

Topeka, Kan., Jan. 22.—The congressional apportionment bill, which has been expected daily, ever since the opening of the legislature, has been introduced in the house. The bill, if it becomes a law, will help out the cause of fusion very materially. It divides the state into congressional districts in such a way as to prevent the Republicans from electing a congressman in any but the First district. As the Republicans are hopelessly in the minority, their opposition to the bill can avail nothing. In the Fifty-fourth congress the Republicans elected six of the seven Kansas representatives.

Destitute Canadians Sent Home.

New York, Jan. 22.—Steamer Buffon has arrived home from Santos, Brazil, with 53 stranded Canadian emigrants who left the cold climate of their northern homes to establish themselves near Santos. The warm climate of the southern Brazils was too much for the colonists, and they were unable to toil with their usual energy. They were nearly destitute when the British consul became interested in them, and by his aid they embarked on the Buffon, their transportation being paid through to Canada by the British government.

Bay State Lawmakers.

Boston, Jan. 22.—Secretary of State Olin sent to the legislature a review of the working of the McTammany voting machine. Secretary Olin pointed out many defects in the new machine, and practically advocated its being abolished. He said that, unless the law of last year was repealed, the state would be liable for an outlay of $500,000, provided every city and town adopted the new machine. Another bill was also introduced, modifying town government by abolishing the board of selectmen and establishing a "town council."

International Copyright Suit.

New York, Jan. 22.—The United States courts will probably soon be called on to settle a dispute that has arisen, under the international copyright law, between S. S. McClure of this city and William Waldorf Astor of London. As it is the first time the question has been brought forward, it will undoubtedly prove of interest to publishers. The controversy is over Robert Louis Stevenson's last novel.

SLAUGHTER AT BENIN.

Details of Massacre of Englishmen Given by Two Survivors.

London, Jan. 22.—A despatch from Lagos, capital of the British West African colony of that name, gives details of the massacre of the British expedition under Consul General J. R. Phillips by the inhabitants of Benin City early during the present month.

The party consisted of Consul General Phillips, Major P. W. G. Copland-Crawford, deputy commissioner and vice consul in the Niger coast protectorate and adjoining native territories; Captain A. M. Boisragon, commandant of the Niger coast protectorate force; Captain Malin of the 16th Lancers, an officer of the Niger coast protectorate force; R. F. Locke of the consular staff; H. C. Campbell of the consular staff; Dr. B. H. Elliott, medical officer, and Messrs. Powis and Gordon, civilians.

The party was unarmed and was proceeding to Benin City in order to make a request for a palaver or conference, with King Obdah, in regard to increasing the trading facilities with that part of Africa, the king having previously consented that the expedition should visit his capital. The nine officers went unarmed, in order to impress the king with the peaceful character of their mission, and over 200 native carriers were taken with the party, in order to propel the canoes and carry presents intended for the king.

After proceeding up the river the expedition landed at a spot about 15 miles from Benin City, and the carriers were sent ahead through the dense jungle, the officers following.

Five miles from Benin City the officers suddenly came upon a narrow defile which was filled with the dead carriers, who were fearfully mutilated.

Almost immediately afterward the officers and their servants were surrounded and attacked by hundreds of savages armed with guns, cutlasses, spears and clubs, and in a few minutes all the members of the party, excepting Boisragon and Locke, were killed.

Captain Boisragon and his companion, after wandering in the bush for a week, succeeded in reaching New Benin, wounded and exhausted, bringing the first authentic news of the massacre, although seven Kroomen of the carrier party also succeeded in escaping and were the first to spread the reports of the disaster.

The affair is looked upon as deserving of the sending of a punitive expedition to Benin City, known as the "city of blood" on account of its being the seat of the fetich priests of that part of Africa, and because human sacrifices are of frequent occurrence, the remains of sacrificed slaves being seen bleaching in the sun on all sides.

The British warships Phoebe, Widgeon, Alecto, Barossa, Theseus and Forte have already been despatched to the entrance of the river Benin. British officers left Liverpool for the same coast Saturday, and munitions of war will follow on Saturday next.

Ayrshire Breeders.

Albany, Jan. 22.—The American Ayrshire Breeders' association of the United States held its annual meeting here yesterday. A very interesting paper on the "Structure of the Cow, as Indicative of Dairy Quality," was read by Dr. George M. Twitchell. The treasurer's report showed a membership of about 150 and a balance of $4000 in the treasury. The following officers were elected: President, L. S. Drew, Burlington, Vt.; vice-presidents, Obediah Brown of Providence; H. R. C. Watson, Brandon, Vt.; B. C. Sears, Bloomingrove; John, Stewart, Elburn; secretary, C. M. Winslow, Brandon, Vt.; treasurer, Henry E. Smith, Penfield, R. I.; executive committee, three years, J. D. W. French, Boston; John Bratton, White Oak, S. C.; auditing committee, C. M. Winslow, J. W. French.

A Russian Swindle.

Washington, Jan. 22.—Much of the wool which is expected in large quantities from Russia to the United States is being largely adulterated with "sour wool," gathered from the clippings of sheep skins made into clothing. This "sour wool" is nearly worthless to our manufacturers. In anticipation of the taking of wool from the free list large quantities are being hurried to the United States, and this contains from 10 to 12 per cent of the adulteration of which our manufacturers are ignorant, but which could readily be detected by the custom house inspector.

Sentenced For Shooting Sweetheart.

Oakland, Cal., Jan. 22.—Lewis Muhller has been sentenced to ten years' imprisonment for killing his sweetheart, Jennie Lewis. Muhller quarreled with Miss Lewis and called at her house to secure his ring and letters. After he left the young woman was found dead with a bullet through her heart. Muhller denied that he shot her. He was found guilty of manslaughter, but Judge Frick ordered a new trial, declaring that it was murder or nothing. The supreme court overruled Judge Frick and decided that the verdict of manslaughter should stand.

Cemetery to Be Abandoned.

Clinton, Mass., Jan. 22.—Rev. R. J. Patterson, pastor of St. John's Catholic church, has returned from a meeting of the metropolitan water board of Boston. He states that it was reported there that a portion of the cemetery belonging to St. John's church will be submerged by the immense reservoir, and that, in all probability, the whole cemetery will have to be abandoned. This will necessitate the removal of over 3500 bodies and tombstones.

Both Legs Amputated.

Dorset, Vt., Jan. 22.—H. Greeley Harwood, representative to the legislature from this town last year, while working in his saw mill, got caught in a circular saw and had both legs nearly cut off. Physicians amputated both legs above the knee, but Mr. Harwood did not survive the operation. He was 47 years old.

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North Brookfield, Mass., Jan. 22.—A cttizens' meeting last night instructed the selectmen to grant a franchise for the construction of an electric railway from North Brookfield to East Brookfield.

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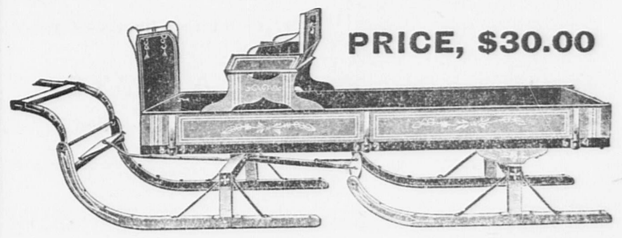
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Miss Mabel Meridith of Buffalo, New York, is a guest at the Episcopal rectory.

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The Bachelor's dramatics at Long's hall, Braintree, were a great success and largely attended by Braintree and Quincy people.

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Tucks are growing in favor and most of the new gowns are made with some use of this style of garniture.

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The engagement is announced of Mr. Harry W. Fisher and Miss Alice L. Richardson, of Braintree.

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One of the most pleasing events of the new year was the celebrating of the 90th birthday of one of our most beloved old ladies, Mrs. John Hall, at the residence of her daughter Mrs. S. E. Brackett, Wednesday the 20 h. There was quite a gathering of old friends who spent a few hours with her very pleasantly and congratulated her upon the event with kind wishes and beautiful gifts, expressing a desire for other renewals of the very pleasant occasion.

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Miss Agnes Gallagher of South Braintree entertained a whist party on Tuesday afternoon.

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The Bachelor's club of Braintree are to hold another six to ten dance at Braintree next Saturday night.

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The fourth lecture by Miss Anna Barrows in the Home Science course, will be on "Food supply; marketing; adulteration of food; economy and waste in the household," and will be given on Monday afternoon in the parish house of the Episcopal church.

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Belts retain their popularity, the crush belt being again to the front.

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The South Braintree whist club met at the home of Miss Ethel Brooks on Franklin street, Friday evening.

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The engagement is announced of Miss Lizzie Harriette Barnes of North Weymouth and Mr. Harry Reyburn Bates of Washington.

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Canary yellow is the color in the ascent just now.

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Mr. J. Francis Hayward is stopping at the United States hotel, Boston, while Mrs. Hayward and daughter, Miss Theodora Hayward, are abroad. They sailed on Wednesday from New York and will spend several months abroad.

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Miss Edna Maude Minard, of Dorchester, has announced her engagement to Mr. Alexander S. Holt, of Hyde Park; the marriage to take place in the spring.

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There were a great many pretty costumes noticed at the Odd Fellow's ball at Guy's coliseum on Thursday night. Pink seemed to be a favorite color.

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Miss Clara L. Baxter of Greenleaf street gives a card party this evening.

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The engagement is announced of Miss Marion G. Hollis of South Braintree to Mr. Lawrence A. Thayer of Holbrook.

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Mrs. Theophilus King was one of the patronesses at the Bachelor club dramatics at Braintree last night. Several from Quincy attended, among them were noticed: Miss Zayma King, Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Price, Mr. George Dewson, Miss Dewson, Mr. and Mrs. William I. Dewson, Mrs. John C. Randall, Miss Ruth Randall, Mr. and Mrs. Henry M. Faxon, Miss Jennie B. Field, Mr. Eaton Pierce, Mr. George Follett, Mr. Harry Russell, Mr. Sibley, Mr. Harvey Field, Miss Gertrude Sherman and Miss Lizzie Thayer.

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The engagement is announced of Miss Lillian H. Russell, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. T. C. Russell, and Mr. William M. Gustin, all of Dorchester.

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The engagement is announced of Miss May P. Blair, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred C. Blair of Hingham and Mr. Warren Jacobs, of Brooklyn, New York.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Dow have issued invitations for a reception at their new home on Middle street, Braintree.

Cards are out announcing the engagement of our young and enterprising business man, Allie F. Hall of Edwards street, to Miss Carrie Wing of Manchester, Maine.

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All the arrangements have been made by Adams Chapter for their reception at The Greenleaf, next Wednesday evening and it promises to be a very social and pleasant affair. Cards of admission have been issued to members and their invited guests so that the gathering will be a reunion of the Daughters of the Revolution and their gentlemen friends thus celebrating the first anniversary of the organization of Adams Chapter.

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Mr. and Mrs. Geo. O. Wales, of Braintree, held their second reception at their Boston home, Wednesday afternoon and evening. Many Braintree people were present. The third and last one will take place next Wednesday.

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The prizes at the matinee whist given at The Greenleaf on Monday were lovely. The first prize a highly polished olive wood box for whist set was contributed by Mr Faxon; the second, a photograph of the cairn on Penn's hill framed in white and gold by Mrs. Titus; the third, songs from Thackery, illustrated, given by Mrs. Lewis Bass; the fourth, embroidered linen photograph frame from Miss Hattie Pierce; fifth silver slipper, Mrs. Titus, and sixth a box of Lowney's chocolates from Mr. Faxon. The prizes were won by Mrs. Keating, Miss Hattie Pierce, Mrs. Magee, Mrs. Frank Patch, Mrs Henry Wait, and Mrs. A. H. Gilson.

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The marriage is announced of Miss Emma Stenzel and Mr. Henry Shaw, which took place in Boston last Monday, at high noon. The bride looked stunning in a beautiful travelling costume of gray. The honeymoon was spent in New York from where Mr. Shaw sails to Europe in the interests of Jordon, Marsh & Co. Upon his return the young couple will reside in Braintree.

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Leather belts are much in vogue for traveling and morning wear. They are not very wide, are in all colors and fastened with buckles of gold, fashioned in shape of coins.

The Good Templars.

Merry Mount lodge of Good Templars, which hold its weekly meetings in Doble's hall, South Quincy, is in a prosperous condition. The meetings are well attended by members, and their interest in the business and social affairs of the lodge are second to none. Visitors from neighboring lodges are generally present, a fact which adds greatly to the pleasure of the meetings. For the "Good of the Order" this quarter they have had a "mum supper," a bundle party, and a Christmas social.

To increase their funds, they gave on Dec. 3, an entertainment consisting of music, recitations and tableaux, emblamatic of the order, all who participated being members of Merry Mount. In connection with the entertainment, the ladies had a table for the sale of useful and fancy articles. That both were successful, was proved by the sum realized.

Thursday evening they gave their usual quarterly entertainment. It was the intention of the committee in charge to have a drama, but they were unable to do so, and instead gave a very pleasing miscellaneous programme, which judging from the repeated encores, was very acceptable to all.

Opening selection, violin, cornet and piano,—Masters Willie and Eddie, and Miss Mamie Conarty.
Guitar solo,—Prof. Gomez.
Song,—Miss Bella McIntosh.
Reading,—Miss Susie Harris.
Guitar solo,—Miss M. Kibble.
Piano and violin,—Edwin Brooks and William Powers.
Reading,—Miss Margaret Cleverly.
Selection,—Merry Mount Quartette.
Recitation,—Harry Chace.
Piano duet,—Misses Lizzie and Emma Marnock.
Guitar duet,—Prof. Gomez and Miss N. Kibble.
Piano solo,—Mr. Edwin Brooks.

The Bachelor Club.

The Bachelor Club of Braintree, gave the second theatrical entertainment in the course, last evening, before a good sized audience in Long's Hall.

The young men composing the club are Mr. Sibley, Mr. Gore, Mr. Belcher, Mr. Stevens, Mr. Barbour and Mr. Patten. They all took their parts well, but the features that won the most applause, were Robert Belcher, as a "No Good Nigger," and Jane Ann O'Hoolahan, Mr. Gore as Dorothy, who was elegantly dressed in red, in the part of Dorothy, who gave a selection in light opera, and Mr. Sibley, as the proprietor of an intelligence office. Mr. Patten was obliged to sacrifice his facial adornment in order to take the part of Mrs. Yeastcake.

The entertainment closed at 9.15 and the floor was cleared for dancing. Peters furnished the music.

THE UNITY CLUB.

An Evening With Louis XIV—Brilliant Papers.

The most brilliant meeting which the Unity club of Wollaston ever held was that of Friday evening. The vestry of the Unitarian church was crowded long before the hour of opening, by a cultured audience The programme was in charge of Mr. Charles E. Finch, Jr., the master of the Wollaston school.

The evening was devoted to the successor and oldest son of Louis XIII, (who was treated upon at considerable length at the meeting of Jan. 8), Louis XIV.

The opening paper, "Louis XIV and His Court at Versailles," was by the Rev. James E. Bagley. In a masterly essay Mr. Bagley dissected the reign of the great monarch,—"*L'etat c' est moi*," touching upon contemporaneous history and the Augustan age of France, and the illustrious array of great men whom the king assembled around him.

The succeeding paper was by Mr. Frederic A. Tupper, the master of the High school, on Jean de La Fontaine, the French fabulist. It was intensely interesting and brim full of wit from the first to the last pages.

Miss Clara E. G. Thayer of the Wollaston school followed with a brilliant article on Mme. Sevinge, the French epistolary writer. Mme. Sevigne and her celebrated letters to her daughter, the marquise de Grignan, were portrayed with great perspecuity.

The closing paper which was by Miss Carrie E. Small, the principal of the Woodward Institute, was upon Moliere (Jeane Baptiste Poquelin) the French dramatist. Miss Small's sketch of Moliere was complete and very striking, quoting liberally from his plays, which illustrated that as an actor he excelled in the most diverse parts, and as a dramatist his resources were boundless.

The reading of Miss Small's paper marked the completion of the first part of the programme. It was distinctly literary.

The latter part of the programme was musical, with the exception of the reading of one of Kenneth Graham's sketches, "The Blue Room," by Mr. Ralph J. Saxe. It consisted of the rendering of a mazourka from Dennee by Mrs. Alma Faunce Smith; a violin solo, which was encored, by Miss Adelaide Thomas, with Mrs. S. P. Moorehouse as accompanist; and the singing by the ladies' quartette,—Mrs. H. W. Lull, Mrs. Frank W. Sprague, Mrs. N. G. Nickerson and Mrs. L. C. F. Smith, the directoress of music in the Quincy schools, —of "My Heart's in the Highlands," and "There is one that I love dearly."

During the intermission cocoa and cake were served under the direction of Mrs. George W. Bennett. The cocoa was poured by Mrs. Adelaide C. Armstrong, Mrs. Charles E. Finch, Jr., and Mrs. A. R. Moulton.

Whist Party.

Mrs. Henry Von Emden entertained the Brownie Whist club at her pretty new home, 7 Botolph street, Atlantic, Saturday evening last. Mr. Henry Von Emden and Mr. Charles E. Cherrington, Jr., assisted in receiving.

A pleasant two hours was spent with whist; Miss Erminia Kolb and Miss Marcia Wilder carrying off the honors. Ices and dainty deserts were served during which time the happy party drifted into conundrums and story telling, making the remainder of the evening all too short.

At a late hour all departed declaring to the hostess that they had spent a very enjoyable evening.

The guests were:—Miss Alice Coe, Miss Annie Hall, Miss Josephine Kelley, Miss Sadie Melzard, Miss Lela Moxon, Miss Lillian Waterhouse, Miss Marcia Wilder, Miss Louise Williams, Miss Louise Kolb, Miss Erminia Kolb and Mrs. Charles E. Cherrington, Jr.

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  Deluded by a woman's trick!
Another stalwart bachelor
  To figure as a Benedick!
"A marriage," see, "has been arranged
  Between Miss Blank and"—yes, and Harry!
My well loved friend, you must have changed—
  You, of all men alive, to marry!

At Cambridge, on debating nights,
  Brown and yourself shone in the lists
As valiant foes of "woman's rights,"
  A pair of stanch misogynists.
How valueless your speeches prove!
  Brown, too, I understand, is fated
To make, like you, the deadly move
  Which loses all, by which you're mated.

But, though I mourn for you, my friend,
  My fears are not for you alone.
This fall of yours, does it portend
  A like disaster of my own?
Is love a brief insanity
  Which seizes all of us? Shall no men
Escape its ravages? Shall I
  Become a lover? Absit omen!

Oh, Maud or Muriel or Kate!
  Your name, from force of circumstance,
I cannot definitely state.
  Let me entreat you in advance!
Oh, unknown maid whom I shall woo,
  Let me put forward my petition
Before you have reduced me to
  A semi-imbecile condition.

When, on some fragrant summer eve,
  I vow that you are quite divine
And ask you simply to believe
  There never was such love as mine,
Despise such platitudes as those,
  From my demented self protect me,
And, if I finally propose,
  Be kind, be generous and reject me!
—London World.

A SHINPLASTER.

I am a 25 cent greenback, and for all I know may be one of the unredeemed, but I have had such varied experiences and was able to do so much good the day Richmond was evacuated I feel I must tell about it, for I was as much a subject of dispute in my day as gold and silver and bonds are now. I was sent forth fresh and crisp from Washington to a paymaster in the Army of the Potomac on the Virginia peninsula, and he delivered me, along with a lot of larger notes, to a captain of the Fifth Pennsylvania cavalry.

The captain placed the big notes in a letter which he wrote to his wife—a sweet, loving letter—in which he told her he was going the next day on a raid up the peninsula, and that if all went well he might sleep in Richmond; that she must keep up a brave heart and that he would be home soon. When he sealed this letter, I saw the muscles of his mouth twitch and his brave blue eyes moisten, and I snuggled up within, for I knew the bravest were the tenderest, and he was wishing that he could go with that letter.

But there were no braver men in the war than the Pennsylvanians, and I knew that, live or die, he would be game and do what was right.

The next morning we started off and got along very well until about 1½ miles beyond Williamsburg, and just at the fork of the roads we were attacked by the advance guard of Shingler's South Carolina cavalry. We had only 40 men in our party, and the rebels were numerous. The captain saw he had better retire, so he turned his horse, ordered a retreat, and the men threw their guns over their shoulders and dashed down the road, firing as they retreated.

We went into a new position, behind the college walls—the college had been burned—and as the hot lead spattered against the old English bricks I shuddered, and every time the statue of Lord Botetourt was hit I felt as if everything sacred was being desecrated, and I could almost hear the British lion growl. While I was made for circulation I was based on protection, and when charges were made against me I feared I would be ground into pulp before I was withdrawn.

Our enemies were re-enforced, and my captain, seeing discretion was the better part of valor, again retired and dashed down the main street. Before he had gone two squares a bayonet was thrust through his thigh, and he was made prisoner. In a very short time I was exchanged for a bag of tobacco and became an ally and associate of armed rebellion. A shinplaster has no affections or attachments, you know.

I was put in what was called a pocket by my rebel owner, but it seemed to me like a rag bag. I was so frightened I thought I would die and was sure I would never smile again, but that night I laughed myself sick at the ludicrous and hairbreadth escape of my new friend.

He was worn out with excitement of the day, and as he passed a house by the college, just across from the president's house, one of his friends asked him in, pointed to a feather bed on the floor, and he sank down in it and slept as only a Confederate soldier could, for he had not seen a bed of any kind for so long. He was in high feather at his good fortune. He was too tired to dream. I was awake, studying my new surroundings. Suddenly a friendly hand shook him up and said, "You are caught." He crept to the window, pulled the curtain aside, and there, sure enough, were my friends of the Fifth Pennsylvania cavalry.

If ever my Union soul longed for a voice, it was then. He could have put his hand on them. He double quicked into his clothes and buttoned me up against his heart, which was going faster than a weaver's shuttle. It was a brilliant moonlight night in April. He had put his horse in an open shed and pushed a cart in front of it to keep him from getting away. He realized his danger and the absolute necessity for quiet.

Just as he stealthily entered the shed a calf ran between his legs and bellowed as only a calf can and threw him over on the cart. "Well," thought I, "I will now be back with the Fifth Pennsylvania cavalry." He clutched at the horse, jumped on his back, dug his spurs in its side and dashed down the road I had been over twice before. The bit was out of the horse's mouth, and he was going like John Gilpin—and no possible way for the rider to control his horse—right to the Confederate pickets, who had orders to shoot any and all cavalry coming down that road. After great yelling he made himself known to the guards, and he never stopped till the horse got to the camp.

I was presented to his sister, and then I was taken to the parlor in Richmond and put in something I had never heard of before—a glory pitcher. I had great curiosity to know what a glory pitcher was. Day and night I kept my ears open to try to find out, and on the Fourth of July I did, for they took me out and filled the pitcher with punch and drank General George Washington's health, and I heard them say that when General Washington died these pitchers were made of china, with a picture of General Washington being taken up to glory on their sides. Every 22d of February and Fourth of July they were used for punch. If I had been sound money, I would have known that a sister of the poet Longfellow, Mrs. Pearce of Portland, Me., had one of these pitchers, but I was of mushroom growth—knew nothing of traditions and really very little about myself.

Well, I remained a prisoner in solitary confinement in Richmond until evacuation day came. It was Sunday, and heaven seemed to give one grand, glorious smile to the last day of the Confederacy. A smile like a martyr wears on his dying face, and nature, every tree and flower, was bursting with green leaf and blossom, struggling to be free, and I thought the tearful eyes of my dear ladies should take comfort and remember that they, too, had been prison bound and now were freeing themselves.

I had grown to love the lady in whose care I had been, she was so pure and brave, and I became unhappy lest some evil should befall her and her little children. I saw her kiss her husband goodby and saw her hand her jewels and valuables to an old slave, who promised to do his best to protect her. In a short time the city was in flames, the water cut off, the gashouse destroyed, and darkness reigned. The streets were full of Union soldiers and army followers, and the desolation of that house was beyond anything I can describe.

Suddenly I heard my friends coming down stairs, and I felt my dear lady's soft white hand pick me up from the glory jar, smooth me out, and, calling Uncle Harry, a faithful old slave, she said: "Uncle Harry, this shinplaster came from a fight in Williamsburg. Richard gave it to me, and I have kept it all this while. I see they have established a sutler's store across the way. If you are not afraid, go and see if it will buy me some candles, for if it will we will not be quite so forlorn."

Uncle Harry grabbed me with his big old black hand and said: "God knows, Miss Mary, you always was good, and God gwine to take care of you and yourn and we and us. Afeerd? I ain't gwine to come back 'dout dem candles, scusin dey hain't got none." And he brought back three, and the light they shed was like the glory of God—a light in a dark place.

She lit one and made a patrol of the house from garret to cellar, under the beds and in the closets; would blow it out and in a few hours reconnoiter again—for when they were gone, where would any more come from? But she knew that "unto the upright there ariseth light in the darkness," and her beautiful faith sustained her. I was in the sutler's shop back in the Union lines, and I missed my glory pitcher and all the exciting news I used to hear from the doctor and the generals and my gay young lady. Although fair exchange is no robbery, I felt jealous and injured.

Shortly after this I retired from business—a small boy put a mustache on the face of the statesman who adorns me, a drummer pasted me on the inside of his desk, and after a brief and eventful career I was sponged off, and I now lie in a cabinet of curiosities, not caring 25 cents what becomes of me.—Philadelphia Times.

The Woman In Black.

One of the most familiar characters to be seen daily about the city hall and park is a pretty, sweet voiced, gentle mannered little woman, apparently about 35 years old. She is known by all denizens and frequenters of the city hall as the Woman In Black. She has arrived promptly a little after 9 every working day for four years. Her husband is employed in the department of public works, in a neighboring building, and regularly every morning the two together leave their home in an uptown street. She accompanies him to the elevator in the building where he is employed, rides to the top, goes with him to the office door and sees him remove his coat and hat. Then she goes to the city hall, where she remains until noon, when she goes to the door of his office building and accompanies him back to the city hall, where, either in corridor or jury room, they eat their lunch. After lunch the programme of the morning is repeated, she waiting at his office door until his coat and hat have been removed, when she again returns to the city hall. At 4 o'clock they meet at the door of the office building, and she accompanies him home, where it seems reasonable to conclude that they allow no separation to occur. "It is but one of the inexplicable freaks which distinguish human nature," said one of the city hall officials. "It is hard to understand how a woman can afford in this busy world to spend every day in the week and all day waiting for her husband."—New York Tribune.

A Judicial Mot.

The best judicial mot ever recorded is that of Sir George Jessel, the late master of the rolls, when sitting with Mr. Justice Bacon. A demented and enraged suitor who had been unsuccessful threw an egg at him in the corridor of the courts which narrowly missed the judge's head. Smilingly Sir George turned round and calmly remarked to the astonished bystanders, "I think that must have been intended for my brother Bacon."

STONE AND SHINGLE.

Cozy Colonial Residence Designed on Classic Lines.

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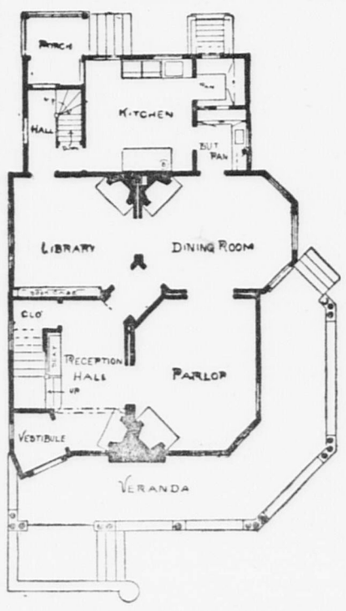
The young business man who starts out in life by getting himself a home like this is certainly making for himself and family an investment that they can in future years draw large and increasing dividends from. And to such as have push and perseverance enough to strive for this end let



PERSPECTIVE VIEW.

me say that your efforts will be successful and your ends attained if you only hold fast to that which is good and weary not in the well doing. With me it is always a pleasure to help any one who is thus helping himself, and the satisfaction derived from aiding a person to own a home is the larger part of the compensation for the labor involved. During my many years of active life I have planned hundreds of these homes, and the interest in them never grows cold, but renews itself as generations come and go. And in doing for the younger what we did for the older folk the spirit is born anew, and the fervor is twice as great.

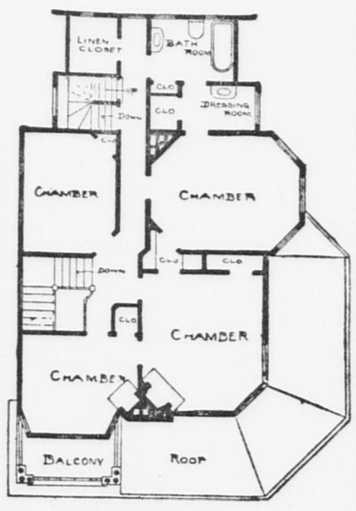
Every young man ought to be ambitious enough to own his home. If he is not, woe to the family that is dependent upon him. It simply means drudgery and work for that which profiteth not, and he is



FIRST FLOOR PLAN.

sowing where he may not reap, and in the end, when old age comes on, he is dependent upon others, having wasted his opportunities and spent his best years to enrich a landlord. No one except those who have realized it can contemplate the pleasures of working for a home. The self sacrifices to this end are as feathers in the breeze, and the joys, as the hopes are realized, are inexpressible. Don't delay your start another day. Let the race be begun at once, and, depend upon it, you will never regret it.

This design is for a young man's first venture. It is a bold and aggressive one, and with the push and energy that are behind it cannot but be a success. May large armies of him spring up and his tribe increase, for of such is the hope of the country. The plan shows a very sensible and artistic lay out, embracing the



SECOND FLOOR PLAN.

greatest degree of comfort, elegance and convenience within the scope of the space inclosed and a given cost, and is an admirable solution of the young man's home from the most ideal and realistic standpoint possible.

The house is 31 feet wide and 42 feet deep, of stone and shingle finish, and is as pleasant to look upon as to live in, and is equipped with all the improvements, such as furnace, range, open plumbing, fireplaces, gas, electric light, etc., all of which are clothed in a dignified and fitting framework.

Cherry and Pine.

For cottages and small inexpensive houses perhaps the best results are obtained by the use of cherry and pine, both in their natural colors. Both woods harmonize well, and there are no violent contrasts where the two are compelled to meet. The use of hard woods, like oak, chestnut or ash, for a few rooms, finishing the rest of the house in any soft wood, makes a contrast that will always be displeasing to the critical eye. Whitewood and basswood are sometimes used, but these have no grain at all to speak of. When stained, they are always vile; in natural finish they are not displeasing, but they are not to be commended on account of their lack of durability. A single dig from a carelessly used rocking chair will gouge out a piece as effectively as a chisel.—Chicago Record.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR.

Topic For the Week Beginning Jan. 24 Comment by Rev. S. H. Doyle.

TOPIC.—Our failures and successes.—Luke v, 1-11.

The idea suggested in the topical reference is failures and successes in Christian work, especially in the work of trying to lead souls to Christ. It is the story of the second calling of Peter and Andrew, James and John. Although they had toiled all night and caught nothing, at Jesus' command Simon launched into the deep and let down the net and it was filled.

1. Failures. On his way from Cana to Capernaum, Jesus enters the ship of Simon Peter and preaches to the people. He then commanded him to launch out in the deep and let down his net. Simon replied, "Master, we have toiled all the night and have taken nothing." Failure! How these few words picture before us the condition of many who are fishing for men! It tells the story not simply of a night's work, but often the story of weeks, months and even years. It is a story of toil, toil, toil, but nothing caught. The fish are wary. They avoid the net, and, heartsick and discouraged, we feel like giving up. But the remainder of this incident inspires us to renewed efforts even in the face of apparent failures.

2. Successes. To his statement of fruitless toil Peter added, "Nevertheless at Thy word I will let down the net." What a wonderful result followed! "And when they had done this, they inclosed a great multitude of fishes, and their net break." They called their partners to help them draw in their net, and their ships were filled. This was the result of obeying Christ. Success is sure to crown our efforts if we keep ourselves right with God and do as God wants us to do.

There are many discouragements in Christian work. We often feel like giving up. Many Christians are dead, and it takes six pallbearers to carry their corpses. The world is careless and indifferent and turns a deaf ear alike to warnings and entreaties. The more we toil and labor the worse, often, it seems to get. But in the face of all these things the command is, "Launch out into the deep and let down your nets." If this method has failed, try another. If the fish will not come to the net, take it to them. "Be not weary in welldoing, for in due season we shall reap if we faint not." There are many encouragements. Christ inspires us by His own toil and labor. In the gospel He has given us a net abundantly able to attract and to catch the souls of men. He has promised to be with us and has sent His Holy Spirit to comfort and to sustain us. It is ours to toil and labor patiently, watchfully, skillfully, prayerfully, hopefully, and the result will come. "He that is for us is greater than all they that are against us."

Bible Readings.—Math. xxiv, 11-14; Mark xiii, 1-14; Luke ix, 57-62; John xvi, 33; I Cor. xv, 58; xvi, 13; Gal. vi, 9; Col. ii, 4-8; II Thess. iii, 12, 13; I Tim. vi, 12-16; II Tim. iv, 7, 8; Heb. iii, 6; x, 36; II Pet. iii, 14.

Man's Dependency.

Christ put forth no philosophic theories of life. He made no guesses as to its purposes and its outcome. He spoke in clear words and with authority, as a messenger of divine truth would, and He told of man's dependency on God, of death and judgment, of heaven and hell. The church must do likewise. A presentment of the gospel which does not hold in the foreground man's accountability is incomplete and truncated Christianity. It misleads and deceives.—Most Rev. Dr. Ireland.

True to Her Trusts.

It is one of the glorious things that can be said of the true church of Christ that she is true to the trusts reposed in her. No organization can be glorious that is untrustworthy. It is a blot upon character that no greatness of numbers or wealth or enterprise can ever remove. Dishonesty in peasant or prince is a blight that even the world abhors. But integrity marked on character is everywhere a passport to public confidence.—Christian Instructor.

Clear Conscience and Bravery.

How bravely a man can walk the earth, bear the heaviest burdens, perform the severest duties and look all men in the face if he only bears within his breast a clear conscience void of offense! There is no spring, no inspiration, like this—to feel that we have omitted no task and left no obligation undischarged. This fills the heart with satisfaction and the soul with strength.—Hebrew Standard.

Christian Endeavor Briefs.

Australia's delegate to the San Francisco Christian Endeavor convention has already been appointed. He is Rev. Silas Mead, president of the United Society of Christian Endeavor of Australia.

A unique but melancholy service was done by some Christian Endeavor young men of Yarker, Ont., in digging the grave for the burial of a young man whose parents could not afford the expense.

Eight prisoners in the Louisville jail were baptized on a recent Sunday. The men, one of them a murderer, had been led to Christ through the services held by a Christian Endeavor society of the city.

Twelve girls comprise a Junior Christian Endeavor society in an industrial school for girls in Toronto. Last year these children gave $30 for missions, all raised by their own efforts.

A library containing 200 volumes has been placed in the United States Marine hospital at Detroit by a few Christian Endeavor societies.

The town of Alvin, Tex., with less than 2,000 population, has four Young People's and three Junior Christian Endeavor societies, with six churches and seven Christian Endeavor societies all working together.

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Two Weeks' Temperature.

	This Week.	Last Week
Sunday	37	43
Monday	45	42
Tuesday	10	31
Wednesday	22	20
Thursday	45	30
Friday	40	33
Saturday	38	36

OF ALL the financial schemes ever proposed that of the Weymouth Gazette takes "the cake." Did you ever hear anything like it?

"In view of the low rate of interest with which many towns and cities are placing long-term bonds, it is suggested by some of our best financiers that it would be a good idea for the town to negotiate a long-term loan to the amount of a year's taxes, and thus avoid the annual act of borrowing on short time, and subject to fluctuating rates, in anticipation of taxes. There is much to be said in favor of this scheme as by it the town would always be in funds and be in a condition to meet any ordinary emergency. At the same time it would of course make the town's debt that much more, but it would only cost about $4,000 a year to carry a debt of that kind, and we are now paying something approximating that sum for short loans. The scheme is at least worthy of thought."

Increasing Interest.

By far the smallest gathering of the week in the First Presbyterian church on Water street was that of Friday afternoon. This was from a variety of causes, some known, some unknown. But in the evening there was the largest congregation of any week night since the special services began with the week of prayer, and a deep and evident interest. Again several indicated their desire to begin the Christian life, and many Christians sought a higher standing.

Evangelist Clayton preached a powerful sermon in exposition of II Peter i 3-12. The divine power of Jesus our Lord has given us all things that belong to life and godliness. These are given through our knowledge of Him: glory and virtue, exceeding great and precious promises, our being made to share the divine nature, our escaping the corruption of lust; faith and virtue, to which we may add knowledge, self-control, patience, godliness, brotherhood and love, and bring forth abundant fruit, and obtain abundant entrance into Christ's kingdom. This he expounded to Christians, that they might lead more profitable lives, and to others that they might turn to Christ.

The songs of Miss Goldthwait were a fitting part of the message, sung with exquisite finish and expression, but effective beyond all this because of their heartfelt appeal.

Both sermons on Sunday will be by the evangelist, and Miss Goldthwait will sing in both services. All are cordially invited to come, and to help by asking others to come. We must make the most of our opportunities, for Mr. Clayton will have to leave before the close of next week to assume the duties of the pastorate which he has accepted over a large church in Binghampton, New York.

A Fraud.

A young man, aged about 19 years, was arrested this morning by Officer Ferguson for vagrancy. The young man made his appearance in Quincy and went about from house to house for money to pay his fare to Ontario, where he claimed his home was.

He gave his name as James Fairman and claimed to have a bad ulcer on his leg. After his arrest Dr. Welch examined the leg and gave it as his opinion that the sore was not an ulcer, but was caused by a blister.

This is one of the methods used by professional beggars to gain sympathy. A blister is raised and the skin taken off after which, it is covered thick with vaseline. This gives the appearance of a bad sore.

Dr. John Saadi.

An address of unusual interest will be given in Christ church Sunday at 10.30 A. M. Dr. Saadi was the interpreter of the Nile expedition, sent for the relief of Gen. Gordon. For his services he received a silver medal from the Queen of England, and a bronze medal from the Khedive of Egypt. He will tell the story of the relief expedition and his reasons for wishing to return to Africa as a medical missionary. He is a candidate for the ministry of the Episcopal church.

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THAYER ACADEMY.

One of the Trustees Answers the Recent Criticism.

Asa French has written at length to the Braintree OBSERVER in reply to criticism of a Randolph paper. He says:

The insertion, without comment, of an article from a contemporary sheet concerning Thayer Academy, in your last issue, would seem to imply an approval by you of the strictures which it contains; and as it reflects upon the present and past government of that institution, calls for notice. The true purpose of criticism in such a case ought to be to remedy some existing evil, and to that end, should not only be based on facts, but specific,—clearly pointing out the thing to be corrected, and the best method of correcting it. Otherwise, there is danger of its doing more harm than good; a risk which a local paper, of all others, should be the last to incur, especially when the subect matter is of such general interest, and the means of obtaining accurate information are within easy reach.

After offsetting a complimentary allusion to Prof. Sewall by the assertion that "his heart didn't melt enough for him to get down where the boys and girls were"—(whatever that may mean,) and praising Dr. Gallagher, the present efficient master of Thayer, at the expense of his predecessor, the writer hazards the prediction, that if he (Dr. Gallaher) be "allowed the liberty which a principal should enjoy," he, "will make Thayer Academy one of the most popular academies in this State," a prediction not original with the writer of the article, and to which everyone will cordially assent. But unfortunately, there seems to be a possible obstacle in the way of this much desired consummation.

The article proceeds as follows:

"The question remains, however, can he overcome the exclusiveness of an ice-bound board, and admit the people, those who are parents and would send their sons and daughters to Thayer did they but know the excellencies of the institution." Notwithstanding the vagueness of this statement taken as a whole, there is a reasonably clear innuendo that this "ice bound board," meaning the Board of trustees, has heretofore interfered with the liberty which properly belonged to the master of Thayer Academy, and is likely to continue in the same mistaken course; the inevitable consequence of which will be to prevent the Academy from accomplishing the results contemplated by its benificent founder. Such a charge is calculated to do great injury. If it be true, the Trustees deserve the severest censure; if not true, simple justice requires retraction and apology on your part.

The inaptness of the term "ice-bound," as applied to such well known gentlemen as Ex-Gov. Long, Rev. George A. Thayer, Gen. Andrews, and Mr. Robert H. Garnider, four of the five Trustees, must readily suggest itself to the average mind. But aside from that, I assert, without fear of contradiction, and the assertion can easily be verified, that since the opening of the school, nearly twenty years ago, its masters have been absolutely unfettered in all things appertaining to the duties of their high position. Selected with sole reference to their ability, long experience and general fitness, the course of instruction, discipline and internal management, have been intrusted to them solely, subject only to the restrictions contained in the instrument of foundation. How faithfully and successfully the trust has been administered by them, those who have partaken of its benefits, and especially the graduates of the institution, need not be told. "Exclusiveness" has never been practiced. Visitors during school hours have always been welcomed. If parents have not oftener availed themselves of the opportunity of learning from personal observation the system and quality of instruction maintained there, the failure to do so is chargeable to them, and not to any restrictive rule of the Trustees or the master.

Intelligent criticism has been, and is, invited. What we complain of is unfounded aspersions and gratuitous insinuations. The advantages of such a school, free to the children of both sexes whose parents reside within the limits of ancient Braintree, cannot be over-estimated. It has done much good in the past, and with its splendid endowment, enlarged facilities for the most thorough work in the several departments, and thoroughly equipped corps of instructors, is destined, let us all hope, to greater usefuluess in the future.

If the people who have a vital interest in building up this institution, instead of seeking to throw discredit upon it, will only take it to their hearts, and labor to promote its welfare as if it were their own, the hope is certain to be realized.

Given a Surprise.

Mr. A. W. Greene, the principal of the new Gridley Bryant school at West Quincy was appreciated at North Weymouth, The Gazette says, "A. W. Greene, the retiring principal of the Athens school was tendered a surprise party on Friday evening of last week by the members of the school. Games, refreshments and a general good time were in order after which Miss Mary E. Chubbuck in behalf of the school presented Mr. Greene with an elegant parlor chair. He responded in a few well chosen words and wished the school continued success. Mr. Greene will reside here until April when he will remove to his new field of labor at West Quincy."

☞ At the Star Tea store they are selling high grade canned goods at less than half price. The cost has absolutely nothing to do with the price. They are introducing their excellent teas and propose to give their customers what they might otherwise spend in expensive advertising.

LIQUOR BY EXPRESS.

Many No-License Cities Interested in Proposed Law.

A Legislative hearing was given at the State House Friday on the proposed bill relative to transportation of liquor into no-license towns. The first section of the bill reads:

"All intoxicating liquors transported for delivery in a city or town where licenses of the first five classes have not been granted when transported for hire or reward, shall be delivered by the seller or consignor only to a common carrier duly licensed and authorized thereby to transport intoxicating liquors and who is registered in the clerk's office of said city or town."

Chief of Police Drury of Chelsea, Henry H. Faxon of Quincy, Henry C. Leach of Salem, ex-Senator George J. Burns of Ayer, Mayor Farnham of Malden, J. F. Almy of Salem and A. F. Freeman of Chatham appeared in favor of the bill, while letters were read from residents and officials of Gloucester, Chelsea, Everett, Quincy, Brookline and other places, all in its favor. There were no remonstrants.

Mr. Faxon told of his experience with the agent who was selling by samples in Quincy last fall, and waxed warm over the "rascally expressmen." He said: "I would give my check for $10,000 if I could only prove one-tenth of what I know. These fellows evade and violate the law—there's no doubt about it, but you can't prove it, I realize that very well. Every glass of rum that is sold as a beverage contains from one to twenty lies."

To a member of the committee who inquired whether Mr. Faxon thought that his bill would prevent illegal rum-selling, he replied quickly:—

"No, you can't make a law that a rum-seller can't get around some way. You can only restrict him as much as possible. You know they say I've bought and sold rum myself, and that's what gives me an insight into the business."

Representative Bleiler of Boston, who was born in Germany, and who numbers among his constituents numerous brewers and their employes, undertook to question Mr. Faxon. He did not like the idea of a law that might make it impossible for the poor men at Hough's Neck to order a case of beer with their corned beef.

HAS HE RESIGNED?

The Name of Commissioner Morrell Not Signed to County Report.

A report of the Norfolk county receipts and expenditures for 1896 has been issued approved by Thomas Blanchard and Edwin D. Wadsworth. The absence of the name of Melville P. Morrell has led to the report that he has resigned. The members of the board in 1896 were Messrs. Morrell, Bowker and Blanchard and it would seem as if these gentlemen should have approved of the report of County Treasurer Smith. Whether this is so or not, Mr. Morrell was a member both years and his name should appear unless he has resigned.

W. S. Osborne as Phebe.

A dozen or more Quincy friends of Mr. William S. Osborne were highly entertained last night at the Bijou opera house, Boston, when the Bank Officers association gave a burlesque on "Pinafore." It was a pleasing entertainment throughout, and all were delighted at the success of Mr. Osborne, as Phebe, the bud. As a charming blondein decollete his friendsrecognized him with difficulty.

The Herald says: "Mr. Osborne was an excellent second as Phebe."

The Globe adds: "W. S. Osborne made a fine looking Phebe, and in some respects was the most consistent girl of the whole cast; his singing being thoroughly enjoyable also.

The Advertiser says: "The two real ladies of the burlesque were of course Josephine and Phebe, played by F. N. Kerr and W. S. Osborne. Osborne's voice, though essentially masculine, had a feminine element in it that was easily appreciated."

The Post comments, "Phebe was well made up, a very passable girl, with an artistic complexion, a haughty sniff and a forty-four inch waist. Phebe worked in a solo, "If You Love Me Tell," and was encored. A bunch of large yellow chysanthemums were thrown at her feet, but as she stooped to pick them up some one pulled a string attached to them and she missed them.

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The Lively Game of the Flying Key—The Persian Horse—Not Fond of Water. Jenny Lind's One In Ten.

"Is John Cobbler within?"
"Yes, sir; he is."
"Can he mend a shoe?"
"Aye, master—two.
Here a nail and there a nail,
Tick tack too.
Hammer in and hammer out,
That's how we do,
With a tick tack, tick tack!
Call again at two."

But I am not going to tell you merely how to play hunt the slipper because, of course, you all know that noisy, lively frolic, which just suits the small boys and girls who are young enough and romps enough to enjoy scrambling about on the floor and may as well sit down there as anywhere else, but to their elders, who do not care for quite such a mad game, I am going to tell of the flying key, a good game, closely related to our hunt the slipper, and, as such, much delighted in by French and German youngsters at their parties.

The key, which must be a small one, is slipped on to a long length of string tied into a loose ring, which all the players hold with both hands. One player, of course, hides the key in her palm at starting, but no one must know who it is that has it. The searcher stands in the center, and, of course, his or her business is to find out who has the key, and everybody else's business is to put him or her on a false track and, uttering exclamations such as "Hide it!" "Hold it fast!" anxiously and shuffling their hands up and down, pretending to pass the key to their bustling neighbor, who also sends it along, or appears to be doing so.

The searcher pounces on one pair of hands, then on another, crying, "Who has got my cupboard key?" "Not I, sir—not I," is the answer, and whoever is pounced upon must open wide both hands for a moment, then may clutch the cord again, perhaps when she feels the key slipped in her fingers by a neighbor, while poor searcher is perhaps calling wildly on the other side of the ring, "Who has got my cupboard key?" and, pouncing on another pair of empty hands, to hear a laughing "Not I, sir—not I! Try next door." When it is found, the player who had it becomes searcher in turn, and the searcher in turn takes the vacant place in the ring.

The Persian Horse.

Persian horses are to be admired and liked, says Mrs. Bishop in "Journeys In Persia." She tells that their beauty is a source of constant enjoyment, and they are almost invariably gentle and docile. It is in vain to form any resolution against making a pet of one of them. Concerning her own horse, Boy, she says:

Boy insists on being petted and his enticing ways are irresistible. He is always tethered in front of my tent with a rope long enough to give him considerable liberty, and he took advantage of it the very first day to come into the tent and make it apparent that he wanted me to divide a lemon with him. Grapes were his preference; then came cucumbers, bread and biscuits. Finally he drank milk out of a soup plate. He comes up to me and puts down his head to have his ears rubbed, and if I do not attend to him at once, or if I cease attending to him, he gives me a gentle but admonitory thump. I dine outside the tent, and he is tied to my chair and waits with wonderful patience for the odds and ends, only occasionally rubbing his nose against my face to remind me he is there.

Not Fond of Water.

It is said that the Eskimos dislike water very much. Therefore they hardly ever wash themselves, and when they do so their toilet is rough and ready. If their feet get wet, they change their boots at once, as the extreme cold of the climate renders their feet icy and their boots stiff after a dip in the water. No doubt this also is the reason why they so seldom enjoy the luxury of a wash. So, too, they cannot swim, and, even if they could, the accomplishment would be useless, since the cold water would freeze them in no time. When an Eskimo mamma thinks her infant needs a little polishing up, she uses her tongue!

Jenny Lind's One In Ten.

The friend in need that is the friend indeed usually does good by stealth. That seems to have been the way with Jenny Lind, the famous singer. She was always opening her purse to help the poor and distressed. Often she was seen to leave her house for the purpose apparently of paying a visit, but really with the object of tracing out cases of hardship and relieving them. Many times her friends warned her that she was liable to make mistakes and be imposed upon. "Ah," she would answer on such occasions, "if I help ten and one is worthy, I am satisfied."

The Buffalo's Ball.

The Animals all went out to tea,
For the Buffalo gave a ball.
He invited the smiling Chimpanzee
And the surly Dog and all.
The Elephant, too, was a guest to be,
But the Frog was considered too small.

The Goose came flying the country through;
The Horse, with his friendly neigh;
The Iceland Cat was invited, too,
And the Jackal from over the way,
But nobody thought of the Kangaroo,
So he haughtily kept away.

The Lion, of course, was located there,
And the Moorhen—beautiful thing!—
With her modest glance and her plumage fair;
The Nightingale came to sing,
And of Oxen two—such a pretty pair!—
And the Paradise Bird on the wing.

The Quail had come from his leafy home,
The Rat with his curling tail;
The Seal had slipped through the wreathing foam;
The Tortoise was looking pale;
The Unicorn also, who loved to roam,
Had promised he would not fail.

The Viper, because of his venomous sting,
Was not invited at all,
Nor the Whale, being such an enormous thing,
So wondrously stout and tall.
The excellent Yellowbird, rather hoarse,
Said he'd "only looked in to call,"
And the Zebra was late because he, of course,
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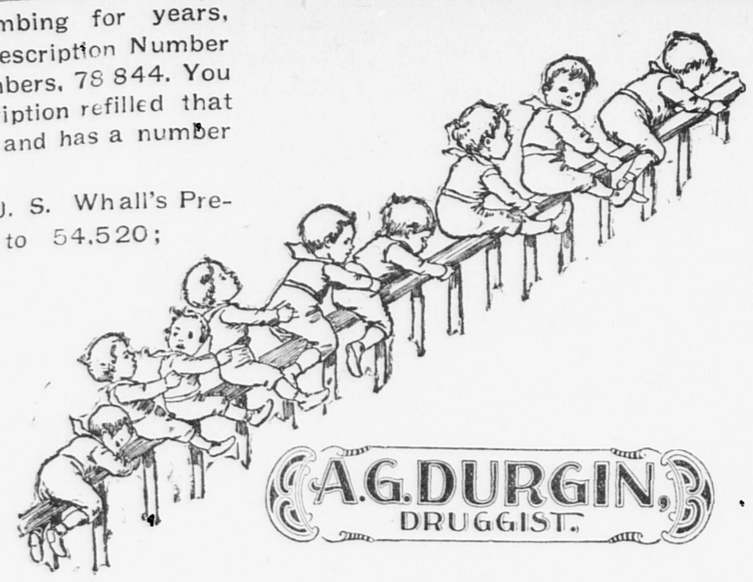
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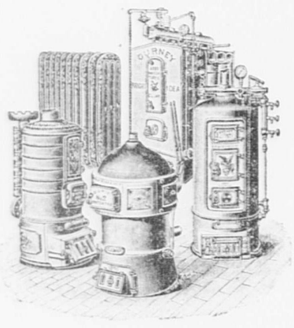
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NOTICE TO PARENTS.
CITY OF QUINCY.
CITY CLERK'S OFFICE, Dec. 14, 1896.
THE Record of births in any city or town is always more or less unsatisfactory, owing to the fact that the canvasser finds difficulty in getting the necessary information. Names and dates are frequently given incorrectly. The importance of accuracy is shown in many cases where there is a question of descent, or inheritance of property, or collection of life insurance or pensions. The City Clerk's copy of the record is accepted as conclusive evidence in a court of law. While great pains are taken by this office to have the record correct, experience shows that it is necessary that parents themselves should lend their assistance. In fact the law requires that parents shall give notice to the City Clerk of the birth of their children, and provides a penalty for neglect to give such notice for the space of six months.
It often happens that only children or servants are at home when the canvasser makes his call, and the answers to his questions are open to doubt. I therefore request all parents in whose households a birth has occurred in the year 1896, to place upon a paper or card the required information, and keep it in a convenient place until the canvasser appears.
The canvass will be commenced on Jan. 1st 1897.
HARRISON A. KEITH, City Clerk.
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Direct Wires from Wollaston, Atlantic South and West Quincy and Point.

A cold wave tonight, continuing Sunday and Monday.

Several cases of scarlet fever are reported at West Quincy

Copies of the jury list have been posted in the several wards.

New Legislative hearings are advertised daily in the LEDGER.

The Democratic City Committee will organize next Wednesday evening.

Officer Barry, who has been on the sick list for the past two weeks, has returned to duty.

The stone yards have nearly all been closed this week owing to the severe cold weather.

The city officers are making their annual reports to the Mayor and bids have been asked for printing the city book.

Miss Grace E. Drumm of Holbrook has resigned her school at Brookville and accepted a position in a school in Quincy.

The Cunard line have issued some attractive calendars, which are being distributed by Mr. Holden, the Quincy agent.

The Ward Two Republican Committee organized last night with T. H. Newcomb as chairman and John S. Gay, secretary.

The Nonpareil Social club held a dance at Hancock hall Friday evening which was quite largely attended and a good time enjoyed.

Owing to the removal of the Granite City club the January meeting of the Hospital Aid Association will be held Thursday, January 28th at 2 30 P. M., in the Unitarian chapel.

The Fragment society will meet in the Unitarian chapel, Wednesday afternoon, Jan. 27th, at two o'clock. Will the ladies who are to serve as supper committee on Wednesday, Feb. 3d, please be present at this meeting.

Prof. and Mrs. Frank Wrigley have written and composed a musical medley of an English pantomine which is to be given the first week in February by the children directed by Mrs. Wrigley and under the patronage of the ladies of the Episcopal church.

The Merrymount Granite company has elected these officers: Clerk, John Sullivan; treasurer, John C. Kapples; agent, Patrick W. Driscoll; directors, John Sullivan, John C. Kapples, Patrick W. Driscoll, Enos S. Costa, Michael B. Geary, James H. Sullivan, Lemuel J. Myers.

Serious Accident.

James Daly, employed at the quarry of the Craig & Richards Granite Co., had a narrow escape from being killed Friday. He was engaged in making some repairs to the rope of the hoisting engine when his clothing got caught. He was drawn into the drum which holds the guy rope, and before the engine could be stopped he was carried around the drum three times, being held there by the guy rope. When taken out it was found his leg was broken and he was injured about the body and arms.

Fortunately there was no weight on the guy rope at the time or he must have been cut to pieces. Daly was removed to the City Hospital.

OUR NEW YORK LETTER.

Revival of the Diary Habit—The Line a Day Book—Art In "Grotesque New York" — Stock Companies.

[Special Correspondence.]

The "diary habit," as it used to be called, is generally supposed to have died out to a great extent in this country, although it has always enjoyed great vogue on the other side of the water among the members of the "leisure" class. A large stationer of this city is, however, authority for the statement that the sale of personal diaries was larger last year than for the entire preceding decade, and that the sales during January, 1897, have exceeded those made during the whole of 1896. This he attributes to the revival of the diary habit here, which he says may be accounted for by the recent common sense improvements the manufacturers saw were necessary unless they were willing to have one branch of their industry entirely wiped out. The item of expense was formerly not an inconsiderable one, and then after the year had gone by the old diary was soon lost, and the erstwhile owner was thereby deprived of future contemplation of the small things which had been recorded. As this is the main reason for the keeping of a diary, the makers set about devising a plan to overcome this objection and incidentally to boom the sale of their wares.

The Line a Day Book.

This they think they have at last succeeded in doing by means of what they have named the "line a day book." The owner is supposed to jot down her adventures day by day, condensing them into one line. The advantage of the scheme lies in thus being able to look back for almost any length of time and see just what she was doing upon that same day in such and such a year. Its disadvantages lie in the difficulty of condensing the doings of any 24 hours into one line, and also in the real strain, as it becomes after awhile, if that inexorable line is to be written at each day's end. But in that is the discipline of the line a day book.

It is excellent schooling for any one with a leaning toward laziness or irregularity of habits. It is also much less likely to be given up at the end of a few weeks, as are most diaries. Every one remembers the little boy who started out bravely upon his diary, only to chronicle at the close of the fourth day, "Forget what did." "Forget what did," "Forget what did" and "Forget what did" were the entries also for the fifth, sixth and seventh days, at the end of which time the little boy wrote, "Have decided not to keep a diary." This is not so far fetched as it may sound, nor is it altogether typical of little boys alone.

Art In "Grotesque New York."

George Henry Payne, the well known litterateur, declares that to many people it may seem strange that the greatest of American painters are not Americans. We like to think of Sargent as a compatriot, but he is so far removed from us as to have been considered for the position now filled by Poynter. If Whistler is an American, he is probably not aware of the fact. Facts of this kind have been discouraging to many who are patrons of art and Americans at the same time, but very recently there has been evident a movement that cannot help but bring light even unto the most somber eyed pessimists. Artists who had been so long abroad as to become almost expatriated have seen sufficiently of the drift toward better things in public tastes as to dare the home climate again. Two of our greatest sculptors have not given up the soil, and, although this seems much like a negative boast, it is a great thing for art in America when a really good artist can find recognition of his merits in his own country. Mr. Macmonnies, it is true, is a resident of Paris at present, but despite the coyness of Boston he finds honor and profit in his own land.

The experiment of George Grey Barnard is a little more daring. His was the success of the salon of the Champ de Mars in 1894, the connoisseurs were enthusiastic over his genius, and one critic wrote him down as the greatest sculptor since Michael Angelo. It may seem strange that Mr. Barnard should leave the place where he is understood, appreciated and honored and come to "grotesque New York," but it is not so strange that grotesque New York should hem and haw before finally accepting Mr. Barnard.

Theatrical Stock Companies.

It is more than strange that a city of the size and importance of New York should not be able to maintain a single purely "stock" theatrical company. It is true that there are several very excellent organizations known as such here, but they are not stock companies in the strictest acceptation of the term, for the reason that all of them spend as much of their time elsewhere as they do in this city, utilizing the metropolitan indorsement as a means of attracting audiences "on the road." Philadelphia has two regular companies devoted to the drama and one to opera which remain there all the time and are therefore entitled to the designation. For many years also Boston had a permanent organization attached to the Museum, but that has gone the way of the others. Even now, however, the Hub has a comic opera company which finds it profitable to remain there year in and year out. It is reported that another effort is to be made to establish a company here which will produce a new play every two or three weeks. If the enterprise is properly conducted, from an artistic as well as a business standpoint, it would appear to the average individual that the projectors ought to be able to coin money, especially if they have the foresight to realize that $1 is enough for the best seat in any theater in any city.

JOSEPH RUSSELL.

It has been finally decided to shoot the Grand American Live Bird Handicap at Elkwood park, Branchport, N. J.

BRAINTREE.

Mr. Ansel O. Clark is still confined to his home.

There seem to be several candidates for the office of Town Clerk.

Next Monday night is the date set by the Literary society for the turkey supper.

A delegation of ladies from the South church went to hear Moody Thursday afternoon.

Mr. Adoniram Dyer, who has been bookkeeper for H. M. White for twenty-six years, severed his connection with that store Thursday.

The scholars of the Monatiquot school will hold an entertainment and dance in the Town Hall, Friday evening, for the purpose of buying Globe coupons for Miss Colbert.

The regular meeting of the Choral Society was held Wednesday evening and some new selections from the Apograph were taken up. Six new members were admitted and the society starts in after its successful concert with renewed interest.

The concert at the South Congregational church tomorrow evening promises to be one of the best of the season.

The largest crowd ever seen on the meadows was present Saturday night. They came in clubs from Weymouth and Quincy and they skated until a late hour; after which they enjoyed a luncheon at a local hotel.

There was a slight blaze in the house of Elisha Morse on Washington street, Wednesday afternoon, caused by a chimney taking fire. The loss was adjusted and settled the following day by Mr. C. H. Hobart, who placed the insurance.

Mr. George D. Willis has presented to the Public Library a complete roster of all the soldiers and sailors that enlisted or served in any way, from Massachusetts during the civil war. The work is in two volumes and is of inestimable value.

O. H. Gibbs, superintendent of the Baptist Sunday School, was presented last Saturday evening, with a handsome chair. The presentation speech was made by Mrs. Winslow, and the evening devoted to games and music,

The fifth annual ball of Division 12, A. O. H., held last evening at the Town Hall was a very successful affair. The attendance was by far the largest that has ever been seen at functions of this popular organization. Fully 175 couples enjoyed the occasion.

Evangelist Boynton and his wife of Medford commenced a series of revival services at the Baptist church Wednesday evening. The meeting was interesting and well attended. The singing led by Mrs. Boynton, was very pleasing. The meetings are to be continued.

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BORN.

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MARRIED.

BOWDITCH—FORSTER—In Milton, Jan. 20, by Rev. William H. Lyon, Mr. Frederick C. Bowditch of Brookline, to Miss Elizabeth T. Forster.

DIED.

JOHANSON—In Quincy, Jan. 20, Eslan G., son of Mr. Johan and Mrs. Alida C. Johanson, aged 6 months and 2 days.
KEAY—In Braintree, Jan. 19, Mayna M., daughter of Mr. Roscoe W. and Mrs. Mabel A. Keay, aged 1 year and 5 months.
HOLLIS—In Braintree, Jan. 16, Susan A., widow of Minot Hollis, aged 82 years, 4 months and 18 days.
HOLLIS—In Braintree, Jan. 19, Harwood W., infant son of Mr. Orin W. and Mrs. Anna R. Hollis, aged 6 months and 12 days.

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TO the next-of-kin and all other persons interested in Edward J. McKenna and Ellen L. McKenna, both of Quincy in said County of Norfolk, minors.

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said Court by Eugene A. McKenna of Quincy, in the County of Norfolk, praying for the appointment of himself or some other suitable person as guardian of said minors.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Quincy, in said County of Norfolk, on the tenth day of February, A. D. 1897, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why a guardian should not be appointed, as aforesaid.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give notice thereof to the next of kin of said minors and others interested, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the QUINCY DAILY LEDGER, a newspaper published in said Quincy, the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, or by delivering a copy thereof to the said kindred at least seven days before the said Court.

Witness, George White, Esquire, Judge of said Court this twenty-second day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.
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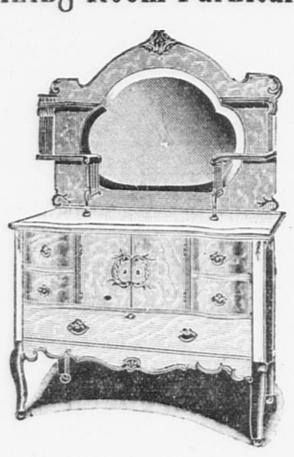
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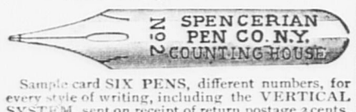
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The undersigned, being all the stockholders of the W. H Doble Company, respectfully represents that said Company was duly constituted a corporation according to the provisions of the one hundred and sixth chapter of the Public Statutes of said Commonwealth on the second day of February, A. D., 883, that the purpose for which said corporation was constituted was to manufacture and sell at wholesale and retail pies, cakes, puddings, candies and pastry of all kinds, and the wholesale and retail purchase and sale of groceries, provisions, meats, boots, shoes, slippers, men and women's foot wear, dry goods and men and women's furnishing goods of all kinds, and crockery, glass, china wooden and earthen wear of all kinds; that the place within which said corporation was established was the city of Quincy, within said Commonwealth; that the capital stock of said corporation was twenty thousand dollars divided into two hundred shares of the par value of one hundred dollars each; that the said capital was fully paid in, in cash at the time of the organization; that the said business was thereafter transacted at a loss; that the corporation does not owe any debts; that a special meeting of the company held on this date, in which the entire capital stock was represented, it was unanimously voted to petition this Honorable Court for dissolution; that your petitioners desire to close the concerns of said corporation, and that reasonable cause exists therefor as set forth above.

Wherefore they pray that a decree may be made by this Honorable Court dissolving the said corporation.

Dated February 14, 1896.

Name.	Residence.	No. of Shares.
ARTHUR H. DOBLE,	Quincy, Mass.,	five.
ENOCH H. DOBLE,	Quincy, Mass.,	one hundred and ninety-five.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

NORFOLK, ss. Supreme Judicial Court.

Upon the foregoing petition it is ordered that the petitioners give notice to all persons interested, to appear before the Justices of our said Supreme Judicial Court, to be holden at Dedham, within and for said County of Norfolk, on the first Monday of March next, by causing an attested copy of said petition and of this order thereon, to be published in the QUINCY DAILY LEDGER, a newspaper published at Quincy in said County, once in a week for three successive weeks, the last publication to be thirty days at least before the said first Monday of March next, that they may then and there appear and show cause why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.

By the Court,

LOUIS A. COOK, Clerk.

Jan. 11, 1897.

A true copy of petition and of the order thereon.

Attest: R. B. WORTHINGTON,
3t 16-23-30 Assistant Clerk.

LIVELY DAY IN SENATE.

Letter From Central American Ministers Causes Hot Debate.

Senator Morgan Resents Interference.

Claims England Wants to Get Control of Nicaragua Canal.

Washington, Jan. 23.—Yesterday's proceedings of the senate were intensely interesting, and at times sensational.

Sherman created quite a sensation by presenting and having read a communication from the minister of the Greater Republic of Central America to the secretary of state, which had been transmitted by Secretary Olney. The communication criticised the pending Nicaragua canal bill in various particulars, and pointed out certain objections which in his opinion would render them nugatory. The communication was signed by J. D. Rodriguez.

As soon as the communication had been read Morgan took the floor. He said the communication had come before the senate in proper form, because it came through the state department; but the senate had no knowledge who the signer was; did not even know officially of the existence of the "great republic of Central America." "Rodriguez is the accredited representative here of that republic," interrupted Mr. Sherman.

"I understand," replied Morgan, "that he has been received by the diplomatic corps, but this is our first knowledge that such a government exists. The president in receiving this representative of the diet distinctly informed him, as we learn from the newspapers, that our relations with the peoples of the governments he represented would be in no wise affected."

Morgan said the British government was interested in counteracting the purposes of the United States as to Nicaragua. He had so expressed his conviction to the secretary of state. British railway lines had been established across the isthmus for the distinct purpose of securing exclusive control of this isthmus communication. This belief was confirmed by recent developments.

Turning to the letter from Minister Rodriguez, the senator exclaimed: "Great Britain is using that diet as a catspaw for the purpose of driving us out of the isthmus. That is a serious statement, but I make it deliberately in the United States senate and it demands an answer. That answer must be given before there is any ratification of this new arbitration treaty."

Morgan said it was an unusual thing that the minister for this new republic should send such a communication. If these governments desired to forfeit any concessions they should do it, and then the American congress would determine if there should have been a violation of contract rights given to American citizens.

Senator Hale interposed the suggestion that Minister Rodriguez' letter seemed to raise a grave question as to whether the measure under consideration could proceed. Whether this could be explained or not he was not able to say, but he asked Morgan, in charge of the bill, as to the status since the presentation of this letter.

Other senators interposed questions and intense interest was shown in the appearance of the unexpected letter. White asked if there was a minister from Nicaragua.

Morgan explained the diplomatic status. Nicaragua was formerly represented by a minister, Dr. Guzman, but he had gone. Nicaragua had entered the Central American republic, and this latter union had sent Minister Rodriguez to represent it at Washington.

"This is an impertinent intrusion, thrust in our face while the senate is seeking to settle the isthmian question."

Morgan favored making Nicaragua live up to her contract and concessions. Until lately she had favored American construction of the canal. And yet she comes here with two other Central American countries, and raised objections which, if held to be good, would end the prospect of American control of the Nicaragua canal. The American people would not quietly give up the right to control that great waterway, whatever clamor may be raised for a peace treaty with Great Britain. The presentation of this letter, coming from the secretary of state, meant that the president of the United States had determined that the pending Nicaraguan canal bill was not to be allowed to pass. That was a remarkable threat, and yet it was so in line with previous executive action that Mr. Morgan said he felt quite prepared for the interference.

Morgan said that the real cause for the appearance of this Rodriguez letter was that it proposed a renewal of the Frelinghuysen-Savalla treaty, by which we were to pay Nicaragua $4,000,000.

"Does Nicaragua wish to handle that $4,000,000?" inquired Morgan, suggestively.

The senator believed this was the real motive for the appearance of the letter.

Morgan said the pending bill proposed to submit to the government of Nicaragua the question whether it would accept the contract, but Nicaragua had no right to come here and attempt to interfere with our action by saying that the bill would violate a treaty. If she did not desire to accept the contract she could reject it. If the position of Nicaragua, as presented by this communication, could be sustained, it would enable her to go to Great Britain with the proposition she desired to press here on the United States.

Morgan said the letter of Rodriguez was in effect a notice to the senate not to pass the Nicaragua canal bill. With this threat "flaunted in our faces," and the Anglo-American treaty standing ahead of us, the United States senate might as well close its work and surrender the functions as to accept the views of this minister, about whom the senate knows nothing.

Hale insisted that Rodriguez was fully recognized; the letter of Secretary Olney termed him "minister of the Central American republic." Nicaragua had merged her identity into the new republic. Hale insisted that the minister's protest was of the gravest importance.

Proceeding, Morgan said it was regrettable that senators were under such contempt from the president that they were not informed as to the circumstances of Rodriguez' presence. The president had, at the ceremony of recognition, expressly stated that the obligations originally entered into by the several states of the American union were in no way surrendered. But the senate was in such humiliating position that the president gave it no information as to this important question. The entire plan of building the canal might as well be abandoned if this threat from Rodriguez was heeded. Would the next step be to ratify a treaty which further hedged and protected Great Britain? That might satisfy some gentlemen who liked foreign titles and decorations and aristocracy, but it did not suit him, and he would never approve it.

He said this was a serious moment in the senate. It was being tendered a "halter" with which to hang itself for at least five years. The United States had stood by silently while the British had occupied Corinto. And now this proposition of blackmail was presented which threatened to destroy the bill. He expected and awaited a motion to recommit the bill.

Morgan said an inquiry should be started. It was useless for him to propose an inquiry, as the state department would decline to answer. "This movement of Rodriguez was inspired by the British government," exclaimed Mr. Morgan, "and he was sent here for that purpose."

Hale answered that he did not consider the assertion justified. He felt, too, that the word "blackmail" was ill-chosen and that Nicaragua's motive was not open to such insinuations.

Vilas said the communication from the minister of a friendly power added a death blow to the pending canal bill. The senator paid a high tribute to the Central American states, and severely criticised the statement that "blackmail" was implied by the communication just presented. It ill became senators of the great neighboring republic to use such terms toward the republics of the south. The letter of Minister Rodriguez was dignified and respectful, addressed to the proper branch of the government, the state department. He could not believe the senate would disregard this communication of grave importance, coming from the representative of a friendly power.

Yesterday was private bill day in the house, and most of the time was consumed with small bills. The bill to provide for holding terms of the United States court of the eastern district of Texas at the town of Beaumont was passed over the president's veto by a vote of 144 to 68. Incidental to the discussion, Mr. Cooper of Texas remarked that the president vetoed the bill through a misapprehension, and that he had vainly tried to get an audience with Mr. Cleveland to explain the measure.

Mr. Grosvenor of Ohio spoke sarcastically of the president's custom of refusing to see congressmen unless his private secretary approved of their errands.

A bill to pay William P. Buckmaster of St. Louis, the survivor of the Fulton Iron Works company of Brooklyn, $22,000, for work on the warship Otsego, in 1862, was defeated.

Pension bills for the survivors of Gray's battalion of Arkansas volunteers, who served in the Mexican war, and their widows; for the widow of General Green Clay Smith, at $50 a month; the widow of General George J. Leet, at $25, were passed.

After the night pension session, the house adjourned until Monday.

Permanent Coast Defense Association.

Tampa, Fla., Jan. 23.—The South Atlantic and Gulf States harbor and coast defense and improvement convention finished its work yesterday. A permanent National Coast Defense association was organized, with the following officers: President, General Horace Porter, New York; secretary, Colonel James A. Frye, Massachusetts; vice presidents, John B. Gordon, Georgia; General Lew Wallace, Indiana; A. K. McClure, Pennsylvania; General R. A. Alger, Michigan; M. H. De Young, California; William Miller, Florida; John C. Ropes, Massachusetts; national committee, Frank Q. Brown, Massachusetts; A. A. Willey, Florida; Captain J. E. O'Brien, Florida; S. G. McLendon, Georgia; Major T. G. De Frees, Indiana; A. D. Wetherell, Illinois; W. B. Haldeman, Kentucky; J. W. Dupree, Louisiana; A. C. Babb, Minnesota; E. A. McAlpin, New York; C. W. Dewey, North Carolina; S. E. Stebbins, North Dakota; William B. Thompson, Pennsylvania; J. A. Hemphill, South Carolina; Harry Wells, Vermont. Resolutions appropriate to the object of the association were adopted.

Union Pacific Settlement.

New York, Jan. 23.—Announcement is made by the Union Pacific reorganization committee that it has come to an agreement with the government, in accordance with which the latter has begun foreclosure proceedings of its lien upon the Union Pacific lines, inclusive of the Kansas Pacific lines. The reorganization committee guarantees a minimum bid of something over $45,000,000 for the government's claim upon the railroad, and for the government Union Pacific sinking fund, and has deposited $4,500,000 as earnest money. Kuhn, Loeb & Co., bankers, for the reorganization committee, have assured to the committee the funds required to carry its agreement with the government into effect.

American Wins Suit.

Pretoria, Jan. 23.—The high court has decided in favor of the American engineer, R. E. Brown, who sued the government for a declaration of rights in his favor respecting certain claims at Witfontein, or in default, demanding the payment of £1,000,000. The suit arose from the government proclaiming Witfontein to be open for gold mining on a certain date, whereupon Mr. Brown pegged out large blocks of claims. But in the meantime the government withdrew the proclamation and afterwards proclaimed Witfontein under the lottery law.

Famine In Rhodesia.

London, Jan. 23.—A Cape Town dispatch says that reports have been received there that famine exists in Rhodesia. Thousands of terribly emaciated native women besiege the native office at Buluwayo, clamoring piteously for food. The natives are flocking to Buluwayo and exhuming the carcasses of cattle which died from rinderpest, and which were buried six months ago. They devour these, and, as consequence, a terrible mortality prevails among them.

Mrs. Dupont's Case.

Boston, Jan. 23.—Judge Barker signed yesterday a writ of habeas corpus to hold Mrs. Annie M. Dupont, accused of embezzlement in New York, in this city until her identity can be established. The case is set for Tuesday morning.

NOT BECOMING OF GENTLEMEN.

Faculty at Harvard Disapproves of Tree Exercises on Class Day.

Cambridge, Mass., Jan. 23.—The time-honored tree exercises, which for years have been the most picturesque feature of every Harvard class day, are to be abolished, if the corporation has its way in the matter. This much was settled in the meeting yesterday between the '97 class day committee and a committee of the corporation, and the result of the conference has stirred up a veritable hornet's nest throughout the college. The corporation's committee, with President Eliot at its head, is unanimously opposed to a continuance of the old custom, but Harvard men everywhere will make a strenuous fight to save the traditional tree exercises.

The corporation first manifested its opposition on the grounds that the seating of such a large number of people in so small an inclosure as that around the tree was very dangerous. The objection was satisfactorily obviated by the class day committee, who made arrangements for limiting the attendance and providing more exits. Other concessions were made, which were satisfactory to the corporation, but now that body has pursued another tack, and show their real objection to the whole custom.

The corporation says that the scrimmage must be abolished for several reasons. First, on account of roughness of the scrimmage for the flowers; secondly, because football clothes, which that roughness makes necessary to wear, are dirty and offensive; thirdly, because the exercises have become a fight to pay off old scores, and, finally, because the exercises have become "unappropriate for cultivated gentlemen and for a Harvard class day."

The corporation's committee is irrevocably in favor of abolishing the custom, or at least the scrimmage, which is really the main feature of the exercise. Mass meetings, petitions and arguments before the corporation are suggested. The feeling is as strong as when the faculty attempted to abolish football, and a gallant fight will be made before so revered a tradition of seniors' day at Harvard is swept away.

Reform Scheme Perfected.

Washington, Jan. 23.—The reform scheme for the island of Cuba has been perfected by the Spanish government, and its promulgation and application is now a matter of but a few days unless some untoward happening disturbs the program. It will not be announced today, however, as was anticipated in some quarters, from the fact that this is the young king's saint day. While the details of the new scheme are withheld from the public as yet, it is believed that their scope is known to the president and to Secretary Olney, and that in their opinion they embody at least a fair measure of reform principles. At present the effort of the Spanish government is to make sure that the plan is acceptable to all parties in Spain and on the island of Cuba, so as to avoid friction in putting the reforms into effect and to guarantee permanence for the system when once it is adopted. The promulgation of the plan, it is thought, will be accompanied or closely followed by the announcement of a general amnesty, extending not only to insurgents now in the field, who may under the existing order of General Weyler receive amnesty upon surrender to any Spanish commander, but also to persons imprisoned in Havana and other Cuban towns, and even in Ceuta and other penal settlements, providing that the offenses charged against them are purely political.

Excitement In Parliament.

London, Jan. 23.—Sir Henry Howorth, Conservative member for the south division of Salford, created a sensation in the house of commons last night by moving an amendment censuring the government for releasing the Irish prisoners convicted of dynamiting. Sir Henry is a Tory, and is master of a biting style of oratory. He spoke of "star chamber," "secret decisions," and used other unpleasant phrases, and also suggested that the dynamiters were shamming madness. Mr. Balfour, the government leader, rose in a white heat, his voice trembling with passion and indignation, as he vehemently repudiated Sir Henry's insinuations, which he declared meant that he himself and his colleagues were unworthy to lead the party.

Alleged Forger Arrested

Waterbury, Conn., Jan. 23.—Harry M. Brown, alias P. C. Crittenden, an alleged forger, who has been doing various towns in Massachusetts and this state, was arrested here yesterday. The Eastern Specialty company, 39 Oliver street, Boston, is among his victims, as he had been getting drafts cashed on them which were worthless, and they sent out the description which led to his arrest.

Defendant on the Stand

St. John, N. B., Jan. 23.—In the Dutcher murder trial, John F. Sullivan, the prisoner, went on the stand in his own behalf. According to his testimony, Sullivan was not in the locality anywhere near the time of the murder. In cross-examination, in reply to a question, he declared: "As God is my judge, I never molested the Dutchers in my life."

Columbia Will Compete.

New York, Jan. 23.—The alumni and undergraduates of Columbia college held an enthusiastic meeting yesterday and adopted a resolution to the effect that the Columbia should be represented by a crew in the triangular race to be held at Poughkeepsie, in which crews from Cornell, Pennsylvania and Harvard will compete.

Victims of Wreck

New York, Jan. 23.—One of the bodies washed ashore from the wreck of the schooner Nahum Chapin, which went ashore off Quogue, L. I., and the crew of nine men lost, has been identified by his brother as that of Captain Arey. Only two bodies have yet been recovered.

Aged Man Drops Dead.

Belfast, Me., Jan. 23.—David Lancaster, one of the oldest business men in this city, dropped dead in his grocery last night. He was 83 years old.

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THE HOUSEHOLD.

Echoes From the Social World—Draperies and Furniture Coverings. The Louis XV Style.

The "coming out" reception shows signs of becoming less fashionable. A writer in the New York Tribune explains that a "tea" is so general and society has attained such magnificent dimensions that no ordinary private house is capable of containing what used to be known as the Four Hundred. So the most exclusive women this year are hesitating about giving the world to understand in this fashion that their daughters are "out."

A certain grande dame, it is said, has expressed the general feeling of her set by saying, "I really cannot open my doors to such a rabble." She has adopted a most sensible method, which undoubtedly will become a precedent. She has inclosed her own and her daughter's cards in envelopes and simply sent them by post. This really gives the world all the information that is necessary—namely, that the girl is grown up and is ready to receive invitations. Some of the "teas" of last year in moderate sized houses were crushes that were beyond description. Certainly such an ordeal gives pleasure to neither guests nor hostess and it would be far better that the card system should obtain vogue.

Year by year society has become more exacting in its demands for novel ways of serving ice cream. Caterers, hotel keepers and moldmakers have struggled to keep pace with the craze, and this year their efforts have culminated in unique designs, in which electric lights are a startling feature and an ice cream lamp a popular model. Around the table a white satin covered electric wire is run. It is almost invisible. At each cover, attached to this wire, is an ingenious contrivance by which a bulb can be adjusted in a second behind the plate.

Among the most popular designs in serving ice cream used today is one which consists of two engravings, on the thinnest of paper, representing some well known picture, frozen on to the ice cream, which is molded in the shape of an open book. This is very popular at musicals, an open sheet of music being substituted for the engraving.

Frozen centerpieces are in great demand. One of the most popular is an oval basket. It is composed entirely of ice, different colored waters being dexterously frozen into the desired shape. Then the basket is filled with ice cream, molded in the shapes and colors of various fruits and trimmed with artificial leaves. Possibly the most imposing frozen centerpiece ever seen at a banquet was the statue of Liberty. The base consisted of 13 quarts of varicolored ice cream, while the figure of Liberty, which was 3 feet high, was in pure white ice.

Draperies and Coverings.

In draperies and furniture coverings, according to Art Amateur, there is no difference between the colors of the summer and the winter, for in the upholsterers' shops the light and medium tones are sold now in the midst of winter. Very few really dark colors are seen. There are very handsome shades of mahogany red, but usually combined in stripes, one of which is plain, the other filled with a figured design. The French goods in this line are very successful, even when they imitate Japanese and Persian styles. In wool and silk tapestries the colors are richer and more in the solid English style. A material for portieres, with the English name of derby satin, though made in France, is a brocatelle of silk and linen. It is only made in light colors, two in each design. A new material from France is called the frou frou and can be bought either in ready made sizes or by the yard. Other portieres are made of a heavy cotton red, of one color, on which a design, an arabasque, is painted with a solid tone, then outlined with gold braid. Though not as good in effect as a perfectly plain piece of goods, they are popular.

The Louis XV Style.

The characteristics of the Louis Quinze epoch are gilding, elaborate sculpture and tapestry, remarks The Decorator and Furnisher. Furniture, whether of wood, copper, bronze or marble, is all richly hand chiseled. Even picture frames are elaborately sculptured. Artists of high ability in that day lavished their skill on the carvings of table legs, with the result that the pier table became an objective point of interest and greatly attracted the attention of connoisseurs. Some of these tables were of bronze, and all were carved in high relief, with medallions, ribbons and wreaths of flowers.

A Tempting Supper Dish.

Butter a deep pie tin and cover with a layer half an inch thick of boiled potatoes mashed while warm with an egg and a little milk. The edges should be crimped in the same way as for an open tart. Brown it by setting it in the oven for a few minutes, then fill up the center (leaving an inch visible all round) with a mince of meat, poultry or game previously made hot in a thick gravy or sauce and well seasoned.

Cocoanut Filling.

Here is a recipe from Good Housekeeping for cocoanut and raisin cream for filling layer cake: Take a cupful of raisins, seeded and chopped, half a cupful of chopped almonds, the same of grated cocoanut and the white of an egg beaten stiff. Spread a thin layer of currant jelly upon the cake and use this cream for filling between the layers.

Beef Croquettes.

A cup of chopped cold beef, a cup of bread crumbs, an egg well beaten, a pinch of salt, pepper, and a tiny bit of sage. Moisten the bread crumbs with a little gravy or stock, then mix thoroughly, form in cakes and dip in egg and cracker crumbs and fry in boiling lard.



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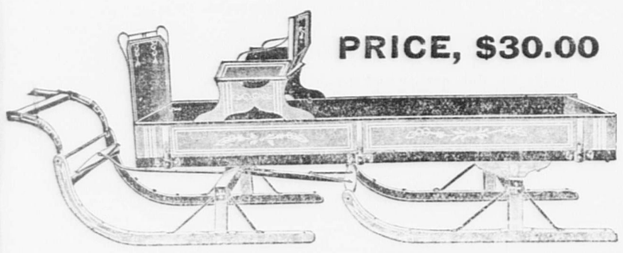
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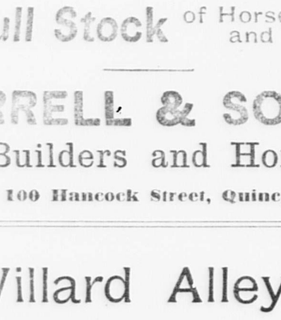
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ADULTERY IS CHARGED.

Wife of Well Known Lynn Man Arrested With Paramour.

Husband Breaks Into Room at Hotel.

Detectives Have Been Following Woman---Both Deny Charge.

Lynn, Jan. 23.—Mrs. A. H. Jones, wife of the well known shoe manufacturer, was arrested last night, in company with C. J. Witheraux, a traveling salesman. They were arrested in Witheraux' room at a hotel. Mr. Jones employed a detective to watch his wife, and she was seen to enter her paramour's room. The detective informed Jones that his wife was in Witheraux' room, and it was decided to break in the door. Jones secured the assistance of his brother, Valorous K., and in company with the officer and an assistant, broke in the door. They say they found Witheraux and Mrs. Jones in a compromising position.

In the police station Mrs. Jones became hysterical and fainted. There Witheraux and Mrs. Jones declared that they are innocent of any wrong-doing, and that their arrest is part of a conspiracy on the part of the husband, who wishes to secure a divorce. They were bailed out by Michael R. Connolly, a broker.

The case will be called in court this morning, when Mrs. Jones and Witheraux will be arraigned for adultery.

Mr. and Mrs. Jones have been married about 10 years, she being his second wife. They have no children. Their troubles have been a constant topic of sub rosa discussion in Lynn for a long time past, and the culmination is the talk of the city. A long and bitter legal fight is anticipated.

Up to within a short time they lived on Broad street, a fashionable part of the city. Their giving up housekeeping caused a small world of comment.

It is said in police circles that Witheraux hails from Providence, and there are hints of recent trips to that city that may figure in the case.

WILL SOON END.

Arguments of Bram's Counsel For a New Trial of Case.

Boston, Jan. 23.—The third day of the hearing of argument and evidence on the petition by Bram's counsel for a new trial ended seemingly without material change in the situation.

One of the most important points developed by the morning testimony was thought to be the admission obtained by Mr. Cotter from Abel C. Ford of Hyde Park, another of the jurors in the trial, to the effect that, prior to his being drawn on the jury, he had heid a conversation with Sylvanus B. Coffin, concerning the Herbert Fuller murders, during which he (the witness) said: "I think they have got the right man now," referring to the defendant Bram.

Oliver J. Briggs, the juror against whom Mr. Cotter has been directing the most powerful guns in his battery, was also put upon the stand yesterday morning. The fact that he had found a newspaper one evening during the trial in the elevator, as the jury were leaving the federal building, put it in his pocket and took it down to the Quincy house to the quarters occupied by the jury, seemed to be the most important evidence elicited from him.

He denied having read the paper, or having been at all separated from the other members of the jury while the paper was in his possession, a period of about 15 minutes.

These two witnesses had been called by the district attorney, and were the only ones to give testimony on the government side.

Mr. Cotter explained that the new witnesses whom he had hoped to secure turned out, on investigation, to be two men who had already been subpoenaed and had given their evidence.

Mr. French, for Bram, consumed the afternoon arguing for a new trial. He criticised the action of the jury, which, he said, vitiated the verdict, and also criticised Judge Webb's rulings and District Attorney Hoar's argument before the case was given to the jury.

District Attorney Hoar will argue against a new trial today.

MASSACHUSETTS LEGISLATURE.

Several Important Bills Introduced---Trusts and Licenses.

Boston, Jan. 23.—A bill was introduced in the legislature to provide for the punishment of persons, copartnerships or corporations forming pools, trusts and combines. These bodies are legally defined, and any corporation, copartnership or individual entering any combination to fix or regulate the price of any article of merchandise, or the amount or quantity of any article, shall be adjudged guilty of a conspiracy to defraud, and shall be subject to indictment. The issue of trust certificates and formation of combinations are prohibited. Violations of this act are to be punished by fines ranging from $500 to $15,000, for the company or corporation, while the officer or agent of a company or any individual violating it may be punished by a fine of not less than $200 nor more than $1000, or by confinement in the state prison not to exceed one year, or by both. One section declares all contracts and agreements in violation of the act absolutely void.

A bill to amend the system of government of towns of less than 5000 inhabitants was also introduced.

The ways and means committee reported favorably a bill appropriating $250,000 for the extermination of tuberculosis in this state, to be used by the board of cattle commissioners.

The Butler statue proposition, which aroused such bitter antagonism in the last legislature, was taken from the files and referred to the committee on military affairs.

A bill amending poor debtor proceedings was introduced. It provides that where the debtor has property not exceeding $100, he shall be allowed to take the oath. At present the limit is $20.

In the senate, a bill was introduced to prevent the issuance of liquor licenses to inns having less than 25 rooms.

Y. M. C. A. District Convention.

Beverly, Mass., Jan. 23.—The second district conference of the Y. M. C. A. of Massachusetts and Rhode Island began last night with a reception and banquet to delegates at the Dane Street Congregational church. Walter J. Paine, president of the local society, presided, and the 75 delegates were welcomed by Rev. A. B. Coats, in behalf of the pastors Short responses were made by H. B Bessom of Reading, J. W. Cauley of Stoneham, L. B. Breer of Lynn and Matthew Robson of Salem. After the banquet, delegates addressed meetings in the churches as follows: Dane Street church, General Secretary George E. Day of Lynn, with delegates from Lynn and Gloucester; Washington Street church, General Secretary F. L. Starrett of Malden, with delegates from Malden and Eeverett; Baptist church, General Secretary R. W. Matthews of Melrose, with delegates from Melrose, Reading and Marblehead; Methodist church, General Secretary W. H. Wyman of Chelsea and delegates from Chelsea and Salem. The convention will continue through today and Sunday.

Sequel of Sebago Tragedy.

Portland, Me., Jan. 23.—Leslie A. Kenison pleaded guilty to assault and battery and perjury in the superior court yesterday. Three weeks ago, so Kenison acknowledged in court, he struck Mark Bachelder of Sebago over the head with a sled stake during a row. Bachelder was found dead the next morning beside the road, but Kenison was only indicted for assault with a dangerous weapon. This was changed to simple assault, to which Kenison pleaded guilty. Before the coroner's jury, Kenison did not tell the truth about the row with Bachelder, and so he was indicted for perjury, to which he also pleaded guilty. Miss Bertha L. Chaplin, who was also indicted for perjury before the coroner's jury in the Kenison case, pleaded guilty. She said Walter Martin had asked her to falsify her evidence to save Kenison from going to jail. Martin committed suicide during the session of the coroner's jury. Miss Chaplin and Kenison will be sentenced later.

Year's Fires In Vermont.

Brattleboro, Vt., Jan. 23.—A record of Vermont's fire losses for 1896 has been compiled by L. S. Hayes of Bellows Falls. With a total of 329 fires the aggregate loss was $621,071, and the insurance paid was $367,689. This is a decrease of 16 fires, $644,183 in loss and $458,039 in insurance paid in 1895. The previous year's losses were $1,265,254 and insurance paid $825,878. Of last year's fires 43 were incendiary, 57 caused by defective chimneys or stovepipes, 25 by lightning, 19 from broken and 8 from exploding lamps or lanterns, 14 from stoves or furnaces, 7 from sparks on the roof, 15 from unknown causes and 18 not reported. The losses by counties follow: Addison, $38,000; Bennington, $39,000; Caledonia, $66,000; Chittendon, $54,000; Essex, $5000; Franklin, $68,000; Grand Isle, $1800; Lamoile, $5000; Orange, $14,000; Orleans, $66,000; Rutland, $119,000; Washington, $22,000; Windham, $97,000; Windsor, $20,000.

New Hampshire Editors.

Manchester, N. H., Jan. 23.—At the annual meeting of the New Hampshire Press association in this city, yesterday, the fololwing officers were elected: President, Colonel Arthur Clarke, Manchester; vice presidents, O. H. A. Chamberlen, Manchester; Howard F. Hill, Concord; W. H. Topping, Manchester; recording secretary, W. Bouriet, Concord; corresponding secretary, S. C. Gould, Manchester; treasurer, Thomas W. Lane, Manchester; executive committee, Hon. William Clark, Manchester; John M. Hill, Concord; Hon. Henry Putney, Manchester; auditors, Edson C. Eastman, Concord; James M. Adams, Nashua. Edward S. Pearson of Concord and O. F. Livingston of Manchester were appointed as delegates to attend the next meeting of the National Press association.

Reform Club Meets.

Boston, Jan. 23.—The Massachusetts Reform club, at its regular monthly meeting last night, discussed the Cuban question, Hon. Perry Belmont of New York, Professor Vane of Harvard and John E. Russell of Leicester being the principal speakers. The club adopted resolutions urging upon the Massachusetts senators and representatives the necessity of a speedy passage of the Anglo-American arbitration treaty. The club also adopted a resolution condemning the proposed change in the state ballot.

Shoe Manufacturers Protest.

Boston, Jan. 23.—A number of shoe manufacturers of the state have signed a petition to the legislature remonstrating against any appropriation that will tend to the extension of the present work in the manufacture of boots and shoes in the Massachusetts state prison or any other state institution. The prison commissioners have asked for the appropriation this year of $325,000 for the maintenance of the industry at the state prison, and $50,000 for the same use at the reformatory at Concord.

Champion Big Boy.

Hinsdale, N. H., Jan. 23.—Robert W. Blanchard, the "boy giant" of this town, has contracted to ride at bicycle race meets the coming season, under patronage of a wheel concern. Blanchard is 16 years old, stands 6 feet and 2 inches in his stockings and tips the balances at 400 pounds. He claims to be the champion big boy of his age in the country. He played centre rush for a football team here last season, and proved a substantial man in that position.

Granite Cutters Demand More Pay.

Concord, N. H., Jan. 23.—A formal demand for a new price list, to go into force March 4, prepared by the local branch of the Granite Cutters' union, has been presented to the granite manufacturers here. It calls for a 2 per cent increase on all classes of work, and that no cutter shall be paid less than $2.65 per day.

Charter Oak Affairs Wound Up.

Hartford, Jan. 23.—Business affairs of the Charter Oak Life Insurance company, which have been in the hands of receivers for upwards of 10 years, were wound up yesterday. The receivers will distribute $105,747.21 among the stockholders, who will receive a final dividend of 3¼ per cent.

Lynn's "Seeleyites" Fined.

Lynn, Jan. 23.—The four young men who arranged the recent exhibition at which colored women were the chief attraction were fined $225 yesterday by Judge Berry.

New Revenue Cutter Launched.

Boston, Jan. 23.—The new revenue cutter Daniel Manning was successfully launched from the yard of the Atlantic works, East Boston, yesterday afternoon.

Minister Cremated.

Attleboro, Mass., an. 23.—Rev. E. Freeman Nute of West Attleboro, aged 79 years, died Thursday, and his body was cremated at Forest Hills yesterday.

PRICES ARE STEADIER.

Conditions and Prospects of Business as Seen by Bradstreets.

Good Effects of Curtailment of Cotton Cloth Output.

Radical Improvement In Near Future Almost a Certainty.

New York, Jan. 23.—Bradstreets today says:

The most encouraging feature of the trade situation this week is the increased demand from manufacturers for wool. The decision of print cloth manufacturers to curtail the output will emphasize recent sales of the heavy surplus stocks, and promises a better market. To these may be added the increase in the volume of domestic bank clearings, a general steadiness of prices and the healthfulness of general trade in almost all departments. Conservatism in granting credits and the preference by retailers and others to buy oftener, but in small quantities, continue to mark the course of business as not before in years. Demand is increasing in almost all lines, with few exceptions, although very slowly. A radical improvement in the near future, based on a slow, but healthful, increased consumptive demand, is, in the absence of unforeseen obstacles, almost a certainty.

Commercial travelers are reported very generally out on the road, yet the volume of business continues small and collections, in many instances, are unsatisfactory. The more active demand is for shoes, hats, groceries, hardware, dry goods and drugs; yet, at such centres as Chicago and St. Louis at the west, Baltimore, Philadelphia, New York and Boston at the east, business continues along very conservative lines. Memphis, Nashville and Galveston continue their exceptionally favorable reports, as to demand for staples. Pacific coast ports announce unusually heavy orders for merchandise from Alaska and an improving trade with China and Japan.

Total bank clearings aggregate $1,042,000,000 this week, a decrease of ½ of 1 per cent from last week, but an increase of 6 per cent over the third week of January, 1896; 14 per cent as compared with the corresponding week in 1895, and 25 per cent as compared with the like week in 1894. The third week in January, 1893, presented an unusually large bank clearings total, so that this week's figures indicate a falling off of 29 per cent when compared with the former.

Prices appear to include few, if any, that are higher than a wek ago, while flour, wheat, corn, lard, crude petroleum, tin, bessemer pig iron and steel billets are lower. Wool remains firm at practically unchanged prices, but is likely to advance, if the present demand continues. Leather is also firm and unchanged, as are lumber, cotton, print cloths, pork, coffee and sugar.

An unusually long list of business embarrassments continues a feature of the state of trade of the week, the total of the past six business days being 425, or 49 less than last week, 88 more than in the week a year ago, 117 more than in the corresponding week of 1895, 91 more than in the third week of January, 1894, and 127 more than in the like week of 1893.

The market for securities at New York is firm in tone, and rallies with ease from professional bear selling. Large interests are generally bullish, but are indisposed to force prices up, and London has been inactive, in spite of the decline in the open market for money and the reduction of the Bank of England rate. Outside participation in the market is somewhat improved. Bonds are more active, the investment demand has grown and government bonds are higher. Foreign exchange is irregular and a little lower at 487¼ for demand sterling.

Exports of wheat (flour included as wheat), from both coasts of the United States this week (St. John, N. B., included) amount to 2,916,706 bushels, as compared with 2,948,000 bushels last week, 3,849,000 bushels in the week a year ago, 2,840,000 bushels in the week two years ago and as compared with 2,531,000 bushels in the like week of 1893. Exports of Indian corn this week amount to 3,520,322 bushels, compared with 3,757,000 bushels last week, 3,192,000 bushels in the week a year ago, 695,000 bushels in the week two years ago, 1,865,000 bushels three years ago, and as compared with 735,000 bushels in the like week of 1893.

The Wool Market.

Boston, Jan. 23.—The Boston Commercial Bulletin says of the wool market:

All previous records are broken by this weeks' enormous sales. The last best record week ended July 28, 1894. The large manufacturers of Rhode Island and Massachusetts, and, in many cases, Boston wool dealers, were the principal buyers.

Purchasing is almost entirely on speculation, many of the buyers having a part of their machinery shut down.

Purchases of scoured wool are particularly large. Americans are rushing forward foreign wools into this country. The demand this week has covered every grade of wool, but medium and fine medium wools have sold more freely than fine.

The sales of the week are 7,907,000 pounds domestic and 3,799,000 pounds foreign, against 5,220,500 pounds domestic and 2,040,000 pounds foreign last week, and 1,392,000 pounds domestic and 2,689,000 pounds foreign for the same week last year.

The sales to date show a decrease of 9,754,000 pounds domestic and 2,020,000 pounds foreign from the sales to the same date in 1896.

Receipts to date show a decrease of 2056 bales domestic and 591 bales foreign.

Judgment For World's Fair Committee.

Chicago, Jan. 23.—A judgment for $84,009, in favor of the World's Columbian exposition committee, has been filed in Judge Burke's court against the Ferris Wheel company. The judgment is for the World's Fair company's share of the gate receipts during the exposition.

Miss McKinley Injured.

Canton, O., Jan. 23.—Miss Helen McKinley, the president-elect's sister, slipped and fell on the icy sidewalk, near the McKinley home, yesterday. One of the bones in her right wrist was broken.

Dixon Defeats Murphy.

New York, Jan. 23.—George Dixon, the well-known colored pugilist of Boston, defeated Billy Murphy of Cincinnati in six rounds last night at the Broadway Athletic club.

consumption reaps his richest harvest where diseases of the throat and lungs are neglected.

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Quincy & Boston ELECTRIC STREET RAILWAY.

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On and after Friday, Jan. 1, 1897, cars will make trips on week days as follows:

Quincy and Neponset.

Leave CITY HALL for Neponset—6.00 A. M., 6.15, 6.30, 6.45 7.00, and every 15, 30, 45 and 60 minutes past the hour until 7.00 P. M., then every half hour until 10.50 P. M. Cars leaving Quincy on the hour via. Norfolk Downs, except 6.00 P. M.

Leave NEPONSET—6.22 A. M., 6.37, 6.52, 7.07, 7.22, and every 7, 22, 37 and 52 minutes past the hour until 7.00 o'clock, then every half hour until 11 P. M.; last car for Quincy at 11.15 P. M. Cars leaving Neponset 22 minutes past the hour via. Norfolk Downs.

Quincy and East Weymouth.

Leave CITY HALL (10 minutes later from Quincy Point and 22 minutes later from North Weymouth)—5.45, 6.20, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, 11.20, 11.50 A. M.; 12.20, 12.50, 1.20, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20 4.50 5.20 (5.30 to East Weymouth car house), 5.50, 6.20, 6.30, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.50 P. M.

Leave EAST WEYMOUTH (20 minutes later from North Weymouth and 30 minutes later from Quincy Point)—6, 6.35, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11, 11.30 A. M.; 12, 12.30, 1, 1.30, 2, 2.30, 3, 3.30, 4, 4.30, 5, 5.30, 6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11.30 P. M.

Quincy and East Milton.

Leave CITY HALL, 5.55, 6.25, then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 55 P. M., then at 9.50 and 10.50 P. M.

Leave EAST MILTON, 6.30, 7.00 A. M., then on the hour and half hour until 9.30 P. M., then at 10.20 and 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and Holbrook.

Leave QUINCY for SOUTH BRAINTREE and HOLBROOK at 6.10 and 6.40 A. M., and every 10 minutes past and 20 minutes of the hour until 10 10 P. M. Last car leaves at 9.50 P. M. On Saturdays the last car leaves Quincy at 11.50 P. M.

Returning cars leave HOLBROOK for SOUTH BRAINTREE and QUINCY at 5.55 and 6.25 A. M., and every 25 minutes past and 5 minutes of the hour until 9.55 P. M. Last car leaves Holbrook at 11.30 P. M.

☞ On Sundays on the Weymouth route cars will leave Quincy on the hour and half hour and East Weymouth at quarter past and quarter of the hour.

☞ Special trips can be arranged on application to the Superintendent.

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On and after Jan. 17, 1897, trains will run as follows: (See note of explanation at bottom.)

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r 11 12 abc		11 30	2 30 cba		2 49 r
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r 4 12 abc		4 30	6 00 cba		6 19 r
r 5 12 abc		5 30	6 15 a		6 32
r 6 12 abc		6 30	6 30 cba		6 49 r
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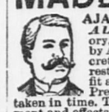
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SATURDAY, JAN. 23, 1897.

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BOSTON—Old Colony News Stand after 3.30 P. M.
QUINCY—Ledger Office, 115 Hancock street.
Souther's Periodical Store, 1 Granite street.
McGovern Bros.', Adams building.
C. F. Carlson, near Quincy depot.
Stephen Pierce, corner of Hancock and School streets.
WEST QUINCY—Coram's Periodical store Copeland Street, and his carriers.
BREWER'S CORNER—Emma Lark, Copeland Street.
WOLLASTON—Ross' news stand and carriers.
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O. D. Chick, 59 Liberty street.
EAST MILTON—William Clark's periodical store and his carriers.
EAST WEYMOUTH—George H. Hunt.
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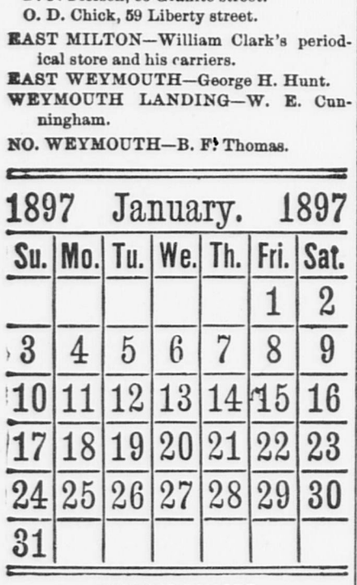
New Moon	3	1:03 a. m.	Full Moon	18	3:17 p. m.
First Quarter	10	4:46 p. m.	Third Quarter	25	3:08 p. m.

THE WEATHER INDICATIONS.

ALMANAC, SATURDAY, JAN. 23.
Sun rises—7:06; sets, 4:48.
Length of day—9h. 42m.
Moon rises—10:41 p. m.
Full sea—2:15 a. m., 2:45 p. m.

Forecast for New England: Light local snows, followed by partly cloudy weather; winds shifting to westerly, becoming brisk and high; decidedly colder tonight.

In the Alps.



The Lazy Guide—What, back already, gentlemen?—Fliegende Blatter.

Keith's Theatre.

Even the circus is drawn on for refined acts to furnish entertainment for Mr. Keith's patrons. The week of Jan. 25 has as one of the leading features Miss Myrtie Peck, champion long distance equestrienne of the world, who will introduce her trick and saddle horse, "Boston," the most beautiful and intelligent animal ever seen. This has been a successful feature of New York vaudeville this season. The biograph is to continue, of course, with some new views and several of the more popular of those that have been run. In the variety will be Press Eldridge, prince of blackface funmakers; the Midgeleys, juvenile comedy; McBride and Gordon, Irish comedy; J. W. Harrington, noted mimic and impersonator; the Edisons, refined instrumentalists; and others.

Castle Square Theatre.

The last of the light opera productions at the Castle Square theatre, for the present, Gilbert & Sullivan's "Mikado" will be made the coming week. This operetta has always been a favorite with the Boston public and never more so than with the patrons of the performances at this theatre. Its revival will be made in the same elaborate style as that which has characterized its earlier productions by the Castle Square company. Following the "Mikado" a production of "Lohengrin" is announced for Monday, February 1, and during the month of February the company will appear in a series of Grand Opera productions. The preparations for "Lohengrin" have been in progress for several weeks and every effort will be made to make this first performance of a Wagnerian music drama at this house a notable success.

MARRIAGES IN BRAINTREE IN 1896.

Marriages in Braintree during the year ending Dec. 31, 1896.

DATE.	NAME.	AGE.	RESIDENCE.
Jan. 9,	Wilfred Franklin Woodsum,	26	Braintree.
	Hettie Loraine Phillips,	24	Quincy.
Feb. 13,	Edward Shay,	48	Braintree.
	Catherine M. Branley,	43	Braintree.
Feb. 25,	George Jones,	21	Braintree.
	Minnie McDonald,	24	Braintree.
Mar. 5,	Massena Albert,	21	Braintree.
	Jennie May Wentzell,	18	Boston.
Mar. 8,	Joseph A. Brown,	23	Randoloh.
	Louise E. Mann,	19	Braintree.
Mar. 14,	Cyrus Alfred Fenderson,	44	Braintree.
	Nellie Augusta Harvey,	41	Dover, Me.
Mar. 18,	Chester Stanton Newhall,	33	Haverhill.
	Mabel Maude Mildram,	25	Braintree.
Apr. 5,	James McNickles,	44	Braintree.
	Julia Delory,	58	Braintree.
Apr. 18,	Henry G. Burrill,	42	Randolph.
	Emily F. Hunt,	30	Randolph.
Apr. 26,	Frank Klaus,	25	Braintree.
	Sophie Carpenter,	19	Braintree.
May 4,	George McArthur,	25	Braintree.
	Elizabeth Emma Sherwood,	27	Braintree.
May 14,	Robertson Macfadgen,	24	P. E. I.
	Jessie Ann McDonald,	24	Braintree.
May 30,	Peter Swanson,	33	Brockton.
	Thilda Peterson,	22	Braintree.
June 1,	Harry Goodwin Marden,	26	Braintree.
	Fannie Allen Merrill,	23	Braintree.
June 3,	Edward S Drinkwater,	21	Braintree.
	Esther L. Chubbuck,	17	Hingham.
June 4,	Henry Lincoln Dearing,	30	Braintree.
	Addie Hardy Robbins,	28	Cotuit.
June 7,	Michael Burke,	28	Braintree.
	Mabel L. B. O'Donnell,	17	Somerville.
June 13,	Leslie Lewis Beal,	23	Woburn.
	Lena Agnes Roy,	26	Braintree.
June 20,	Fred Archibald Roulston,	20	Braintree.
	Ella Mabel Ross,	18	Weymouth.
June 24,	Oakes Ambrose Bridgham,	33	Braintree.
	Elizabeth Bradford Potter,	29	Braintree.
June 25,	William Wallace Dyer,	30	Braintree.
	Edna B. Wood,	24	Braintree.
July 12,	Spurgeon James Winot,	24	Braintree.
	Clara Jane Piercy,	17	Braintree.
July 16,	Hartley Laurington White,	26	Braintree.
	Grace Wollaston Emery,	24	Quincy.
July 18,	William Amory,	62	Braintree.
	Louise A. Gaudelet,	40	Boston.
July 26,	William F. Cogan,	23	Brockton.
	Mary Riordan,	24	Brockton.
July 29,	John Henry Miller,	23	Braintree.
	Barbara Patrigin,	23	Provi. R. I.
Aug. 3,	Maurice Edward Flynn,	23	Braintree.
	Josephine Mahar,	21	Braintree.
Aug. 9,	William Edwin Maybury,	37	Braintree.
	Sarah Stuart Goodhue,	24	Braintree.
Aug. 13,	Charles William Mathews,	25	Ashby.
	Caroline Rebecca Torrey,	31	Braintree.
Aug. 19,	Amos Stetson Buker,	21	Braintree.
	Annie Estella Ross,	19	Weymouth.
Aug. 19,	Hubert G. Pope,	27	Weymouth.
	Isabella Gillespie,	26	Weymouth.
Sept. 6,	Timothy James Sullivan,	24	Braintree.
	Margaret E. McCarthy,	21	Melrose.
Sept. 7,	Patrick Francis,	29	Braintree.
	Annie Craven,	28	Braintree.
Sept. 25.	Edward Paine Bunker,	28	Braintree.
	Katie O. Hanlon,	19	Braintree.
Oct. 10,	Michael Quinn,	22	Braintree.
	Susie Francis Dalton,	19	Braintree.
Oct. 13,	Alfred Henry Holbrook,	20	Braintree.
	Marion Delia Perry,	19	Braintree.
Oct. 15,	John Gallivan,	35	Braintree.
	Bridget Agnes Quinn,	25	Braintree.
Oct. 23,	Daniel DeYoung,	26	Braintree.
	Hattie Richards,	26	Braintree.
Oct. 28,	Arthur Wesley Dunkerly,	22	Braintree.
	Bertha May Blake,	20	Derry, N. H.
Oct, 28,	Gerka B. DeBoer,	24	Braintree.
	Olga M. Arenstein,	24	Hingham.
Oct. 28,	Edward A. Stevenson,	25	Boston.
	Emma Parker,	22	Braintree.
Nov. 4,	Edward Cortage,	24	Boston.
	Melvina Brow,	23	Braintree.
Nov. 5,	James Cassidy,	28	Braintree.
	Mary Dignon,	25	Braintree.
Nov. 10,	William Henry Buker,	26	Braintree.
	Minnie Etta Ross,	21	Weymouth.
Nov. 11,	Orrin Walter Jackson,	44	Braintree.
	Joanna Marshall,	21	New Bedford.
Nov. 16,	Frederic Ellis Goodnow,	25	Braintree.
	Mabel A. Mann,	17	Randolph.
Nov. 23,	Arthur Russell White,	22	Weymouth.
	Mary Snow Knight,	19	Braintree.
Nov. 24,	Benjamin Robert DeYoung,	19	Braintree.
	Mary Alice Levangie,	22	Braintree.
Nov. 25,	William Bradford Richards,	22	Braintree.
	Ethel Winona Paul,	18	Braintree.
Nov. 25,	Frederic William Piercy,	26	Braintree.
	Jennie Slack,	24	Quincy.
Dec. 30,	Edward Gifford Stoddard,	43	Braintree.
	M. Etta Dutton,	26	Braintree.
Dec. 31,	Edward Warren French,	26	Braintree.
	Lena Frances Stoddard,	21	Weymouth.
Dec. 31,	Charles Henry Loring, Jr.,	26	Braintree.
	Ora Louise Sheehan,	24	Woburn.

City League Games.

It was not the Quincys turn to win last evening in the City bowling league and they fell victims on their own alleys to the Jamesons, by 46 pins.

The home team won the first string, but the second was their Waterloo, as one man made but 104. The last string was a close one.

The full score:

JAMESONS.

Bowler	1	2	3	Total
Willis,	1-0	152	154	486
Rogers,	121	126	133	380
Bowen,	112	150	138	400
Bedell,	125	148	180	454
Bass,	154	193	175	522
Team totals,	693	769	780	2242

QUINCYS.

Wheeler,	147	157	146	450
Sanborn,	152	140	147	439
Ross,	103	14	182	4 8
Garbut,	159	104	153	416
Peverly,	151	161	151	463
Team totals,	712	7 5	779	2196

The Carruths defeated the Meyers 2365 to 2296, the Boylstons won from the Shermans 2289 to 2196, and the Murrays and Irwins were victorious over the Prospects 2254 to 2221.

Miss Corlew is being complimented on the phenomenal progress of her class of beginners, while her older class are very efficient. It is a pleasure to see the little ones dance.

TODAY'S COURT.

James Fairman was arraigned for vagrancy at Quincy. Case continued until Monday.

Walter F. Skinner was arraigned for bastardy at Quincy, on complaint of the City of Quincy, and was held for the superior court.

The case of the goods seized from Carmine P. Gardner of Quincy, claimed to be the property of George H. De Huff, which the court last week had ordered returned to De Huff, came up again this morning. Upon motion of Counsel for Gardner he was allowed to take an appeal which he did and furnished bonds in $200.

APPOINTMENTS. Sheriff Endicott has appointed as his deputies for the ensuing year the following named gentlemen:

Howard Colburn of West Dedham.
Samuel H. Capen of Canton.
George W. White of Weymouth.
Charles E. Jenney of Hyde Park.
George H Field of Quincy.
Thomas Farrell of Randolph.
William Wragg of Needham.
Jerome B Fitzpatrick of Franklin.
D. Edward Beebe of Brookline.
Edward E Wentworth of Cohasset.

No sheriff in the State, says the Dedham Transcript, has a handsomer or abler set of deputies.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

3D SUNDAY AFTER EPIPHANY.

This paper makes no charge for these notices and every church should be represented.

Moody says: "I don't believe that any preacher need address himself to empty benches if he will only use a little common sense. Advertise. Put a notice in the papers. Stick out a sign. Often the only sign about a church is that hung out by the undertaker. Put out a bill of fare; show people what you have to offer them. Don't be afraid if you shock some folks. That makes no matter. That's just what they want—a good shock. People may say such a course is undignified. My friends—that's just where the trouble is; we are overburdened with dignity. Let dignity be blown to the four winds. Dignity is not one of the fruits of the spirit. I believe if business men and newspapers were run as our churches are, they would all be bankrupt in less than six months."

UNITARIAN CHURCH—Rev. Ellery C. Butler, pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Preaching by the pastor. Communion service directly after the morning service. Sunday School at 12.

BETHANY CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, junction Hancock and Chestnut streets—Rev. E. N. Hardy, pastor. Morning service at 10.30 A. M. Subject: "The Bethany Solidarity." Bible School at 12 M. Junior C. E. at 3.30 P. M. Young People's meeting at 6.15 P. M. People's service at 7.30 P. M. in church auditorium. Subject: "Acting on Presumption." Church prayer meeting Friday evening at 7.30.

CHRIST'S CHURCH,—Rev. Walter Russell Breed, rector. Morning prayer and lecture by Dr. John Saadi. Dr. Saadi was interpreter on the Nile expedition for the relief of Gen. Gordon. He expects to return to Africa as a Medical Missionary. Service at 10.30. Sunday School at 12 M. At 7 P. M. evening prayer and 3d address in the series of Church History Talks. Subject: "Anselin of Cantebury." Musical service. All seats free. Everybody welcome.

UNIVERSALIST CHURCH—Rev. E. W. Preble pastor. Morning service at 10.30 A. M. Preaching by the pastor. Sunday School at 12 o'clock.

CHRISTADELPHIAN CHURCH — At 7 P. M. the subject will be "Everlasting punishment."

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, WATER STREET—Rev. Robert Westly Peach, pastor. Morning service, 10.30 o'clock. Rev. Thomas Clayton, the Evangelist, will preach and Miss Goldthwait, of Boston, will sing both morning and evening. Sunday School at 11.45 A. M. Y. P. S. C. E., 6 P. M. Evening service at 7.30. Prayer meeting, Thursday, 7.30 P. M. All always welcome.

FIRST UNITED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH—Orangeman's Hall, 110 Hancock street. Rev. W. W. Dornan will preach Sunday morning at 10.30. Subject: "Christ going on before." Sunday School and Bible class at the close of the morning service. Christian Endeavor society at 6.30 P. M. Preaching at 7.30 P. M. Subject: "One thing I know." Prayer meeting Thursday evening at 7.30. All are invited.

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH, Franklin street,—Rev. C. A. Parker, pastor; residence, 18 Gay street. Preaching at 10.30 A. M. Bible school at 12 M. The regular service at 3.30 P. M. discontinued until further notice. At 7 o'clock the pastor will preach, and the ordinance of baptism will follow the service. A cordial invitation is extended to all these services.

UNION CHAPEL, Rawson road, Wollaston Park. Services at 3 P. M. conducted by Rev. J. B. Wilson of Neponset. Sunday School at 4 P. M. All are invited.

WOLLASTON UNITARIAN CHURCH—Rev. J. E. Bagley, pastor. Service at 10.45 A. M. the pastor will preach. Subject: "Will it be all the same in a hundred years?" Sunday School at 12 M. Guild of the Good Shepherd at 6.30 P. M.

WOLLASTON CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH—Rev. Edward A. Robinson, pastor. Morning service at 10.45. Subject: "Confession of Christ." Sunday School at 12.15 P. M. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6.30 P. M. Evening service at 7.30 Subject: "Eternal Atonement."

MEMORIAL CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, ATLANTIC—Rev. Edward Norton, minister. Preaching at 10.45 A. M. Theme: "God's gift of Eternal Life." Sabbath School at 12 M. Meeting of Y. P. C. E. at 6.45 P. M. Preaching at 7.30 P. M. Theme: "The conversion of Lydia of Thyatira." Prayer meeting Friday evening at 7.30. Teacher's meeting at the close of the prayer meeting. A cordial welcome all.

Encampment Odd Fellows.

D. D. G. P. Frank W. Folsom and suite installed the following officers of Manet Encampment, No. 75, I. O. O. F., last evening:

C P.,—Hiram W. Campbell.
H. P.,—Alex. Shirley.
S. W.,—Aubrey R Keith.
S.,—Frank W. Folsom.
T.,—E. B Souther.
I. W.,—James Arbuckle.
G.,—William J. Williams.
1st W.,—Rueben Townsend.
2d W.,—George Hawes.
3d W.,—Charles Gragg.
4th W.,—Flory Gould.
1st G. of T.,—Everett Pollard.
2d G. of T.,—Charles A. Hayden.
I. S.,—Levi D. Berry.
O. S.,—N. B. Furnald.

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Revival Meetings.

Special revival meetings will begin in the West Quincy M. E. church Sunday evening, Jan. 24, continuing each night during the week, except Saturday. The speakers will be in part as follows:

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Rev. Mr. Brokaw Tuesday evening.
Rev. Mr. Keeler Wednesday evening.
Rev. Mr. Birney Thursday evening.
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CITY SQUARE.

Quincy, Jan. 21.

TO THE PATRONS OF THE Wollaston Steam Laundry

January 16, 1897.

In calling your attention to the fact that Mr. Geo. H. Sampson of Amesbury, Mass., has leased the Wollaston Steam Laundry, and will conduct the same on his own account on and after the 18th inst., I would thank you for past patronage, and bespeak a continuance of the same for Mr. Sampson, who is a thorough laundryman, with a reputation for turning out high grade work.

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STATE HOUSE, BOSTON, Jan. 21, 1897.

THE Special Committee of the House of Representatives to consider the petition for the impeachment of Melville P. Morrell will give a hearing to parties interested in the petition of the Town of Brookline for the impeachment of Melville P. Morrell, a County Commissioner of the County of Norfolk, as to the jurisdiction of the House of Representatives in the matter, at Room No. 136, State House, on TUESDAY, Jan. 26, at 10 o'clock A. M.

FORREST A. C. MANCHESTER, Chairman.
HERBERT C. PARSONS, Clerk of the Committee. 22-1t

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

STATE HOUSE, BOSTON, Jan. 21, 1897.

THE Committee on the Judiciary will give a hearing to parties interested in a bill as to certain taxable costs, (House No. 83,) at 10.30 o'clock A. M., and a bill to prevent hunting with dogs on Sunday (House No. 28.) at 11 o'clock A. M., at Room No. 254, State House, on TUESDAY, Jan 26.

JAMES J. MEYERS, Chairman
HENRY C. ATTWILL, Clerk of the Committee. 23-1t

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

STATE HOUSE, BOSTON, Jan. 20, 1897.

THE Committee on METROPOLITAN AFFAIRS will give a hearing to parties interested in report of Metropolitan District Commission and so much of the Governor's address as relates thereto, at Room No. 337, State House, on MONDAY, Jan. 25, at 10 o'clock A. M.

FREDERICK W. DALLINGER, Chairman.
DAVID B. SHAW, Clerk of the Committee. 22-2t

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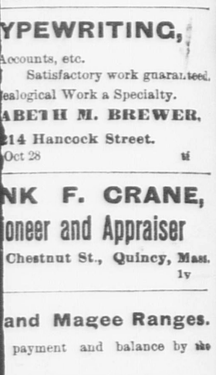
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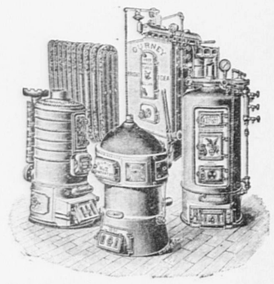
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TELEGRAPHIC.

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GREAT LECAL BATTLE.

Bram Case Celebrated For Able Efforts of the Attorneys.

Doubt as to What Final Outcome Will Be.

District Attorney Hoar Severely Arraigns Newspaper Reporters.

Boston, Jan. 25.—The climax of the hearing for a new trial for Thomas M. Bram, who was convicted of murdering Captain Nash on the barkentine Herbert Fuller, is being approached with a burst of brilliant rhetorical pyrotechnics. This statement is not made for the purpose of conveying the idea that the lawyers are subordinating sound reasoning, keen argument and the application of the best legal principles to the opportunity for a display of eloquence, but that all these qualities were combined in an effort for which special preparation had been made on both sides.

The fact that it was a case in which there was a great public interest—that the eyes of a great many people were directed toward it—put the lawyers upon their mettle, and the result was a forensic battle which attracted a crowd far in excess of the accommodations in the courtroom.

And the end is not yet.

The case will be continued this morning, when Mr. Cotter will close.

Mr. French continued his opening at the beginning of the morning session Saturday, and talked for nearly an hour. His peroration was an eloquent plea for justice for Bram. In addition to that, he put the case on a broader plane—as a ground to satisfy public feeling, which he claimed had become unsettled in its estimate of jury trials. The delivery of Mr. French's opening consumed about four hours.

Mr. Hoar's reply took up about the same period of time. His effort was forcible, even brilliant. He not merely defended his own position, but in so doing made a vigorous assault on the position of the defense.

He rapped the newspapers and the newspaper men for the position they had taken, accused them of partiality in the presentation of the case to the public, and also charged the newspaper men with being partisans in the effort to secure a new trial.

The fact that a number of newspaper men had been summoned to give testimony for the defense was construed by him as an indication that they volunteered such information as they had to Mr. Cotter, who then put them on the stand.

CHRISTIANS IN POSSESSION.

Y. M. C. A Hold Many Sabbath Meetings In Beverly.

Beverly, Mass., Jan. 25.—Yesterday was a remarkable day for the Y. M. C. A. of this city. Meetings, and many of them, were held in all the churches. The morning services at the Dane street church was addressed by Dr. L. L. Doggett, president of the Y. M. C. A. training school at Springfield, Mass. Secretary Andrew Case of Lynn spoke at the Washington street church. D. C. Richards of Malden spoke at the Baptist church, and D. E. Day of Lynn at the Methodist church.

In the afternoon a mass meeting was held at the Congregational church in North Beverly, which was addressed by H. P. Bossom of Reading. At the same hour a mass meeting for boys was held at Y. M. C. A. hall.

At 4 o'clock a women's mass meeting at the Washington street church was addressed by Mrs. G. A. Brown of Everett, upon "Woman's Part in Christ's work for Young Men." At the same hour a big meeting in city hall was addressed by Reuben F. Smith of Somerville. At 6 o'clock a union mass meeting of young people was held at the Methodist church, with an address by C. H. Harrington of Salem. This was followed by a union mass meeting at the Baptist church, with ex-Mayor S. O. Fosdick of Fitchburg and Dr. Doggett of Salem, at the speakers, upon the subject, "The Value of a Modern Association Building." The district convention closed with this service.

LEFT NAKED IN THE WOOD.

Louis Geary Knocked Senseless and His Clothing Taken.

Cambridge, Mass., Jan. 25.—Louis F. Geary, who was discovered Saturday in the woods at East Douglas, in a seemingly wild condition, returned to his home at 123 Vine street yesterday. In speaking of himself, he said he was a furniture polisher by trade, and, having an offer to work in Providence, he started for that city on Friday. While on the way he became acquainted with three young men, who persuaded him to leave the train at a small station some miles from East Douglas. All four walked up the road from the station, and, when among some woods, he was suddenly assaulted by the men, and knocked insensible. When he came to himself, he found that his assailants had taken all his clothes, except his undershirt and drawers, besides $2 in money.

His feet and hands were severely frost-bitten, and are still in a terrible condition. He wandered about the woods for some hours until he was discovered by three wood choppers. Geary says that he thought the men were his assailants, and he tried to escape, but was captured and taken to East Douglas. Being considerably confused, he was unable to give an account of himself for some time, and finally established his identity.

Geary is considered a man of good habits, and his story is generally believed among his friends in this city.

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Harvard Tree Exercises.

Cambridge, Mass., Jan. 25.—The Harvard class day committee, in its attempt to preserve the old-time tree exercises, has decided upon a new plan of eliminating the objectionable features in the scrimmage for the flowers, and will immediately present the plan to the corporation. The idea is briefly to lower the wreath within the reach of all, and to have the participants wear ordinary clothes, instead of the football suit, to which the corporation has objected. The arrangement committee think this would do away with the usual combination of men which is organized for the purpose of getting the flowers more easily. The committee has sent out postal cards to every member of the senior class, in order to get views on the subject, and present the evidence to the corporation. The corporation's action has aroused a great deal of hostile feeling, which is so universal throughtout the university that a reform of the exercises is likely to be agreed upon, instead of the absolute abolishment which the corporation first proposed.

Revivalists at Boston

Boston, Jan. 25.—What might be termed the crowning point in the revivalist efforts among Boston churches occurred yesterday afternoon, when a crowd estimated at 12,000 people tried to get into Boston theatre to hear Rev. Sam Jones. So great was the rush that a big cordon of police was necesssary at the theatre doors to check the rush, and thousands of people were turned away long before the service hour. The police estimated the crowd at 12,000 people, but others say it went several thousand over that number. There was some interest on the part of many as to whether the revivalist would refer to Robert Ingersoll, who was to speak, and did speak, in the evening in the same theatre. But Mr. Jones ignored Mr. Ingersoll, and the latter did the same toward the revivalists who are in this city. Mr. Jones' sermon was in his usual characteristic manner, and was truly what he termed it, "A plain talk to those who cannot find time to help others out of their degraded condition."

Took Chloroform.

Lynn, Mass., Jan. 25.—The death of Estella Gordon, aged 21 years, at the hospital yesterday, made quite a stir here. This young woman was found in an unconscious condition on Nahant beach at 10 a. m., and removed to the hospital, where she died. The diagnosis of her case was that of an overdose of chloroform. The girl lived in Haverhill, but formerly made her home at 36 Chestnut street in this city. An ounce bottle partially filledwith chloroform was found on her person, and it was learned that she had purchased it at a local pharmacy, telling the clerk that she wanted it for the purpose of killing a cat. Miss Gordon was here on a visit, and her friends think she was mentally unbalanced.

Ingersoll Speaks at Boston.

Boston, Jan. 25.—Colonel Robert G. Ingersoll delivered a lecture on "How to Reform Mankind" last evening in the same theatre where Mr. Jones spoke in the afternoon. The seating and standing room capacity of the building was inadequate to accommodate all who wished to hear him. It was an audience composed of men ad women representing all conditions of life, from the hardy street laborer to the successful merchant of philosophical bent. Mr. Ingersoll read his address, for the most part. He spoke for nearly two hours, and during that time he held the cloest attention of his audience. His text was: "There is no darkness but ignorance."

Arrested For Embezzlement.

East Greenwich, R. I., Jan. 25.—James McCann, formerly station agent at Natick for the New England road, is under arrest here for alleged embezzlement and the obtaining of money under false pretences. The complainant is the New York Fidelity and Casualty company, who allege that the prisoner has been obtaining sums of money from local merchants or manufacturers, by overcharges on railroad bills of lading. While specific charges are for small sums, the aggregate is said to be quite large.

Man and Wife Arrested.

New York, Jan. 25.—Henry Barnard and his wife, Charlotte, were arrested yesterday at their home in Forty-fourth street, charged with counterfeiting silver coins. Secret Service Agent Bagg says that Barnard is an expert counterfeiter and that he has been passing his worthless coins in small shops on the west side for several weeks. His imitations of United States coins were so good, said Mr. Bagg, that Barnard had no scruples in passing the counterfeits in the same stores over and over again. Barnard's home was searched, and in it was found an extensive counterfeiting plant, consisting of antimony, tin, copper plating apparatus, files and about $25 in bad coins. Mrs. Barnard was arrested, charged with being cognizant of her husband's criminal proceedings. The two children of the couple were placed in charge of the Gerry society.

Yale Is Willing.

New York, Jan. 25.—At a meeting of the Yale Alumni association of this city a resolution was adopted, of which this is the substance: That Yale is willing to go to any extent to resume athletic relations with Harvard, providing the conditions named by Harvard do not interfere with the faculty rules of Yale university. If Harvard is not willing to meet Yale under such conditions, then there seems to be no way by which athletic relations can be resumed.

Three Hundred Perished.

San Francisco, Jan. 25.—The steamer Gaelic brings advices from the Orient, telling of a terrible panic in a temple at Kwong Tong, China, in which 300 men, women and children perished. During a theatrical performance a lamp was broken, which set the temple on fire. The main entrance was closed, and two smaller exits were choked. Of the 40 actors in the performance, four escaped.

CUBANS VICTORIOUS.

Sanguinary Battle In Southern Part of Havana Province.

Spanish Were Caught Unawares In Church.

Both Sides Fought Desperately---Patriots Capture Gold and Arms.

Cincinnati, Jan. 25.—The Commercial Tribune's special from Key West, Fla., says:

Another defeat for the Spanish is reported from Pelanos, in the southern part of Havana province. The place has 1000 inhabitants, is well fortified and has a Spanish garrison of 600 men, with one field piece. Lieutenant Colonel Hernandez, in command of 500 insurgent cavalrymen, made a dash at the town Monday afternoon, while the troops were at the church, celebrating some local holiday. Before they could form, the insurgents had possession of the blockhouse force. The cannon was trained at the churches before the Spanish were aware of what was the trouble. Solid shot came hurling through its walls, while cries of "Cuba libre" filled the air. Out they rushed, only to fall before a deadly volley from a strong force posted behind some neighboring houses. Colonel Muncio, the Spanish officer, bravely rallied his men, but, as they formed for a charge, he fell, with a dozen balls through him. The second in command took his place, but he, too, fell in a few seconds, the sharpshooters of Hernandez dealing death with a rapidity that made the troops panic stricken. They made one more attempt to charge the blockhouse, but Hernandez's cavalry dashed at them sweeping through their ranks, cutting a bloody path with their sharp machetes. They turned, and again they came through the crowded ranks of the Spanish, carrying death in their tracks, though many empty saddles spoke of the bravery of the Spanish troopers. The Spanish then retired, it being a rout, though a portion subbornly protected their rear, making stands, until forced to retire by Hernandez' fierce charges. After pursuing them nearly to Cajalo, on the coast of Hernandez, they withdrew. They burned the fort at Palanos. The insurgents secured 1400 stands of arms, one cannon, $100 in gold and $5000 in paper money, besides ammunition and many valuable papers belonging to the Spanish commissary department. Havana officials knew of the defeat Tuesday night, but have kept it suppressed, and the palace officials say that the place has been "evacuated.'"

Insurgents Near Havana.

City of Mexico, Jan. 25.—Various travelers just arriving from Cuba confirm the capture of Santa Clara by the Cubans and also bring news that the insurgents have been fighting in the near vicinity of Havana, and a few days ago wrecked a passenger train within two miles of that city. Two young Englishmen direct from Cuba, Harry E. Lord and Lee A. Hervey, have reached this city, after having passed several weeks in Cuba, and with the insurgent army part of the time and the remainder in the field with the Spanish troops. Hervey received a shot through the left arm. They are preparing a report for Senator Cameron, which will be forwarded to Washington in a few days.

Illness of Senator George.

Washington, Jan. 25.—United States Senator James Z. George of Mississippi is dangerously ill from heart failure at the Garfield hospital in this city, and, owing to his advanced age, his friends are very apprehensive of the outcome. Two grandchildren, Miss Hemmingway and Mr. George, his private secretary, are with him, while his daughter, Mrs. Henderson, and his sons have been summoned to his bedside from their home in Mississippi. The senator's wife is in Mississippi. Owing to an attack of paralysis, she will not be able to come to Washington. Senator George, who is now in his 71st year, has served as a member of the United States senate for nearly 16 years, and the term for which he was elected expires March 3, 1899. He was a gallant soldier in the Mexican and civil wars (serving on the Confederate side), and is a well-known lawyer. He held important judicial positions in his state prior to his election to the senate.

Fred Douglass' Widow Wins.

Washington, Jan. 25.—Mrs. Helen Douglass, widow of the late Frederick Douglass, wins her dower rights in an order of Judge Hagner, giving her dower in all the lands and tenements mentioned in the widow's suit against Rosetta D. Sprague in an undivided moiety in the county. This includes accrued rents and profits.

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THE Committee on LIQUOR LAWS will give a hearing to parties interested in the petition of the Farmers' Association of Newbury for legislation providing that money received for liquor licenses shall be paid into the treasury of the Commonwealth, at room No. 436 State House, on WEDNESDAY, Jan. 27, at 10 o'clock A. M.

W. H. COOK, Chairman.

E. B. ESTES,
Clerk of the Committee. 25-2t

Commonwealth of Massachu'etts.

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It often happens that only children or servants are at home when the canvasser makes his call, and the answers to his questions are open to doubt. I therefore request all parents in whose households a birth has occurred in the year 1896, to place upon a paper or card the required information, and keep it in a convenient place until the canvasser appears.

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Tuesday	—	10
Wednesday	—	22
Thursday	—	45
Friday	—	40
Saturday	—	38

Dr. Saadi.

At Christ's church Sunday morning Dr. Saadi told his story of being interpreter to the party sent out to Khartum in 1884 to the relief of General Charles George Gordon in simple strong terms. His picture of their arrival only twenty-four hours after the betrayal of the brave man whom England seemed to have deserted, was touching. Dr. Saadi dwelt upon the work begun by General Gordon and at his untimely death left for his successors to finish, that of Christianizing the Mohammedans, of trying to develop the spirit of Christianity dormant in them, by Christian methods. He is a medical man, an occulist, and educated in languages. At present this young missionary is studying eye diseases in this country as well as preparing to take the orders of the church through Bishop Williams. He is also translating the Testament into the language of the country to which he will go.

His method of planting even a tiny seed of Christianity was of having the test cards read among the natives, to contain the words "Our Father" and longer sentences from the Lord's prayer and the Testament. This would lead to questions from them and answers relative to the spirit of the text. Then he gradually led up to more texts printed in finer letters and would ask them to read it one half hour and tell him if they felt pain in their eyes after this.

He hopes to accomplish a mission by ministering to the troubles of the eye prevalent in that climate, and trusts to spread the Gospel of Christ in a land where heathen principles prevail.

The congregation was held closely by his simple eloquence. The choir came in singing, "The morning light is breaking," and later the congregation joined in the inspiring lines of the hymn beginning "From Greenland's icy mountains, from India's coral strand," which blended with the subject treated, most touchingly.

A Delusion.

If there is one delusion that is nursed more carefully than another by certain elements in Boston, it is that which looks to the enlargement of Boston's territorial limits and Boston's population by the abscription of contiguous communities. In one way and another, public sentiment has been repeatedly sounded, and in every instance strong antagonism to annexation has developed. The cities and towns which have been wooed are decidedly averse to municipal union. They prefer to manage their own concerns, rather than pander to corporate vanity on the part of Boston by sinking their identity in that of the capital, as outlying wards of the latter.—Salem News.

Ward Six Playground.

It is suggested at Atlantic that the city buy the house and lot on the easterly corner of the new play ground to make the lot of uniform width and length. Buy the house and lot and sell the house which is small and can be easily moved to another lot nearby. Then the sidewalk around the play ground may be raised by grading the streets on either side, so that it can be flooded in winter for a skating rink.

A Rich Find.

Sunday afternoon someone who visited Hearn's drug store dropped quite a roll of money which was picked up by a young man. He notified Mr. Hearn's clerk and gave him his address but refused to give up the money. The young man then took a car for West Quincy. The police were notified and Officer McKay boarded the car and succeeded in getting the money, which he now holds for the owner.

Quincy Post Office.

Letters remaining uncalled for Jan. 25:

Alfred Erickson, Donald McDonald, F. E. Pillsbury, Walter L. Webb.

Anita Checchi, Miss Mamie Harding, Annie Johnson, Miss Belle Jones, Mrs. Dexter Rennick, Mrs. S. L. Rich, Georgiana Van Court.

A curious wedding custom is still extant in Englinham, Northumberland, which dates back many centuries. A bench is placed across the doorway, and bride and bridegroom irrespective of rank or wealth, are made to jump over it.

Capt. Jack.

The St. John's society has been for many years one of the foremost societies of the city in the line of histrionic effort and it is undoubtedly true that many of the plays given by them have been of a great educative value. This is pertinently true of "Capt. Jack," which will be given at the School street hall on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday evenings of this week. The cast shows many old favorites with just enough new talent to leaven and harmonize the whole. The scenic display of this piece has never been surpassed, and the costuming is of the very best. "Capt. Jack" will be introduced each evening by one of the most laughable operattas ever given in this city, with Messrs. W. A. Kingstree and A. McKee in the title roles. The circular advertisement of the society speaks as follows of the play:

"Capt. Jack" is really a most taking piece, and while it is perhaps on the lines of the conventional Irish play, it is nevertheless replete with those characters and sentiments so pleasing to the chivalrous and poetic nature. All pieces of this character must of necessity have just a bit of love, interwoven as it were, to give spice and piquancy, and to act as a stimulus to the gallantry of the time portrayed. All such pieces have likewise the elegant and useless (commercial standard) minion of Her Majesty's army, the devil-may-care Irish lad, the despicable informer, the sacrificing patriot battling for his native land, the selfish damsel and the pretty colleen. "Capt. Jack" is no exception to the rule, only that the different characters are given more adequate treatment and fuller scope. The cast has spent much time in preparation, and will in consequence be able to give a most enjoyable presentation.

How Henry Became Converted.

Everybody in Atlantic knows Henry, and they know him to be a most worthy young man, a model husband and a strict follower of the teachings of Bro. Faxon. Now it happened that to while away a leisure hour he dropped in to hear Bro. Murphy, and the hall being well filled he was escorted to a vacant seat at the front. No sooner had the temperance orator left the platform than he caught the eye of our good Henry, who expressed himself as highly delighted to shake hands with the distinguished apostle of temperance. Have you signed the pledge young man, says Mr. Murphy, still holding Henry's delicate fingers. Not yet replied Henry. Well then come right along and do so now, still retaining his grasp so cheerfully extended; come right along; and before he knew what was his fate he was ushered into the presence of the "blue ribboned" young lady, a pen placed in his fist and our beloved Henry was at last enrolled among the redeemed.

Game Up Smiling.

Mr. Henry H. Faxon of Quincy made his bow before a committee of the legislature of 1897, last Friday. He appeared in support of his bill, which proposes to further regulate the transportation of liquors. Mr. Faxon was put through a course of somewhat severe questioning by a member of the committee, but he came up smiling, as usual. It is doubtful if there is a man in Massachusettts with a single aim in life who is more good-natured, on ordinary and extraordinary occasions than he. The temperance party apparently indorse his bill unanimously. There was no remonstrance, but this does not necessarily mean that the committee will see fit to report his bill to the legislature.—Herald

Sunday School Officers.

The annual meeting of the Wollaston Baptist Sunday school was held on Wednesday evening of last week. The following officers were elected:

Superintendent,—A. D. Albee.
Vice Superintendent,—A. E. Brownville.
Secretary,—Henry Gannett.
Treasurer,—J. A. Sparrow.
Librarian,—H. W. Battison.
Assistant Librarians, — Herbert Albee and A. F. Pinkham.
Musical Director,—A. D. Albee.
Pianist,—Miss Sparrow.

—The National Senate passed a bill Saturday appropriating $50,000 for a statue of President Lincoln at Gettysburg.

Sleep

Induced by the use of coca, opiate or narcotic compounds is bad, decidedly bad. They undermine health and shatter the constitution and the patient is steadily growing into a worse condition—often resulting in the terrible slavery and misery of the cocaine and opium habit. Sleep induced by the use of Hood's Sarsaparilla does not perhaps come as quickly, but it comes more surely and more permanently through nature's great restoring and rejuvenating channel—purified, vitalized and enriched blood. This feeds the nerves with life-giving energy and builds up the system and constitution from the very foundation of all health and life—the blood—pure, rich, red blood.

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Direct Wires from Wollaston, Atlantic South and West Quincy and Point.

A cold morning.

Zero weather tonight.

It almost touched zero.

No meeting of the City Council tonight.

The icemen commenced cutting again today.

No work in the stone sheds today as it is too cold.

The annual ball of the Firemen's Relief Association will be held Feb. 26.

More hearings of the Committee on Liquor Laws are advertised today.

The School Committee will hold a regular meeting tomorrow evening.

The Columbias will be here Wednesday to roll the Quincys in the Candle Pin league.

Everybody was holding onto his ears this morning to keep them from being frost bitten.

This will pass as a cold morning. It was 5 above 0 at 6 o'clock, 7 above at 7 o'clock and 10 above at 9 o'clock.

Mrs. M. M. Manning of Wollaston entertains the Elliot Home Missionary Society at her home Wednesday afternoon.

The Council Committee on Fire Department are to immediately consider the matter of permanent men for the outlying apparatus of the city.

D. Vinton Pierce has nearly completed his canvass for the births of 1896. He expects the year to have been a record breaker, probably over 700.

The Quincy & Boston and Hingham street railways have petitioned the Railroad Commissioners for permission to run cars over each other's tracks.

Rev. E. C. Butler and Dr. W. G. Kendall of this city attended the banquet of the Megantic Fish and Game Club at Hotel Vendome on Saturday evening.

Mr. Charles F. Merrick of this city spoke on the "Value of Sloyd Work in Interesting and Holding Boys," at the Y. M. C. A. conference in Beverly, Saturday.

The Executive Committee and House Committee of the Quincy Yacht club will report in print this year, and will accompany the call for the annual meeting.

Nearly every available seat in the Bethany Congregational church was occupied at the Sunday morning service, and it will soon be necessary to open the gallery.

The Mayor will probably send his appointments to the City Council next week Monday. No changes from the present heads of departments are expected.

At the Bethany church tonight the lesson of the Training school will be by Mr. O. C. Colton, and Rev. Eugene Webster will lecture on "The Benefits of Bible Study."

Messrs. John Shaw, Charles A. Howland and W. W. Adams attended the complimentary banquet to Col. Henry A. Thomas at the Parker House, Boston, on Saturday evening.

In a letter just received from Col. Parker he expresses a strong desire to meet his old friends Tuesday night at the High school. His lecture is not particularly to teachers, but to parents.

The committee having in charge the Odd Fellow's ball of last week have not received returns from all tickets as yet, but have had enough to assure them that the affair was a financial success.

At the annual meeting of the Mayor's club of Massachusetts held Saturday at Young's Hotel, Boston, ex-Mayor Charles H. Porter of Quincy was reelected secretary and treasurer. The new president is Hon. W. A. Bancroft of Cambridge.

The new officers of Merry Mount lodge, A. O. U. W., will be installed Tuesday evening by Deputy A. H. Paton and suite. Edward Mitchell, Past Grand Master and supervisor will also be present. A collation will be served after the meeting.

Rev. E. W. Preble, the new pastor of the Universalist society in this city, after four weeks' illness, was able to be with his parish yesterday, although he appeared very feeble. The congregation were delighted to see him, and after the morning service flocked about him in large numbers. He returned to Webster, Mass., where he has been stopping with dear friends, since his removal from Ohio; he hopes soon to be able to move his family to this city.

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BORN.

DOBLE—In Quincy, Jan. 22, a son to Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Doble of Canal street.

MacDONNELL—At Quincy Point, Jan. 21, a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. A. G. MacDonnell.

DIED.

HOLLERAN—In Quincy, Jan. 23, Mrs. Mary, widow of Mr. John Holleran, aged 63 years.

SENSIBLE HOUSE PLAN.

Designed For Comfort and Utility—Costs About $3,500 to Build.

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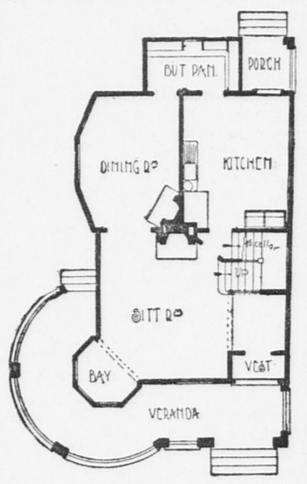
Many people, when they plan or build their home, have an idea they must have at least one room which they can only use on state occasions, and they accordingly have a parlor, which is generally the best room in the house and hardly ever used. The comfort of any family is appreciated



PERSPECTIVE VIEW.

by the living necessities being generously provided, and in a matter where economy is the watchword the parlor can easily be dispensed with and its loss prove a blessing in disguise. A large sitting or general living room which connects with all parts of the house is, for comfort and convenience, far ahead of the parlor, and utility is thus brought to the front and space obtained whereby the loss of a parlor is never felt and the substitute is far better than the reality.

Such a plan is this, and to those who need such a home it is a safe guide and can be relied upon as a beacon light that will keep the wayfarer from the numerous shoals and rocks so frequently met with in building operations. When you have a limited amount of cash to spend for a house, it behooves you to be limited in your desires, and it is always better to err

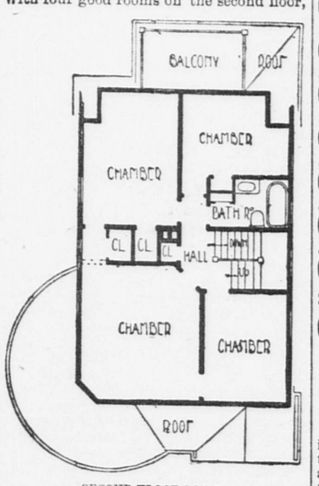


FIRST FLOOR PLAN.

on the side of safety and keep within your purse, for you must remember you have the home to furnish and the worst and hardest time to face when you do so.

This plan well illustrates a type of cottage that could be built by the hundreds in many sections within 20 miles of New York or in the suburbs of any large city. It is the home of the middle class man—the clerk, the tradesman, the mechanic—the man who has the best interests of his family at heart, and who is looking ahead to their future advancement. Such homes are the bulwark of the nation and sure harbingers of prosperity.

This plan can be built on a 40 foot front lot, the building being 25 by 38 feet, and the veranda on the side 7 feet over this, making 32 feet over all in width, leaving ample space on each side for light and air. With four good rooms on the second floor,



SECOND FLOOR PLAN.

two finished attic rooms, furnace, range and open plumbing, this house can be put up generally for about $3,500, according to location and business management, with substantial work throughout. The exterior finish is in the colonial style, shingle covered, and makes a charming appearance.

Interior Finish.

In interior woodwork yellow pine as a finish is crude and coarse in grain compared with other materials that may be had at the same cost. Straight grained cypress is a very beautiful wood, and takes a fine finish if the preparatory filling coat is put on before it is exposed to the dampness. Otherwise, the grain is likely to raise the same as in yellow pine, in which case any amount of sandpapering would never give satisfactory results. For the kitchen, where cleanliness should predominate, white poplar makes a good finish and will stand much hard usage.—Exchange.

Hot Water Heating.

The use of hot water in one form or another to raise the temperature of a room is by no means new. Many years ago every improved conservatory or greenhouse was equipped with large open troughs in which hot water was circulated. Later the troughs were supplanted by iron pipes, and this system still remains as the best for the purpose. But it was manifestly impossible to use such an apparatus for a dwelling, and only in comparatively recent years has the hot water system been perfected by the substitution of radiators for troughs and pipe of large diameter.

Arrival of the Noted Palmist and

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This city has within its borders a woman so gifted with prophecy that those who have visited her are loud in their praise of her singular and miraculous power. Not only does this wonderful woman give advice upon love and marriage, but enters into the subtle details of human mystery and prophesies the future as accurately as the past.—Journal.

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THE UNEMPLOYED.

Want Staring Many in Face Who Are Willing to Work.

Commissioner Knowlton says that he has scores of men coming to him every day seeking for work of some kind to keep the wolf from the door. Not only do they apply at his office but they haunt him at his home nights. These cries for work do not come alone from men, but their wives as well. Women are constantly coming to his house begging him to give their husbands a little work. They have no money, no coal or wood, and are in need of warm clothing. In many cases want stares the applicants in the face.

The condition in many parts of the city is much worse than anyone who has not investigated can imagine. Surely unless relief of some kind comes to these families there will be much suffering.

Commissioner Knowlton says, while he realizes the need of work on the part of these applicants he can but turn a deaf ear to them, for there is no work to be done at this time of the year upon the streets and the citizens would protest against attempting it.

Quincy has several charitable societies and if all reports are true there is plenty of work for them to do now in our own city.

A Few Conundrums.

Will the second appropriation of $160,000 for sewers pass?

Will the City Hospital get a larger appropriation this year from the city?

Will the Atlantic class be transported to the Massachusetts Fields school?

Has the School committee abandoned the idea of enlarging the Quincy school?

Will there be any changes in city officials this year?

Will the city debt be reduced this year?

Should not the interest on notes in anticipation of taxes be included in the $12 limit in making appropriations?

Will the rental or assessment system be adopted for sewers?

How can the school expenses be reduced?

Will a new fire station be built this year?

Will County Commissioner Morrell be impeached?

Will Chief Hayden get a hurry-up wagon and police signal system this year?

Who will be the next Republican candidate for Mayor?

Will the attempt to enlarge City Hall go through this year?

Will this City Council strike that paving clause out of the street railway order for a double track on Hancock street?

How long will it be before the School committee will ask for a new school building at Quincy Point?

Will a boulevard be built to Houghs Neck this year?

Who will be the new sergeant of police, if the ordinance is amended as recommended?

City vs. Street Railway.

The case of the City of Quincy vs. Quincy & Boston street railway comes up for trial at Dedham today. This suit is to recover the amount of the verdict obtained by Stephen Neagle against the city last year. Some two years ago while Neagle was driving a coal team he was thrown out coming in contact with a bank of snow on Washington street, said to have been caused by the street railway. Neagle claimed a defect in the streets and received a verdict of $2,181 80 against the city. The city then turned and entered suit against the street railway.

Calvary Church.

The cottage prayer meetings of Calvary Baptist church will be held this week in the following places:

Monday night at Mr. Gordon Leeman's, Payne street; Tuesday night at Mr. Alex Scarborough's, Trafford street; Wednesday night at Mrs. Higg's, 9 Trafford street; Thursday afternoon the missionary meeting at Rev. C. A. Parker's, 18 Gay street; Thursday night at Mr. Stitt's, Newcomb street, Quincy Point, near the church. To these meetings all are invited.

—A mother complained recently to a London magistrate that her daughter aught cold because her teacher required that a necklace should be removed from her neck. She had worn it since she was 3 weeks old.

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TODAY'S COURT.

Charles Stanley was fined $5 for drunkenness at Quincy.

James Fairman was arraigned for vagrancy at Quincy.

City Physician Welch who examined the supposed ulcer on the young man's leg at the Police station said, it seemed to be of a superficial nature. It appeared to have been caused by some external irritation. That it was not in the location where ulcers were usually found. The young man claimed that he had had the ulcer two months but the sore could have been healed in less time. It was the most comfortable place to have a sore of that kind.

The young man in his own behalf said his home was in Belleville, Ontario, and that he came to the United States three months ago. He was seeking work when this ulcer came and he was trying to get money to take him home. He visited Dr. Gilbert who examined his leg and pronounced it a chronic ulcer. Dr. Gilbert gave him a letter to that effect, also adding that he considered him a worthy object for charity. He also had a letter to that effect from Dr. Flanders of Boston. He further said, if the court would let him go he had money and would get out of town. All he wanted was a show. While in Boston he had stopped at 83 Green street, 77 Kneeland street, and at the Royal hotel.

The court sentenced him to four months in the house of correction.

First Presbyterian Church.

There were large congregations at both services. In the morning the Rev. Thomas Clayton, who is conducting the evangelistic services, preached upon faith, hope and love, from I Cor. 13:13, and by illustrations drawn from the Old Testament up to the time of David, then from David onward, then to the New Testament, showed that this is the order of development in the religious life of the race. It is so with the individual also. The lowest motive for serving God is fear of punishment, then hope of reward, then love of God and man. Christians who have never added to their faith hope, are dismal and repellant; those who have not added to their hope love, are selfish and cruel. Christianity without love is a libel on the Christ-life.

In the evening Mr. Clayton preached from John 3:16, presenting three pictures, of the perishing world, of the loving Father and of the loving Son. Most striking was his denunciation of the idea that God is an unmerciful tyrant, as is sometimes irreverently and falsely alleged. He gave His Son to die for us, He saw Christ smitten, bruised, reviled, spat upon, crucified, pierced, mocked, and yet God withheld His thunderbolts, sparing the men who as devils were engaged in the infernal work. Why? Because "God so loved the world."

There was an aftermeeting, to which nearly the whole congregation remained. Miss Goldthwait opened it with a solo, responses by a quartette singing "Jesus, lover of my soul." In this meeting a number confessed Christ, and many testimonies from believers were given.

Mr. Clayton and Miss Goldthwait will be with the church at its meetings Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday evenings at 7.30 o'clock. Everybody cordially invited.

☞ Balance of OIL STOVES to be closed out at reduced prices. GUY'S COLISEUM, Quincy.

Will Run Against Yale.

Worcester, Mass., Jan. 25.—James J. McLaughlin of this city, one of the best known middle distance runners in New England, has entered Holy Cross college and will begin his studies there this morning. McLaughlin has won a number of races and in 1894 was the New England half-mile champion, doing the distance in 1:58 4-5. Last fall he did a private trial in 1:56. He will run on the Holy Cross team against Yale at the coming B. A. A. meet.

Clinton Wants Protection.

Clinton, Mass., Jan. 25.—Hon. John W. Corcoran has prepared a petition to the legislature, which a large number of the citizens of this town have signed, for an amendment to the metropolitan water act of 1895. The town is very desirous for better protection in the building on of the great water system, against injury to property and also to persons by the large gangs of Italians who are employed by the contractors.

Armenian Priest Begins Work.

Boston, Jan. 25.—Rev. Father Joseph Yasbek, a Catholic clergyman of Armenian birth, who has been chosen by Archbishop Williams to care for the spiritual welfare of his countrymen in New England, began his labors here yesterday by preaching at St. Mary's church, Charlestown. Rev. Father Yasbek was educated at Rome, and will begin his work by establishing a mission home in this city for Armenians.

Sabbath Prize Fight.

Providence, Jan. 25.—Frank Powers and Dave Murphy, two Woonsocket lightweights, met in a fight which was to be to a finish, in a barn in Burrillville yesterday. Powers had the better of the fight from the start, and put Murphy to sleep in the fifth round. The fight was witnessed by a small gathering of sporting men from this state and Massachusetts.

Will Succeed His Brother.

Springfield, Mass., Jan. 25.—Bishop Beaven has appointed Rev. Bernard S. Conaty rector of St. Michael's cathedral in this city, pastor of the Sacred Heart church in Worcester, to succeed his brother, Rev. Dr. Conaty, who was chosen and installed rector of the American Catholic University at Washington.

Robbery of Shoe Factory.

Haverhill, Mass., Jan. 25.—The shoe factory of Elmer L. Tewksbury in the Newcomb block on Wingate street was broken into Saturday night and a large quantity of upper stocks and other goods removed. Harry Whittier and William Regan have been arrested on suspicion of being the thieves

THE SPORTING WORLD.

The system of handicapping—that is, of adjusting the weight to be carried by each horse entered in a race in such a manner that nearly every one of the entries may, as nearly as possible, have an equal chance—is comparatively modern. It came into vogue in England in 1824, the first important handicap being the Chester cup of that year, but was at first confined to a few principal races. The early handicappers must have had a happy time of it, as the weights they could assign were not limited, though after they got as low as 56 pounds they put "feather" against the name of any of the competitors whom they considered should carry less, this meaning that the owner might put up the lightest boy he could obtain.

Only one important race, however, was ever won by a horse thus weighted, Tripoli taking the Somersetshire stakes in 1842 with a "feather" up. The next lowest weighted runner was Red Deer, who, in 1844, was awarded the Chester cup, when carrying only 56 pounds. He was ridden by Kitchener, afterward a very famous jockey, whose bodily weight on that day was only 48 pounds. It is tolerably certain, however, that this horse did not actually win. The race is 2¼ miles, twice around the course. The starters were so numerous—there being 42 runners—that they had to be drawn up in double line. Red Deer had probably gone but once around and was really more than a mile behind the leaders when he passed the judge, though to that official he appeared to be ten lengths in front of them.

Naturally such a wide range of weights caused enormous fields to come to the post; but, though the "feather" was abolished in 1845, it was not till ten years later that the lowest weight was fixed at 70 pounds. Shortly after this was raised to 77 pounds, and about ten years ago 84 pounds was made the minimum, at which point it still remains.—Horseman.

Lively Rope Skipping.

Johnson and Michael, who are now making such wonderful records with the bicycle, have added to their training equipments one of the most simple yet effective devices. It is nothing but an ordinary skipping rope, such as is used by schoolgirls in the springtime. They skip the rope every night before going to bed, and at the close they are subjected to a liberal and energetic rub down, which leaves all the muscles soft and relaxed for sleep.

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"But how in the world did you keep it up for that length of time?" was asked.

"It depends altogether on how you feel. When I skipped 7,000, I did not stop once, but got into my step and kept it nicely without a break. Sometimes it is impossible for me to go much above 2,000, for then I do not feel like it, but when I did 7,000 I did not stop because I was tired, but simply because I thought I had done enough."

The results of this kind of training in Michael's case are very evident. When making some of his record races, he rides almost upright in the saddle and seems to make no particular effort to hasten his machine. His racing work has not that straining, intense appearance that that of other riders has.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

Notable Racing Events.

The Saratoga association will open four steeple chases, of which one is the Hunters' steeple chase, for half bred hunters, owned and ridden by members of any recognized hunt in the United States or Canada; the other the Saratoga Pink Coat steeeple chase, for hunters, riders in each case to qualify under the rules of the National Hunt association. Another notable event at Saratoga will be the weight for age race, the Citizens' stakes, at 1¼ miles, of $2,500. All these races, which tend to bring the amateurs actively into the sport, are greatly to be desired, and if they are successful next season we may hope to see more such.—Philadelphia Ledger.

Tennis Is Thriving.

One of the features of last season was the revived interest in tennis. The national tournament brought together many of the old time players of the country as well as a number of younger men who had not before made a mark. The tournament was very successful, and better tennis was played than ever before in this country. There was a general opinion that the days of tennis were over, but the work of the cracks showed that this was by no means the case. The game is still alive and in better shape than it has been for the past three or four years, if not at any time previously.—Philadelphia Ledger.

Golf Clubhouses.

Golf clubhouses are coming into prominence, and every club that has a sufficient number of members enrolled to justify such an expense endeavors to build comfortable and roomy quarters for the players. Some of the clubhouses which have been erected are triumphs of the architect's skill and are modern and model in every respect. Many improvements have been made not only in the clubhouses, but also in the various courses, especially those in the vicinity of large cities.—Exchange.

Sporting Notes.

Report has it that the sale ring champion Monbars is to go to Russia.

American road and coach horses are the rage in England.

Savannah, Atlanta, Augusta and Mobile are all bidding for the Pittsburg Baseball club's spring practicing.

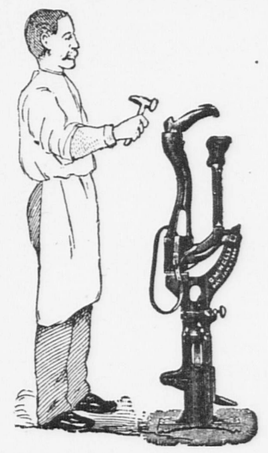
Permanent Driver.

Although the City Council has not amended the Fire Department ordinances so as to place permanent men in all of the engine houses, Chief Engineer Williams has for the winter months practically placed Chemical 2 of Atlantic upon a permanent basis. He has hired a driver for this piece of apparatus who is on duty at the house all of the time.

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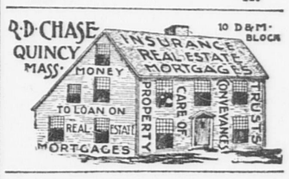
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Leave NEPONSET—6.22 A. M., 6.37, 6.52, 7.07, 7.22, and every 7, 22, 37 and 52 minutes past the hour until 7.00 o'clock, then every half hour until 11 P. M.; last car for Quincy at 11.15 P. M. Cars leaving Neponset 22 minutes past the hour via. Norfolk Downs.

Quincy and East Weymouth.

Leave CITY HALL (10 minutes later from Quincy Point and 22 minutes later fro North Weymouth)—5.45, 6.20, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8 50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, 11.20, 11.50 A. M.; 12.20, 12.50, 1.20, 1,50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20 4.50 5.20 (5.30 to East Weymouth car house), 5.50, 6.20, 6.50, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.50 P. M.

Leave EAST WEYMOUTH (20 minutes later from North Weymouth and 30 minutes later from Quincy Point)—6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11, 11.30 A. M.; 12, 12.30, 1, 1, 1.30, 2, 2.30, 3, 3.30, 4, 4.30, 5, 5.30, 6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11.30 P. M.

Quincy and East Milton.

Leave CITY HALL, 5.55, 6.25, then every 30 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.55 P. M., then at 9.50 and 10.50 P. M.

Leave EAST MILTON, 6.30, 7.00 A. M., then on the hour and half hour until 9.30 P.M., then at 10.20 and 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and Holbrook.

Leave QUINCY for SOUTH BRAINTREE and HOLBROOK at 6.10 and 6.40 A. M., and every 10 minutes past and 20 minutes of the hour until 10.10 P. M. Last car leaves at 10.50 P. M. On Saturdays the last car leaves Quincy at 11.50 P. M.

Returning cars leave HOLBROOK for SOUTH BRAINTREE and QUINCY at 5.55 and 6.25 A. M., and every 25 minutes past and 5 minutes of the hour until 9.55 P.M. Last car leaves Holbrook at 11.30 P. M.

☞ On Sundays on the Weymouth route cars will leave Quincy on the hour and half hour and East Weymouth at quarter past and quarter of the hour.

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On and after Jan. 17, 1897, trains will run as follows: (See note of explanation at bottom.)

TO BOSTON. Leave Quincy.	Stops at	Arrive Boston.	FROM BOSTON. Leave Boston.	Stops at	Arrive Quincy
r 6 12 abc	*	6 30	5 53 ihgfedcba*		6 20 r
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r 7 42 abc		8 00	9 30 cba		9 49 r
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8 29 a		8 45	11 30 cba		11 49 r
r 8 42 abc		9 00	12 00 (xx)		12 15
r 9 12 abc		9 30	12 30 cba		12 49 r
r 10 12 abc		10 30	1 30 cba		1 49 r
r 11 12 abc		11 30	2 30 cba		2 49 r
r 12 12 abc		12 30	3 30 cba		3 49 r
r 1 12 abc		1 30	4 30 cba		4 49 r
1 46 (xx)		2 00	5 00 cba		5 19 r
r 2 12 abc		2 30	5 15 a		5 32
r 3 12 abc		3 30	5 30 cba		5 49 r
r 4 12 abc		4 30	6 00 cba		6 19 r
r 5 12 abc		5 30	6 15 a		6 32
r 6 12 abc		6 30	6 30 cba		6 49 r
r 7 12 abc		7 30	7 00 cba		7 19 r
r 7 41 abcdefghi		8 07	7 30 cba		7 49 r
r 8 08 abcdef		8 30	8 30 fedcba		8 53 r
r 9 12 abc		9 30	9 30 cba		9 49 r
r 10 08 abcdef		10 30	10 30 fedcba		10 53 r
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r 11 12 abc		11 30	11 30 cba		11 49 r

SUNDAYS.

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r 9 12 abc		9 30	8 30 (xx)		8 45
r 12 16 (xx)		12 30	9 30 ihgfedcba		9 57 r
1 07 abc		1 25	10 30 ihgfedcba		10 57 r
2 16 (xx)		2 30	11 30 (xx)		11 45
r 3 04 abcdefghi		3 30	12 35 cba		12 54
r 4 04 abcdefghi		4 30	1 30 (xx)		1 45
5 16 (xx)		5 30	4 30 cba		4 49 r
r 6 08 abcdef		6 30	5 00 (xx)		5 15
r 9 08 abcdef		9 30	7 00 fedcba		7 23 r
9 38 adf		9 55	10 30 fedcba		10 53 r

*The letters in the same line as the figures stand for different stations and indicate that trains stop, as follows:

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MOON'S PHASES.

New Moon	3	1:03 a. m.	Full Moon	18	3:17 p. m.
First Quarter	10	4:46 p. m.	Third Quarter	25	3:08 p. m.

THE WEATHER INDICATIONS.

ALMANAC, MONDAY, JAN. 25.
Sun rises—7:04; sun sets, 4:50.
Length of day—9h. 46m.
Moon rises—12:15 p. m.
High water—4 a.m., 4:30 p. m.
Forecast for New England: Generally fair and colder, with a cold wave; temperature will probably fall below zero Monday night; westerly winds.

Woman's Love.

A sentinel angel, sitting high in glory,
Heard this shrill wail ring out from purgatory:
"Have mercy, mighty angel! Hear my story!

"I loved, and, blind with passionate love, I fell.
Love brought me down to death, and death to hell,
For God is just, and death for sin is well.

"I do not rage against his high decree,
Nor for myself do ask that grace shall be,
But for my love on earth, who mourns for me.

"Great spirit, let me see my love again
And comfort him one hour, and I were fain
To pay a thousand years of fire and pain."

Then said the pitying angel: "Nay, repent
That wild vow. Look, the dial finger's bent
Down to the last hour of thy punishment."

But still she wailed: "I pray thee, let me go.
I cannot rise to peace and leave him so.
Oh, let me soothe him in his bitter woe!"

The brazen gates ground sullenly ajar,
And upward, joyous, like a rising star,
She rose and vanished in the ether far.

But soon adown the dying sunset sailing,
And, like a wounded bird, her pinions trailing,
She fluttered back with broken hearted wailing.

She sobbed: "I found him by the summer sea
Reclined, his head upon a maiden's knee.
She curled his hair and kissed him. Woe is me!"

She wept: "Now let my punishment begin.
I have been fond and foolish. Let me in
To expiate my sorrow and my sin."

The angel answered: "Nay, sad soul. Go higher!
To be deceived in your true heart's desire
Was bitterer than a thousand years of fire!"
—John Hay.

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THE WEEK IN CONGRESS

Further Consideration of Nicaragua Canal In Senate.

Turpie Will Advocate Recognition of Cuba.

Opposition to Conference Report on Immigration Bill In House.

Washington, Jan. 25.—The Nicaragua canal bill comes first in importance of measure to be considered by the senate this week. Following it the bankruptcy bill will come up. The latter is a special order for Wednesday.

The time of the senate after 3 o'clock today will be devoted to eulogies upon the late Speaker Crisp, and the time previous to that hour after the disposal of the routine morning business will be consumed by Senator Turpie in a speech discussing the Cameron resolution. The speech may be broken in upon at 2 o'clock by a contest for precedence between the friends of the Nicaragua bill and the supporters of the bankruptcy bill, but if so it is likely that the contest will be postponed to a more convenient season.

It is known that Senator Turpie will take advanced ground favorable to Cuban recognition, and it is hinted that he will take occasion to criticise Mr. Olney's position sharply. Mr. Turpie's speech may prove to be the first of several on the Cuban question, but the committee on foreign relations is manifesting no disposition to press the resolutions to a vote.

Tomorrow Senator Chandler expects to secure a vote on his bill providing for the representation of this country at an international monetary conference. There will be several short speeches and more or less running debate on this measure, but it is believed that all substitutes and amendments will be voted down and the bill passed before the close of the day set for its consideration. Senator Cameron has a substitute requiring this government to take the initiative in calling a conference, which may give the friends of the original bill more or less trouble. The bankruptcy bill will be debated at considerable length when reported, though Senator George, its especial champion, as reported to the senate, is absent from the city.

Senator Morgan will make a strenuous effort to prevent the Nicaragua canal bill from losing its place as the unfinished business on the calendar, and it is understood, will submit amendments which will meet the demands of those who hold that the bill requires further work by committee, in view of the new position of Nicaragua as developed by Senor Rodriguez' letter.

The senator will take the position that the bill should be amended in the senate if not satisfactory, and that it should then be voted upon and not sent back to committee.

Senator-elect Kearney of Delaware may present his credentials during the week, but not until the committee on privileges and elections, which is to meet Thursday, shall have passed upon the Dupont petition and the Addicks credentials.

The most interesting features of the house program for this week, unless the Nicaragua canal bill should receive consideration, which, in view of the recent complications, seems entirely improbable, will be the fight against the conference report on the immigration bill.

Mr. Parthold of Missouri, who made an ineffectual attempt to prevent the bill from going to conference, will lead the opposition to the bill as agreed upon by the conferees. There seems to be little doubt that the friends of the measure will be triumphant in the end, as the sentiment in favor of an immigration bill in the house is, as shown by the votes on previous occasions, in a strong majority. Nevertheless, Mr. Barthold proposes to do all in his power to defeat the conference report. Two appropriation bills, the agricultural and Indian, will probably consume the remainder of the week. There are some features of both bills which may cause considerable debate. Such time as can be spared will be given to the committees to call up such bills as have been reported by them Today, under the rules, is District of Columbia day.

More Chess.

New York, Jan. 25.—The Condon, Cutler, Columbia grammar, De La Salle Sachs and Harvard schools will play a chess tournament in this city. It will take place during the first five days at Columbia grammar school, namely, Jan. 27, 28, 29, Feb. 1 and 2. On the following five days the games will be held at De La Salle institute. Each school playing will be represented by two players, and each player will play a game with each man from each other school, making 10 games for each player. Some prize, probably a banner, will be presented to the winner. Among the players will be Hunt and Stokes of De La Salle, Falk from Sachs and Engels and Libaire from Columbia grammar school.

Well-Known Minister Dead.

Manchester, N. H., Jan. 25.—Rev. Harrison Closson, a prominent retired Universalist clergyman, died last night, aged 68 years and 6 months. Mr. Closson was born in Northampton, Mass., July 23, 1828. He was settled nine years in Cavendish, Vt., eight years in Gardner, Mass., nine years in Marblehead, Mass., three years in Essex, Mass., and nine years in Middletown, Conn.

Thirtieth Anniversary of Consecration.

Portland, Me., Jan. 25.—Today the Right Rev. Henry A. Nealey will celebrate the 30th anniversary of his consecration as bishop of the Episcopal diocese of Maine. Clergymen from all over the state will attend the exercises and the reception which is to be given the bishop in the evening.

Earthquake Victims.

London, Jan. 25.—A dispatch to the Times from Teheran, Persia, reports that 1400 bodies have been recovered from the ruins, which resulted from the recent earthquake on the island of Kishm in the Persian gulf, the inhabitants of which were estimated to number 5000, mostly Arabs.

Ivory Sails For Home.

London, Jan. 25.—The Daily Mail announces that Edward J. Ivory, alias Bell, acquitted of a charge of complicity in a dynamite conspiracy, and John E. McIntyre, formerly assistant district attorney in New York, who came to London in his defense, have sailed for New York.

FAMINE EXAGGERATED.

Condition of People In India Not So Bad as Previously Reported.

London, Jan. 25.—A special correspondent with the government inspection party sends dispatches from Kolhapur.

He says that the reports which have been sent to England and the United States of the acute famine said to exist in the southern Maharashtra states have been exaggerated, so far as his observation has extended. A scarcity of grain does, indeed, prevail in the extreme eastern portion of this region, but the people there were able to escape want by migration, most of them, to the fertile Kancon plains and elsewhere, where the shortness of the grain supply is not felt.

Rice also is plentiful, and means and measures for the relief of the hungry are pronounced adequate where needed.

The maharajah, in an interview on the prospects of his people escaping starvation, said that his state expected a famine every five years, and were, therefore, not taken unawares when it came. They were prepared, he said, to spend five lacs of rupees for relief in his territory.

The British resident was also interviewed, and confirmed the statements of the maharajah as to the situation, adding that the relief organization was most efficient in the Bombay presidency, and that the difficulties from famine and of securing and distributing relief were lighter than in former famines. The correspondent summed up his views as follows:

"My observation has been in travelling over the whole western side, that the famine is not severe there, though it may increase towards June. But in the districts in which I have travelled I have not heard of a single death from starvation."

The weekly official report from the governor general, Lord Elgin, of the famine outlook in India, says that from one to three inches of rain has fallen in the Punjab, except in the Delhi district, and light showers elsewhere. There is a slight fall in the prices in the Northern Punjab, while elsewhere they are stationary.

A dispatch to the Daily Mail from Bombay says: "The actual number of deaths from plague is double the loose official estimate, and the malady is spreading slowly, but surely. There are daily reports of fresh outbreaks."

Killed by Highbinders.

San Francisco, Jan. 25.—Little Pete, the most noted Chinaman in San Francisco, was murdered by his countrymen in Chinatown Saturday night. He was sitting in a chair in a Chinese barber shop when three Chinese entered and shot him. The murderers were highbinders hired to do the job. Little Pete has had a varied and remarkable career in San Francisco, and for years has been the most influential Chinaman in this part of the country. Whenever any of his countrymen were in trouble, Little Pete was always called upon to help them out, and he achieved a reputation for fixing cases that almost landed him in the penitentiary. He was at the head of the business of importing Chinese women to this country for immoral purposes, and waxed wealthy. Little Pete, although he spoke English fluently, retained his Chinese dress as a matter of policy. He controlled many of the gambling dens in Chinatown, and his revenues from that source were large. He was an all-round sport. He played the races heavily and made some big winnings. He was so successful in picking winners that about a year ago the race track people became suspicious, and it was found he had a number of jockeys in his employ. Little Pete was ruled off the turf, together with the dishonest jockeys.

Took Fatal Dose.

New York, Jan. 25.—Miss Lillian Templeton of Brooklyn died yesterday, as the result of taking a prescription of a friend, who meant to cure, not kill, her. Miss Templeton had been suffering from a cold. A friend gave her a prescription which called for equal parts of spirits of camphor, peppermint, laudanum and balsam of fir. This prescription was filled by the Bolton Drug company. She took the medicine on Friday evening. Saturday morning she was found unconscious, bleeding at the nose and mouth. Physicians were called, but their efforts were unavailing. Coroner Coombs said: "Twenty grains of laudanum is a large dose, and geerally is approached by giving gradually increasing doses, from three grains up to 20. If the prescription contained four equal parts, then there must have been from 40 to 45 grains in the dose, and that is enough to kill anybody."

Cold Wave In West.

Chicago, Jan. 25.—From all parts of the west and southwest come reports of a general cold wave, which is more than ordinarily severe. The thermometer in all sections has dropped far below zero, and there is much suffering in consequence. In this city the weather is the coldest in 25 years. Many poor people are applying for fuel and shelter to keep from freezing to death. Great losses of stock are expected on the big cattle ranges. The cold wave extends from North Dakota to Texas, and from Michigan to Utah.

Church Celebration.

Brockton, Mass., Jan. 25.—The St. Paul's Episcopal church celebrated its 25th anniversary yesterday by two interesting services, one in the morning and the other in the evening. At the former Rev. George Alexander Strong, who for the past six years has been rector of the church, preached an historical discourse, while in the evening Rev. George Hodges, D. D., dean of the Theological school at Cambridge, spoke on "What the Episcopal Church Stands for."

Death at Shelburne Falls.

Shelburne Falls, Mass., Jan. 25.—Samuel D. Bardwell, aged 78, well known throughout western Massachusetts, died here yesterday after a long illness. He was a trial justice for 30 years, and was deputy collector of internal revenue during the war under Collector Alvard. He served as county commissioner and was a member of the legislature in 1880.

Despondent Patent Attorney.

Washington, Jan. 25.—Joseph I. Peyton, a patent attorney, committed suicide by blowing out his brains. Despondency, due to physical disorder, was, it is believed, the reason for the act. He was 49 years old, unmarried and was a grandson of Mrs. Elizabeth Peyton, whose family is of revolutionary fame.

Ex-Queen Wants to See Cleveland.

Washington, Jan. 25.—Liliuokalani, Hawaii's ex-queen, arrived here rather unexpectedly Saturday. Her intention to visit Washington had not been anticipated. That the ex-queen wants and expects to see President Cleveland during her stay here is almost a certainty.

COOLIDGE INDORSED.

Senators From New England Recommend Him For Treasury Portfolio.

Washington, Jan. 25.—The New England senators have agreed to unite in recommendation of Hon. T. Jefferson Coolidge of Massachusetts for the office of secretary of the treasury in the cabinet of President McKinley.

This conclusion was reached after a series of conferences in which the entire New England delegation in the senate participated. Senator Hoar led in the movement, and made it his business to see all the New England senators and present to them the advantages of having a man from the eastern states in this responsible position.

The movement was precipitated by the presence of ex-Senator Cheney of New Hampshire and General Welles and Mr. Dalton of Massachusetts in the city on their way home from Canton, whither they went in Mr. Coolidge's behalf. These gentlemen reported to the senators that while they had received no positive assurance from Mr. McKinley, they felt that the contest for the appointment lay between that gentleman and Mr. Gage, and that the outlook was very encouraging.

Some of the senators were at first loth to take up the matter on account of the claims of men from their own states, but they were at last brought to see that the treasury portfolio was of so much more importance than any other place that was likely to be awarded to that section, that all consented and agreed to unite in a recommendation to Major McKinley in Mr. Coolidge's behalf. They were assured of Mr. Coolidge's acceptance in case of his appointment.

BURNED IN HIS CELL.

Convict In Auburn Prison Victim of Naphtha Explosion.

Auburn, N. Y., Jan. 25.—Warden Stout of the prison here gave out a statement to the press yesterday of the burning to death of a convict in the prison Saturday night. The unfortunate man was James McTaige, an Elmira transfer, sentenced from New York county for a term of five years June 7, 1895, for grand larceny, second degree.

McTaige had been working in the finishing room of the hollowware department, and had smuggled naphtha to his cell on the fifth gallery in the south wing, which he was using for cookinig purposes. An explosion occurred, and the guards and waiters immediately went to the scene, but McTaige was enveloped in flames, and, before assistance could be rendered, he was so seriously burned that the efforts of the physicians proved unavailing, and he died a few hours later.

The coroner was called, and, upon hearing the details, deemed an inquest unnecessary.

McTaige's time would have expired in March next. His mother, who resides in England, has been communiated with. His body will be interred in the state lot today.

Martinelli Celebrates Mass.

New York, Jan. 25.—Archbishop Sebastian Martinelli of Ephesus and apostolic delegate to the United States, celebrated a solemn pontifical mass yesterday in St. Agnes' Roman Catholic church in honor of the feast of the patron saint of the church. Archbishop Michael Corrigan was present in the sanctuary during the ceremonies, and Bishop McDonnell of Brooklyn and Assistant Bishop Harley of this city took an active part in the service. The apostolic delegate was assisted by a number of clergymen of the diocese of New York and Very Rev. Dr. Frederick Z. Rooker, secretary of the delegation at Washington. Rev. Dr. Henry A. Brann, rector of the church, was master of ceremonies. After the mass, the archbishops and other visiting clergymen were tendered a reception and given a collation at the rectory of the church.

Lawrence's City Council.

Lawrence, Mass., Jan. 25.—Mayor Judkins in an interview states that he will call both branches of the city government to meet in joint convention before the 27th of the month. This is upon the condition that no attempt is made by the Democrats to use yellow or any other colored ballots, but that all use the white ballots furnished by the city messenger. These conditions were conceded by Councilman Shea for the Democrats. The report that Councilman Chambers (Rep.) states that he will not vote for City Clerk Kimball (Rep.) complicates matters somewhat, and the result of the convention cannot be foretold with any degree of accuracy.

Late Minister Willis' Remains.

Louisville, Jan. 25.—The remains of the late minister to Hawaii, Hon. Albert S. Willis, reached here last evening. Mrs. Willis, with her sister, Miss May Dulaney, Albert S. Willis, Jr., and Colonel James Tucker of San Francisco accompanied the remains. The funeral will take place tomorrow morning at Cave Hill cemetery, this city.

NEWS IN A NUTSHELL.

Showalter and Pillsbury will sign articles today for the championship chess match, to begin on Jan. 30, in Brooklyn.

Cobban Bros., hardware dealers of Groveland and wall paper dealers of Haverhill, Mass., have assigned. Their indebtedness is said to be $9000.

Morris P. Clark, aged 67, of Northampton, Mass., was found dead in a chair. He was sitting beside a smoking oil stove, and went to sleep. Death was caused by suffocation.

The good will and property of every kind formerly belonging to the Arena Publishing Company of Boston was sold at auction, in pursuance of a court decree. The property was sold to William Craig for $13,400.

A special from Tallahassee, Fla., says: Pierce Taylor, a young negro, who attempted an assault upon Miss Emma Apthorp last Sunday night, was taken from the jail last night by a mob and hanged to a tree in the jail yard. Taylor had confessed to the crime.

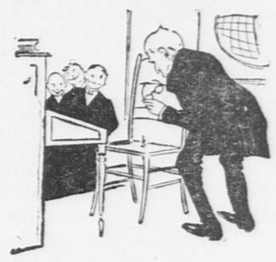
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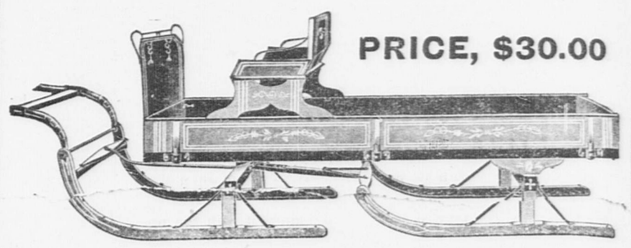
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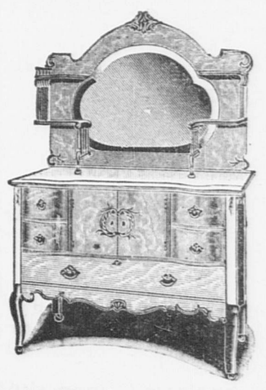
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And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive, in the QUINCY DAILY LEDGER, a new-paper published in said Quincy, the last publication to be one day, at least before said Court.

Witness, George White, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this fifteenth day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven.

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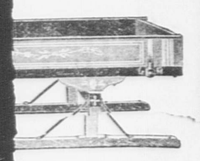
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TELEGRAPHIC.

3 O'CLOCK.

For Latest Local and Vicinity News See Inside Pages.

COLD WAVE GENERAL.

New England Thermometers Take Violent Tumbles.

Much Suffering In Larger Cities.

Poor People Starving and Freezing in New York and Chicago.

Boston, Jan. 26.—The stiff northwester which has been blowing over New England since Sunday, and which has dragged with it a moderate cold wave, continued unabated last night, but there was no further drop in the the temperature after noon. The thermometer registered 14 above zero at 9 p. m. in this city. The high wind, however, has made the cold more severe, especially in exposed places, and along the coast, and all incoming vessels are well iced up. Along Cape Cod, especially off Chatham, the coasters have had a hard time all day, and a large fleet sought shelter inside Chatham bar. Nantucket reported a gale all day, with a minimum temperature of 16 above zero at 8 o'clock last night, and the harbor is blocked with ice. In northern New England, however, the temperature has been very low, averaging zero or a few degrees below, and the mercury shows signs of a still further drop. Farther to the south the cold as yet has not been exceptionally severe, and extreme temperatures are not anticipated by the weather bureau before tomorrow. The following thermometer and wind gauge readings at 9 p. m. were reported:

Portland, Me.—Temperature 10 degrees above, wind 10 miles an hour.

St. John, N. B.—Temperature 12 below zero, as during the entire day; wind from from 12 to 15 miles, blowing from the west.

Augusta, Me.—Temperature 3 below, no wind.

Bangor—Temperature about zero, with downward tendency.

Lowell, Mass.—Temperature 13 above zero, high wind.

Manchester, N. H.—Temperature 2 degrees above zero, and rapidly falling.

Lawrence, Mass.—Temperature 9 above; high wind makes the cold more intense.

New Haven—Temperature 11 above.

Holyoke, Mass.—15 below zero; fierce wind all day.

Bridgeport, Conn.—Mercury 10 degrees above and falling.

Hartford—Temperature 5 above.

Worcester, Mass.—Thermometer 10 above; wind.

Lewiston, Me.—Temperature 17 below.

Pittsfield, Mass.—Temperature 13 below, strong west winds.

Chicago, Jan. 26.—Mayor Swift has issued an appeal for aid, for the poor who are suffering from the cold, calling upon the big packers, coal dealers and merchants for contributions and supplies to relieve the suffering. In many instances the proclamation was forestalled, and heavy contributions are coming in constantly. On the floor of the board of trade a subscription paper was started, and several thousand dollars subscribed in a few minutes. The big department stores and dry goods merchants sent in checks for $500 and $1000.

The police department has been turned into a vast relief corps. Chief of Police Badenoch has issued orders to every officer in the city to make a personal investigation of all cases of destitution on his beat and report the same at once. Help is sent immediately, and every patrol wagon and inspector's carriage is being used for the purpose. One pitiful case of suffering was reported to the Hyde Park station. At the home of Edwin Martin was a child that had died Saturday from starvation and lay unburied in the house. The family was without food, fuel or money, and had been for several days.

Another death was that of Fred A. Busch, 5 years old, who succumbed as the result of exposure. George Grant was found in a freight car near North street, almost dead, and with his feet badly frozen, so that they will have to be amputated.

The work of clearing the down town streets of snow was abandoned on account of the intensity of the cold.

Many of the men had no gloves or overcoats, and nearly 400 of them were more or less severely frostbitten.

Joseph Fey, a driver on a snow plow of the street cleaning department, had his body and limbs so badly frozen that he will probably die.

On some lines passengers on the street cars suffered badly. Miss Emma Smith, while riding from Thirty-fifth street to Madison on a Clark street car, became unconscious, and was only resuscitated after nearly an hour's hard work by physicians. The various police stations were crowded to their utmost capacity. The Harrison street station alone sheltered over 300 unfortunates. The Salvation Army barracks on West Madison street was kept open all night, and many were taken care of there.

Yesterday was the coldest day in the history of Chicago. The temperature averaged 20 degrees below zero all day.

Whistles of distress began to sound from the Sixty-eighth street crib yesterday afternoon, and a tug was sent out at once. The crib is about four miles out in the lake. The crib run out of coal. Six men were there at work and four of them were brought back to the city. They had a severe struggle to keep from freezing, but, by burning up everything that was not nailed down, they managed to get enough fire to generate the steam for the whistle. The weather is moderating very slowly.

New York, Jan. 26.—The threatening antics of the weather for some time past culminated yesterday in the most severe cold throughout the state of New York experienced this season. In New York city the mercury got down to the record point of the year, and in the upper part of the state it succeeded in disappearing almost entirely. Reports from Canada indicate an even more rigorous condition of affairs, but it was in the large cities of this state that the direful effects of the cold wave were the most painfully apparent. The poor of this city suffered terribly, for they had not alone to contend against the low temperature, but against a biting wind that opened up the crevices, and cut its way through the broken windows and under the doors. The weather forecaster here reported yesterday that the cold wave had spread over a great section of the country, and that not only in its extent, but in its severity as well, it was quite up to the record of previous years. Worse than this, he declares that for this section of the country, at least, there is no relief in sight. Fair weather is promised, and today, it is prophesied, will break another record.

In other parts of the state a terrific snow storm raged during the day. At Buffalo the wind blew at the rate of 44 miles an hour, bringing with it a drifting fall of snow. For the first time this winter Erie lake was frozen from shore to shore. Syracuse experienced the worst snow storm of the year.

Among those places which experienced the coldest weather of the day were: Montreal, 25 degrees below; Winnipeg, 23 below; Ottawa, 27 below; Malone, N. Y., 26 to 39 below; Saranac Lake, 32 below; Saratoga Springs, 10 below; Warrensburg, 20 below; North Creek, 23 below; Blue Mountain Lake, 30 below; Utica, 10 below; Middleton, 4 below.

The reports last night show that the storm is extending throughout the state, and that in some sections the thermometer is registering lower.

Bismarck, Jan. 26.—Sunday's storm was the most severe in recent years, the wind blowing 34 miles an hour, with the temperature at 30 below zero. It has abated somewhat, but the wind is still blowing 30 miles an hour, and the thermometer registers 22 below. Two inches of dry snow fell Saturday, and Sunday's wind piled this in great drifts, effectually blocking all trains. It will probably be three days before the Northern Pacific is again clear. Northen Pacific coast trains which left St. Paul Thursday and Friday last are in a snow drift at New Salem, 40 miles west of Mandan, and trains due at St. Paul Saturday night and Sunday night have been held at Jamestown, and the one due there last night is held at Dickinson. All westbound trains were held at Fargo. There is undoubtedly much suffering among farmers and others exposed to the storm's fury, and many have probably perished. The loss of cattle on the ranges will be frightfully large.

Austin, Jan. 26.—The cold wave that struck here has swept over the entire state. Reports from western ranges show that there is much suffering among cattle and sheep, with considerable loss of life. The blizzard following the heavy rain storm found the cattle wet, and they are freezing to death rapidly. Much suffering among the poor people is reported and the cold is increasing hourly.

Memphis, Jan. 26.—Reports from western Tennessee, northern Mississippi and Arkansas are to the effect that the coldest weather of the season is prevailing. There is no suffering reported, however, and the indications are that the temperature will rise considerably today. In Memphis and vicinity the thermometer registers 12 degrees above zero.

Cleveland, Jan. 26.—The cold wave continues. At 7 o'clock last night the weather bureau thermometer registered 5 degrees below zero, which is 9 degrees lower than at the same hour Sunday night. The observer says the temperature will continue until morning, and he thinks it may go as low as it did Sunday night.

Calgary, N. W. T., 34 below zero; Quappelle, N. W. T., 24 below; Winnipeg, 28 below; Parry Sound, Ont., 22 below; Toronto, 7 below; Ottawa, 23 below; Montreal, 24 below, and Quebec, 24 below. The extreme cold in the northwestern territories is abating.

Louisville, Jan. 26.—The coldest weather of the season prevails in this city. The maximum temperature yesterday was 11 degrees below zero. The indications are that the thermometer will fall lower than it did Sunday night, when it registered 3 below.

Washington, Jan. 26.—Reports from South Carolina and Georgia show that the cold wave had not reached either state at midnight yesterday. Truck farms will not be injured by a freeze, as the planting is only beginning.

Winnipeg, Jan. 26.—The temperature went to the lowest point in this country recorded for years. Fifty below zero was generally reported from the Red river to Banff in the mountains. The weather is moderating.

Toronto, Jan. 26.—The weather bureau reports the following low temperatures in Canada for the 24 hours ending 8 o'clock last night:

For Uniform Laws.

Trenton, N. J., Jan. 26.—The New Jersey commissioners appointed to bring about uniformity of legislation in the United States have made their report, to the senate, at the same time submitting a draft of a bill reating to negotiable instruments. The bill had been agreed upon at Saratoga by the commissioners representing 27 states, and is based to a large extent upon the British instruments act of 1882, and which is now enforced in every English-speaking country but our own. It does not change materially the present laws of the state. A similar bill will be introduced in New York, Massachusetts, Connnecticut and other states. It was drawn up by John J. Crawford of New York, and was approved by M. D. Chalmers, now in India, who drew up the English measure.

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"WEYLER A REPTILE."

Captain General Stigmatized as the Herod of Havana.

Turpie's Bitter Words In the Senate.

House Disposes of District of Columbia Bill.

Washington, Jan. 26.—Senator Turpie of Indiana spoke for two hours in favor of the Cameron Cuban resolution yesterday. His remarks were bitter, indeed. Among other expressions, he characterized General Weyler as the "Herod of Havana, the murderer of women and children," and as an "indescribably diminutive reptile."

Contrary to expectation, the senator did not criticise Secretary of State Olney.

Senator Chandler introduced a bill providing that no person shall be tried in the courts of the United States for any acts whatever in aid of the republic of Cuba, or of the body, by whatever name known, now engaged in military conflict in the island of Cuba against the government of Spain, which would not be unlawful according to the laws of war.

After 3 o'clock the day was devoted to eulogies on the late ex-Speaker Charles F. Crisp. Early in the day memorials were presented from the presidential electors of Delaware, asking for a congressional investigation of alleged frauds and political irregularities in that state.

After consuming most of the time in disposing of District of Columbia business, the house took up the Indian appropriation bill, and made fair progress with it before the hour for adjournment was reached. The bill carries $7,525,791, $566,294 more than the current law, and $246,265 more than the estimates. Twenty of the 70 pages of the bill were disposed of.

The conference report on the immigration bill was presented and Mr. Danford of Ohio, who has charge of it, gave notice that he would call up the report tomorrow. A bill was passed calling on the war department for an estimate of the cost of a water route from Galveston to Houston.

Arbitration Treaty.

Washington, Jan. 26.—The United States senate will not consent to submission of the Monroe doctrine to arbitration. It will not consent to arbitrate claims growing out of our customs or immigration laws. It may not consent to the service of King Oscar of Sweden as chooser of the final umpire. These facts were plainly indicated at yesterday's meeting of the foreign relations committee.

Manufacturers' Convention.

Philadelphia, Jan. 26.—The second annual convention of the National Association of Manufacturers, which opens in this city today, promises to be one of more than ordinary interest. A number of important matters will come before the convention, among which will be the report of the committee on Mexican affairs, the report of the transportation committee hearing on the interstate commerce law, and also a report of the investigations conducted by Robert P. Porter on the commerce and industries of Japan. An interchange of ideas on the subject of tariff and commercial relations with other countries is also looked for. The report of the committee appointed to bring about such legislation as will create a new cabinet portfollo, to be known as the secretary of manufactures, also promises to be interesting. This report, it is said, will show that while the total agricultural output of the United States up to the last census was a little over $3,000,000,000, the manufactured products for the same time amounted to nearly $11,000,000,000. On this will be based the appeal to the federal government to create the new office.

Fire at Syracuse.

Syracuse, Jan. 26.—Fire last night destroyed the Dillaye block and part of the Butler block on South Salina street, and damaged the Keeler block on Clinton street. The following stores were burned out: W. W. Kimball company, pianos and organs; New York cloak house, Palmer's milinery store. The total loss is about $100,000; mostly insured. The intense cold and a heavy gale of wind made fire fighting the hardest kind of work.

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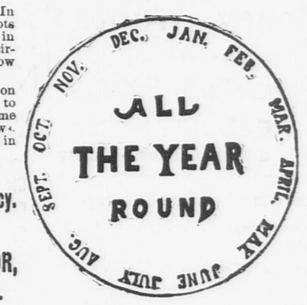
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NOTICE TO PARENTS.

CITY OF QUINCY.

CITY CLERK'S OFFICE, Dec. 14, 1896.

THE Record of births in any city or town is always more or less unsatisfactory, owing to the fact that the canvasser finds difficulty in getting the necessary information. Names and dates are frequently given incorrectly. The importance of accuracy is shown in many cases where there is a question of descent, or inheritance of property, or collection of life insurance or pensions. The City Clerk's copy of the record is accepted as conclusive evidence in a court of law. While great pains are taken by this office to have the record correct, experience shows that it is necessary that parents themselves should lend their assistance. In fact the law requires that parents shall give notice to the City Clerk of the birth of their children, and provides a penalty for neglect to give such notice for the space of six months.

It often happens that only children or servants are at home when the canvasser makes his call, and the answers to his questions are open to doubt. I therefore request all parents in whose households a birth has occurred in the year 1896, to place upon a paper or card the required information, and keep it in a convenient place until the canvasser appears.

The canvass will be commenced on Jan. 1st 1897.

HARRISON A. KEITH, City Clerk.

Dec. 14 to Feb. 1. Dec. 19—7w

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

STATE HOUSE, BOSTON, Jan. 22, 1897.

THE Committee on LIQUOR LAWS will give a hearing to parties interested in the petition of the Farmers' Association of Newbury for legislation providing that money received for liquor licenses shall be paid into the treasury of the Commonwealth, at room No. 436 State House, on WEDNESDAY, Jan. 27, at 10 o'clock A. M.

W. H. COOK, Chairman.

E. B. ESTES, Clerk of the Committee. 25-2t

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W. H. COOK, Chairman.

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Administrator's Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that the subscriber has been duly appointed Administrator of the estate of

JOHN F. COSTELLO,

late of Quincy, in the County of Norfolk, deceased, intestate, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bond as the law directs.

All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same, and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

(Address.)

WILLIAM COSTELLO, Administrator, 114 Montello St., Brockton, Mass.

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Ye great doors will swing wide at 7.30. Ye chorus will break forth at 8 by ye clock.

Ye little hand bills will tell ye more.

Quincy, Jan. 23—1w 26-1t

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Every thing at very low prices in order to make room for summer stock.

All Wool Shirts, 35 cts.
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Quincy, Jan. 5. tf

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1 doz. or less W. K. Lewis best quality Tomatoes, regular price 12 to 15c. each; our price when sold with 1 lb. Tea, 7½c. per can.

1 doz. or less good quality (W. K. L.) Tomatoes, when sold with 1 lb. of Tea, 6½c. per can.

1 doz. or less W. K. Lewis Snowdrop corn, regular price, 13c. to 15c. each; our price when sold with 1 lb. of Tea, 7c. per can.

1 doz or less nice Sweet Corn when sold with 1 lb. Tea, 5c. per can.

1 doz. or less W. K. Lewis Small Early Peas, regular price 12½ to 15c.; our price with 1 lb. of Tea, 8½c. per can.

1 doz. or less Extra Sweet Marrowfat Peas (W. K. L.) when sold with 1 lb. Tea, 7½c. per can.

1 doz. or less (W. K. L.) Yellow Peaches, very fine, regular price, 15c. to 18c. each; our price when sold with 1 lb. of Tea, 9½c. per can.

1 doz. or less (W. K. L.) Blueberries, regular price 12c. to 15c. each; our price when sold with 1 lb. of Tea, 7½c. per can.

The above are all standard, high grade goods. We also have Strawberries, Pine Apple and other goods; also lower grades of all kinds which we will sell **Below Cost with 1 lb. of Tea.**

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Two Weeks' Temperature.

	This Week.	Last Week
Sunday	25	37
Monday	11	45
Tuesday	35	10
Wednesday	—	22
Thursday	—	45
Friday	—	40
Saturday	—	38

ALTHOUGH THE winds has been quite severe for the past two days, and the thermometer sometimes near zero, it has not been near so cold in this vicinity as it has been reported in the South and West, where it has been 20 to 30 degrees below zero. In Quincy this noon in front of the Public Library the ice was thawing, and if it wasn't for the hard wind it would be called a delightful winter day.

IF MAYOR QUINCY of Boston secures the abolition of the Dorchester avenue crossing, the action will be appreciated by the railroad passengers who wish to avoid all delays. But the greatest nuisance is the Fort Point drawbridge. An order is pending in the Boston city government requesting the mayor to petition the Legislature for a relocation of the Old Colony tracks between Crescent avenue and South Boston.

THE ACTIVITIES in our various churches suggest practical work in the city at this season where people are not able to get work. Associated charity from committees from all the churches might relieve suffering, but better far, is public spirit shown in individual work, the electing of a committee of oneself to share his stores of goods or money in some way to touch even one case. Society is not rightly balanced when at the midnight of the year, all are not comfortably housed, clothed and fed. There is a great deal of charity extended, but the poverty is still with us. Rev. Mr. Breed said Sunday, in an appeal for charity, "he who gives quickly, gives twice.

The Banquet Today.

The newspaper men will have their annual "square meal" at the American House on Tuesday. The mayor will be there, there will be short speeches and and origininal poems: Mr. Henry Faxon, the rumsellers' scourge, will be there with his annual donation of dictionaries for prizes, wherever prizes are given (this year it will be for the best conundrum), and there will be vaudeville artists from some of the theatres. "Little Egypt" is not expected to be present. The boys always have a good time at their annual dinner, and expect this time to break the record.—Dorchester Beacon.

New Magazines.

The complete novel in the February issue of *Lippincott's* is "Under the Pacific," by Clarence Herbert New. It takes the reader to a part of the world he probably never heard of before, where two extremely enterprising Americans conduct a search for long-lost treasure under the most unusual circumstances. The two "Old Friends" of whom Edith Brower writes were far apart in age, and one of them was musical; in fact, music and friendship are the key-notes of the tale.

TODAY'S COURT.

Rodger Kiley was fined $5 for drunkenness at Weymouth.

Erick Larson was fined $5 for drunkenness at Quincy.

David Ford was fined $5 for assault on Jeremiah DeCost at Braintree.

Charles Conway was arraigned for being a vagrant at Quincy. There was no evidence that the fellow had been doing any begging and he was discharged.

Many Ways.

Mr. Faxon wants all packages of liquor marked as such with the name and address of the owner. There are many ways of forcing people to total abstinence who live in prohibitory towns.—Lowel Citizen.

Wollaston Post Office.

Letters uncalled for for week ending Jan. 23: Mr. George Shaw, Jr., Mr. Albert A. McCarty, Mr. J. P. Ridge, Mrs. Mabel Perry, Miss Lena S. Wallace.

—The town of Canton will celebrate its centennial June 17.

☞ See ad. of the old folks' concert in another column.

☞ Balance of OIL STOVES to be closed out at reduced prices. GUY'S COLISEUM, Quincy.

MYSTERIOUS ALARM.

The Fire Department Busy This Morning.

Boxes 73 and 62 Sounded Within a Few Minutes.

An Accident to Hook and Ladder Which Might Have Been Serious.

For an hour or more this morning the fire department and newspaper men were kept on the jump chasing fire alarms.

The first alarm was at 10 05. The bells all over the city sounded Box 73.

The Central station apparatus started for that box, and on its arrival it was found that the box had not been opened and that there was no fire in that vicinity.

While the apparatus was responding to Box 73 an alarm was sounded from Box 62, located on the corner of Hancock and Atlantic streets.

The Hook & Ladder came through South street onto Washington street and headed for Atlantic, but the balance of the Central station apparatus for some reason went back via Quincy avenue to the station.

Hose 3, of West Quincy, taking Box 62 for a second alarm responded and went to Atlantic. On its arrival no fire was found and the apparatus returned.

It was a hard run for the Hook & Ladder horses, as they had to contend against the wind from Quincy Point to Atlantic, about four miles. As this piece of apparatus was going down the hill at the corner of Hancock and Squantum streets the driver put on his brake which caught in the wheel tire, which the frost had opened, and tore it off. The horses were put up in a near by stable and word sent to Quincy. After an hour's delay a new wheel was supplied and the apparatus came home.

The firemen had not found any fire but the newspaper men did. After considerable running about it was found that Box 62 was rung in for a fire in the house of Michael Buckley at 558 Hancock street.

The cold weather Monday night froze the water pipes in the house. The family were attempting to thaw out and in doing so set the building on fire. The fire crept up between the plastering and made considerable smoke, and it looked like a large fire.

By the time the Atlantic Chemical arrived the fire had been extinguished with a loss of perhaps $15.

The thing that now puzzles the firemen is, where did the alarm from Box 73 come from?

The firemen are inclined to think that the trouble with the fire alarm was caused by the boy who pulled Box 62, pulling the hook more than once. The indicator at the Central Fire station registered 99 and the men took the number 73 from the First church bell.

Burns Anniversary.

The celebration of the birthday of Robert Burns by the Boston Caledonian club was a grand affair. Fully 2000 were at Music hall. The programme included a concert, readings, exhibition dancing, an address, and a grand ball. Of course Quincy was represented and all had a royal good time.

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☞ A glimpse at the costumes to be worn by the singers at the old folks' concert at the Point, Wednesday evening, is worth the price of admission.

BORN.

CUMMINGS—At Wollaston, January 23, a son to Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Cummings, Central avenue.

MARRIED.

DUFFY—MORRIS—In Boston, Jan. 19, by Sidney Lawrence, Esq., Mr. John R. Duffy to Miss Laura E. Morris both of Quincy.

DIED.

SULLIVAN—In Quincy, Jan. 24, Cornelius F., son of Mr. Patrick and Mrs. Mary Sullivan, aged 19 years, 4 months and 7 days.

They All Come Back

"There are fads in medicine as well as in other things," said a busy druggist, "but the most remarkable thing about Hood's Sarsaparilla is that customers who try other remedies all come back to Hood's, and this is why the enormous sales of this great medicine continue the **To** keep up and whole year round, steady as a clock.

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Hood's Sarsaparilla

Is the standard—the One True Blood Purifier.

Hood's Pills are the only pills to take with Hood's Sarsaparilla.

ARGUMENTS CLOSED.

Motion For New Trial of Bram Case Submitted.

Boston, Jan. 26.—After nearly five days of argument and discussion, the motion for a new trial in the case of Thomas M. Bram reached the judges who presided at the former trial shortly before 1 o'clock yesterday afternoon. The case had been argued at length, the witnesses and the jurymen had been described by one side and the other as saints and sinners, according as the predilections of the counsel on the one side or the other inclined him. The proceedings were wholly devoted to the argument of Bram's senior counsel, Mr. James E. Cotter. His Colleague, Mr. Asa P. French, as well as the district attorney on the part of the government, had previously addressed the court. Mr. Cotter did not affect any eloquence before the court. His argument was a matter-of-fact, straightforward presentation of the issues on which Bram's counsel relied for a second trial. He claimed the evidence presented was not sufficient to convict, and that the methods of jurymen before and during the trial were irregular and vitiated the verdict rendered.

Massachusetts Legislature.

Boston, Jan. 26.—No less than six anti-trust bills were introduced into the legislature yesterday, and with the one filed on Friday, makes it evident that the consideration of legislation against trusts will occupy a large share of attention at the state house this winter. The bills are all nearly of the same character, differing only in minor provisions, except in Senator Gallivan's bill, which exempts agricultural products and live stock while in the possession of the producers or raisers. The question of convict labor came up in the house on the appropriation of $15,000 for prison labor as well as through numerous petitions from shoe manufacturers. The appropriation bill was referred to the committee on manufactures. A bill for the establishment of a board of probate examiners was introduced in the senate. The bill provides that the board shall make a yearly examination of personal securities in all trust estates.

Massachusetts Republican Clubs.

Boston, Jan. 26.—The Massachusetts Republican club held its annual meeting and banquet here last night. The following officers were elected: President, William D. Sohier of Beverly; secretary, Elihu B. Hayes of Lynn; treasurer, A. Lithgow Devens of Hamilton; vice presidents (one from each congressional district, in order), Dana Malone of Greenfield, Albert D. Nason of Springfield, Josiah M. Lasell of Whitinsville, James Phillips, Jr., of Fitchburg, Edward D. Hayden of Woburn, George von L. Meyer of Hamilton, Stephen O'Meara of Boston, John Read of Cambridge, Orlando E. Lewis of Winthrop, Edward Everett Hale of Boston, George A. Draper of Hopedale, William H. Bent of Taunton, Leontine Lincoln of Fall River.

Hub Horse Show.

Boston, Jan. 26.—The directors of the coming horse show have announced their selection of judges for the various classes. The men named are not only widely known, but have substantial reputations for judgment at exhibitions. Among them are Horace Theobald, James T. Hyde, Charles Kerner, David Benner, Albert Hall, F. T. Underhill, Frederick Bronson, Frank S. Sturgis, Winthrop Rutherford, all of New York; Dr. Andrew T. Smith of Toronto, James F. Ormond, F. R. Sears and W. H. Goodwin of Boston, H. K. Bloodgood of New Marlboro, C. C. Quintin, Newton, N. J.; F. C. Choate, Readville; R. M. Appleton, Ipswich; L. D. Rumsey, Buffalo and Captain J. W. Martin, U. S. A., Genesse, N. Y.

Historical Inn Changes Hands.

Boston, Jan. 26.—Edw. R. Lennon of Malden has secured possession of the Wayside inn at Sudbury, which was made famous by Henry W. Longfellow. Early in 1893, the property passed into the possession of Homer Rogers and S. Herbert Howe, formerly mayor of the city of Marlboro. Large sums were expended upon the place by the new owners to eep it in thorough repair. Formerly the place was known as Howe's tavern, and it was owned by several generations of the family by that name. It was built about the beginning of the 18th century. The old tavern will be preserved and will contain many articles of historic value.

Tuberculosis In New Hampshire.

Concord, N. H, Jan. 26.—The report of the state cattle commissioners, covering a period of two years, which is just made public, is devoted mainly to the prevalence of tuberculosis. In the time covered by the report, 517 herds of cattle have been inspcted and 562 animals killed, of which 559 were found, on post mortem examination, to have been infected with tuberculosis. Eight cases of glanders in horses were detected, and the animals killed. The board's expenses have been $15,922.91. The board recommends a more thorough observance of the present regulations.

Reception to Bishop Nealey and Wife.

Portland, Me., Jan. 26.—Last evening a reception was tendered Bishop and Mrs. Nealey, which was attended by hundreds of citizens. The affair was one of the most brilliant and notable events in the history of the Episcopal church of Maine, and clergymen and prominent laymen were present from all over the state. Telegrams of congratulation poured in during the day from all quarters.

Where Famous Men Are Buried.

Hartford, Jan. 26.—The Ruth Wyllys chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution has presented a resolution to the common council, which contemplates the improvement and proper preservation of Hartford's ancient and historic burying ground, in the rear of the Center church, Main street, wherein are buried some of the most famous persons in Connecticut's early history. Favorable action is anticipated.

Opposing Convict Labor.

Lynn, Mass., Jan. 26.—The Lynn board of trade, at its meeting last night, passed a resolution condemning the proposed extension of the boot and shoe industry in the state institutions. The board will also send a petition to the senators and representatives of this district, asking them to oppose any measure which calls for an outlay to promote convict labor.

Population of Worcester.

Worcester, Mass., Jan. 26.—According to the names in the Worcester directory for 1897, the population is 109,000. There are 46,025 names, as against 44,464 in 1896.

Arrival of the Noted Palmist and

CLAIRVOYANT.

A Remarkable Woman's Strange Gift of Prophecy.

This city has within its borders a woman so gifted with prophecy that those who have visited her are loud in their praise of her singular and miraculous power. Not only does this wonderful woman give advice upon love and marriage, but enters into the subtle details of human mystery and prophesies the future as accurately as the past.—Journal.

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Quincy, Jan. 21.

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Wollaston Steam Laundry

January 16, 1897.

In calling your attention to the fact that Mr. Geo. H. Sampson of Amesbury, Mass., has leased the Wollaston Steam Laundry, and will conduct the same on his own account on and after the 18th inst., I would thank you for past patronage, and bespeak a continuance of the same for Mr Sampson, who is a thorough laundryman, with a reputation for turning out high grade work.

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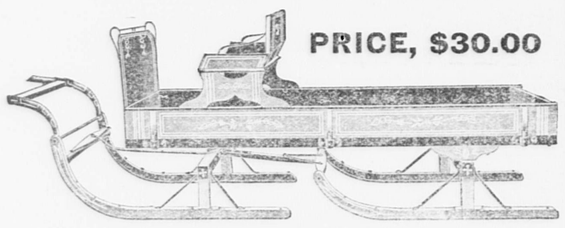
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Quincy, Jan. 1.

COLD SNAPS.

Valuable Nuggets of News Contracted by the Weather.

To be Thawed Out This Evening at the Fireside.

Mercury the Messenger from all Parts of the City.

Cold enough.

A story today on the fourth page.

Col. Parker at the High school tonight.

Even the ice men and plumbers are satisfied with this weather.

Twenty-five degrees warmer this noon than a week ago today.

It was fortunate that there was no fire this morning; such cold and windy weather.

Plans are already being made to attend the National Christian Endeavor convention in California next July.

The temperature at 7 o'clock this morning was 15 above zero or 8 degrees warmer than Monday at the same hour.

The employes of the Tubular Rivet and Stud Company will hold a sunlight party at Faxon hall on Washington's Birthday.

The third degree staff of Mt. Wollaston lodge, I. O. O. F., will work the third degree on three candidates this evening.

Rev. C. A. Parker is an almost daily attendant of the Moody meetings, in Boston, and other Quincy pastors are frequently in attendance.

The last ladies' night at the old quarters of the Granite City club will be tomorrow evening; and all the ladies who wish to go once more to these pleasant quarters are invited.

Mr. Clayton and Miss Goldthwait will conduct the evangelistic meeting tonight in the First Presbyterian church. Service begins at 7.30 o'clock. Everybody cordially invited.

The A grammar class of the Willard school give a concert and dance at Forester's hall, Friday evening. The proceeds are to be used in buying votes for Mr. Candlin.

Three new cases of diphtheria were reported to the Board of Health, Monday. One at Atlantic, one at West Quincy and one on Granite street. The cases are all of a light form.

Mrs. J. C. Randall, Adams street, gave a tea party to about twenty-five young gentlemen and young ladies Monday afternoon, to celebrate the birthday anniversary of her daughter, Elinor P. Randall.

Mrs. Franklin Hardwick, who resides on Spear street, has been for several days quite sick with inflammation of the lungs. Dr. Hallowell is attending her, and hopes are entertained that she is getting better.

A bequest of $200 was made to the Baptist church society of Quincy by the late Lucinda A. Fullerton of Whitman, on condition that there is money enough after other bequests. The will was probated at Brockton on Monday.

Ye Orthodox parish at Quincy Point has arranged a grand "three parte" olde folkes' concert for tomorrow evening. Ichabod Battling Pollard will be the greate musical director and there will be a chorus of thirty voices in old sacred tunes. Mehitable Makepeace Raycroft will read a bit.

Constipation

Causes fully half the sickness in the world. It retains the digested food too long in the bowels and produces biliousness, torpid liver, indigestion, bad taste, coated tongue, sick headache, insomnia, etc. Hood's Pills cure constipation and all its results, easily and thoroughly. 25c. All druggists. Prepared by C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass. The only Pills to take with Hood's Sarsaparilla

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ANOTHER FRAUD.

This Fellow Claimed One Leg to be Shorter than the Other.

Officer Ferguson arrested another professional beggar Monday afternoon. This fellow like the one arrested Saturday was about 19 years of age and gave his name as Charles Conway and claimed his home to be Binghamton, N. Y.

This fellow was selling court plaster upon which was printed an appeal to the public. It set forth that the bearer was unable to do any work and was an object of charity. He carried a cane and his particular affliction was that one of his legs was shorter than the other. As a result he limped badly, and would readily deceive a casual observer.

After his arrest Dr. Welch was called. He made an examination of the fellow. He was made to take off his clothing and the doctor then measured the length of his legs to see how much longer one was than the other. Both legs were found to be of the same length the apparent difference being caused by building up one of the soles of his shoes. He told Dr. Welch that he had broken his leg when three or four years of age which caused the leg to shorten from an inch to one and one-half inches.

Dr. Welch could find no evidence of a fracture, which would have been apparent, had a fracture of the kind the fellow mentioned, taken place. He also found the scars of two sores that had apparently been healed recently.

After his arrest he wrote a letter to his friends in Boston and gave it to Inspector McKay, who opened it. The letter informed his friends that he had been arrested in the same town that Jimmie was pinched on Saturday.

The letter was addressed to a party at 20 Ash street, Boston. Inspector McKay delivered the letter in person and having notified the police at station 4, an officer from that station accompanied him to the rooms.

The boy arrested Saturday and the one arrested Monday doubtless belong to the same gang and as two of their number have been arrested here they will doubtless give this place a wide berth hereafter.

Four young men were found in the rooms occupied by the gang who were placed temporarily under arrest while the place was being searched. Nothing however of a criminal nature was found and the men were released.

This morning a man, who was evidently the boss of the gang, came to Quincy and secured counsel for Conway.

In court there no evidence that the young man had done any begging and he was discharged.

Nevada Bids For Fights.

Carson, Nev., Jan. 26.—A bill has been introduced in the assembly to permit glove contests by payment of a license of $250. The bill was read a second time and referred to the committee on public morals. There is a strong sentiment in favor of passing the bill. Several prominent citizens are interested in the matter, and if it becomes a law, will endeavor to induce Dan Stuart to bring off the Corbett-Fitzsimmons match here in March.

Weyler to Fight Duel.

New York, Jan. 26.—A Key West special to The World this morning says: A duel between General Weyler and Admiral Navarro is expected in Havana. According to rumor, there has been friction between them on account of the navy's poor work. When they met last a personal collision is said to have been averted only by the interference of officers present.

Maher Will Challenge Winner.

Pittsburg, Jan. 26.—John Quinn, Peter Maher's backer, announces that Maher, with his representative, will be at the ringside on the occasion of the Corbett-Fitzsimmons fight, to challenge the winner of the championship of the world. Should Sharkey claim the championship, Maher will fight him first, and later on challenge the winner of the big fight.

National Women's Suffrage Convention.

Des Moines, Jan. 26.—The 29th annual convention of the National Woman's Suffrage society opened yesterday with a preliminary business meeting and consultation of officers. The real work of the convention will begin today, when President Susan B. Anthony will deliver her annual address, and the program of addresses will be commenced.

Ex-Mayor of Hartford Dead.

Hartford, Jan. 26.—Charles R. Chapman, ex-mayor and ex-postmaster of this city, died at his home last evening, aged 60 years. He had been sick for several months with a complication of internal troubles.

MuscleOil

is the greatest remedy of the age for Rheumatism, Lame backs, Painful swellings, stiff joints and kindred ailments.

Used by the great Athletes of the country.

At all Druggists 25¢ and 50¢ a bottle.

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CALLED ON CLEVELAND.

Hawaii's Ex-Queen Visits White House---No Talk of Restoration.

Washington, Jan. 26.—President Cleveland received a visit yesterday from ex-Queen Liliuokalani at the White House. The reception was arranged for early in the day. Mr. Palmer, accompanied by Joseph Heleluhe, the secretary and agent of her majesty, Liliuokalani, as his card states, called to see Private Secretary Thurber, and presented a note from the ex-queen, directed to the president, requesting the privilege of making an unofficial and informal visit. The president assented, and named 3 o'clock as the most convenient hour. Accordingly, at the hour named, a carriage drove up to the White House, and from it alighted the ex-queen, Mr. Palmer, Joseph Heleluhe and Miss Kia Naholena, the latter being lady compaion to Her Majesty Liliuokalani. The ex-queen was assisted from her carriage to the doorway by Mr. Palmer, but at this point her attendants dropped in the rear, and she led the way alone across the lobby and through the doors, which were thrown open by ushers, to the blue room, where the president soon joined her. The president greeted the ex-queen in the most kindly fashion, expressng pleasure at her call, and stating that he should have felt disappointed had she refrained from making him a visit while she was in Washington. He caused her to be seated, and, while the others stood in the background, he and Liliuokalani chatted with evident interest on both sides for 20 minutes. The ex-queen asked for Mrs. Cleveland, and the president responded that she would be glad to see his visitor, but a messenger sent to Mrs. Cleveland to summon her to the blue room returned with the news that Mrs. Cleveland had gone out walking.

In all of the talk there was no reference to politics, save a brief expression of thanks by Liliuokalani, in behalf of the Hawaiian race, for his action in withdrawing the annexation treaty, which was pending before the senate when the president assumed his office four years ago. Not one word was said about "restoration," either past, present or future. The ex-queen referred in feeling terms to the death of Mr. Willis, and the president responded by a eulogy upon the late minister. With a little further talk of this kind, the interview terminated, and Liliuokalani returned to her hotel with her attendants and Mr. Palmer, greatly pleased at her reception.

Fatal Accident to Engaged Couple.

Shamokin, Pa., Jan. 26.—While Frederick Graeber and Miss Maud Gothie were driving along the road near this place, the earth caved in and they were precipitated into an abandoned mine. The young lady jumped from the carriage, but was unable to reach solid ground. She fell into the opening and was buried beneath the earth. Mr. Graeber remained in the carriage and sustained a compound fracture of one leg. Both horses were crushed to death. The accident occurred about 6 o'clock Sunday night, and the searching parties were unable to locate the couple until 4 o'clock yesterday morning. Miss Gothie's body was horribly bruised and death must have been instantaneous. Both of Mr. Graeber's feet were frozen, and he was almost dead from exposure. It is feared that he cannot recover. The cave-in is 30 feet deep. The couple were engaged to be married.

Transportation on Bikes.

Montreal, Jan. 26.—The Grand Trunk R. R. has put in force a new regulation regarding bicycle fares. In future, wheelmen will be charged a tariff for the transportation of their wheels, varying according to distance, in proportion to the rate paid for the passenger's ticket. Where the cost of the ticket exceeds $30, the fee for carrying the wheel will be 6 per cent of the ticket rate. For less distances, the rate will be larger, no fee being less than 25 cents. Bicycles will be carried on passenger trains only when passengers accompany them. The Canadian Pacific railway has adopted the same schedule of bicycle rates as the Grand Trunk railway.

Injunction Against Goode.

New York, Jan. 26.—Justice Beekman, in the supreme court, has granted an injunction to David H. McAlpin, restraining the John Goode Cordage and Machine company "from issuing, conveying, transferring or selling any of the bonds referred to in the mortgage made by the defendant to the Kings County Trust company and recorded on Jan. 9 last, given to secure the bonds thereafter to be issued." Justice Beekman also granted an attachment to Peale, Peacock & Kerr, a Pennsylvania corporation, against the John Goode Cordage company for $807.94, for goods sold and delivered.

Boston's City Clerk.

Boston, Jan. 26.—The board of aldermen, which is Republican, 7 to 5, after three weeks' hesitancy, yesterday concurred with the common council, which is strongly Democratic, in the election of J. W. Mitchell Galvin, a Democrat, as city clerk. The contest for this office has been a particularly bitter one, ever since the formation of the present board, and there was every appearance of a long deadlock between the two branches. Two Republicans joined the Democrats, and elected Galvin.

Barnard Celebration at Hartford.

Hartford, Jan. 26.—The 86th birthday of Hon. Henry Barnard was celebrated here yesterday. Literary exercises were held in the afternoon and a banquet in theevening. The participants were men of all creeds and sects, who gathered to do honor to the famous educator.

Desires Deputy Pension Commissionership.

Albany, Jan. 26.—The name of Harvey G. Ellis of Vermont will soon be presented to President McKinley as a candidate for deputy commissioner of pensions. Mr. Ellis for several years has been a special examiner for the pension bureau in northern New York.

Short Session at Augusta.

Augusta, Me., Jan. 26.—There was a short session of the state legislature yesterday afternoon. No business of great importance was introduced. Mr. Briggs of Auburn introduced three bills in the interests of pure seeds and concentrated feed for cattle.

☞ No reserved seats at the old folks' concert, Quincy Point, Wednesday evening, but all seats good.

Oak Sideboards WITH PLATE GLASS, $7.50.

GUY'S COLISEUM, - QUINCY.

The Training School.

The cold weather reduced the attendance at the Training School of Bethany church Monday evening, but the faithful numbered nearly one hundred, and they were well repaid.

Mr. O. C. Colton, the secretary of the Y, M. C. A., conducted the lesson, which was on the early life of Christ's ministry. By means of a chart all were able to trace His movements and locate the important events, as mentioned in the Bible.

Rev. Eugene Webster of Neponset followed with the lecture of the evening on the "Benefits of Bible Study," his text being found in Acts 17:11. No work he said was more misunderstood, but it was not surprising for it is made up in books which are not edited and chronologically arranged while the division into short verses often obscured the meaning. The result might be compared to the mixing up of the works of Shakespeare, Bacon and other authors in one volume without their heads and putting the verses into short paragraphs. The Bible should have a foremost place. It was the most human of books, He urged individual study.

R. A. Installation.

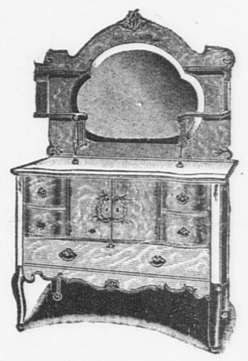
On Monday evening, January 25, in Knights of Honor hall, Wollaston, District Deputy Grand Regent Cotton and suite installed the following officers of John Adams Council for the ensuing year:

Regent,—R. F. Ross.
Vice Regent,—James C. Bates.
Secretary,—A. C. Burrell.
Collector,—C. R. Sherman.
Treasurer,—F. W. White.
Chaplain,—F. D. White.
Guide,—A. J. Colgan.
Warden,—W. H. Bowker.
Seatry,—James Thomas.
Past Regent,—J. N. Emerson.
Trustee,—L. W. Nash.

There was a good attendance of members and a collation followed the installation. Interesting remarks were made by the grand officers and the newly elected council officers, interspersed by vocal music and a thoroughly enjoyable evening was passed.

☞ Do not fail to hear the old folks' concert at the Point church Wednesday evening.

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Solid Oak Sideboards, - $12.00 to $75.00
Good Solid Oak Dining Tables, - - - 5.50 to 25.00
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"About a year ago I was taken with kidney trouble in one of the worst forms I was passing from four to six quarts of water every 24 hours, and my trouble finally ran into diabetes. I had had kidney trouble before, and had somewhat recovered when the second attack came last fall. I employed a doctor all last winter, with no favorable results. I worked all the time, but was in constant misery, and if I had kept on I would not now have been alive. The disease reduced my weight from 180 to 145 pounds, and during all the time I got no relief until I began to use Puritana. I commenced the Puritana treatment last April, and used three or four bottles. The first results were felt in my stomach, which improved rapidly, so that I could eat and digest my food comfortably. The next result was that my bladder was restored to its normal condition. I have been well all summer, although I left off using Puritana in June. I think Puritana is the best remedy that I have ever known, and unhesitatingly recommend it to others, for whose good I publish this letter.

(Signed) "George H. Denny."

This is only one example of what Puritana can do and is doing every day for suffering men and women. Puritana is the prize formula of Prof. Dixi Crosby of Dartmouth College, and by its action on the stomach it cures troubles of the blood, nerves, heart, liver, kidneys and other vital organs.

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Wharves and large building at Brackett's Wharf.

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Leave NEPONSET—6.22 A. M., 6.37, 6.52, 7.07, 7.22, and every 7, 22, 37 and 52 minutes past the hour until 7.00 o'clock, then every half hour until 11 P. M.; last car for Quincy at 11.15 P. M. Cars leaving Neponset 22 minutes past the hour via. Norfolk Downs.

Quincy and East Weymouth.

Leave CITY HALL (10 minutes later from Quincy Point and 22 minutes later from North Weymouth)—5.45, 6.20, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, 11.20, 11.50 A. M.; 12.20, 12.50, 1.20, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20 4.50 5.20 (5.30 to East Weymouth car house), 5.50, 6.20, 6.50, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.50 P. M.

Leave EAST WEYMOUTH (20 minutes later from North Weymouth and 30 minutes later from Quincy Point)—6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11, 11.30 A. M.; 12, 12.30, 1, 1.30, 2, 2.30, 3, 3.30, 4, 4.30, 5, 5.30, 6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11.30 P. M.

Quincy and East Milton.

Leave CITY HALL, 5.55, 6.25, then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until .55 P. M., then at 9.50 and 10.50 P. M.

Leave EAST MILTON, 6.30, 7.00 A. M., then on the hour and half hour until 9.30 P.M., then at 10.20 and 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and Holbrook.

Leave QUINCY for SOUTH BRAINTREE and HOLBROOK at 6.10 and 6.40 A. M., and every 10 minutes past and 20 minutes of the hour until 10.10 P. M. Last car leaves at 10.50 P. M. On Saturdays the last car leaves Quincy at 11.50 P. M.

Returning cars leave HOLBROOK for SOUTH BRAINTREE and QUINCY at 5.55 and 6.25 A. M., and every 25 minutes past and 5 minutes of the hour until 9.55 P.M. Last car leaves Holbrook at 11.30 P. M.

☞ On Sundays on the Weymouth route cars will leave Quincy on the hour and half hour and East Weymouth at quarter past and quarter of the hour.

☞ Special trips can be arranged on application to the Superintendent.

☞ At Quincy Centre close connection is made with Electric Cars on all the routes.

☞ At Neponset close connection is made with West End Street Cars to and from Boston.

☞ Cars are due at Beale street, Wollaston, ten minutes after leaving Neponset and seven minutes after leaving Quincy.

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TO BOSTON. Leave Quincy.	Stops at	Arrive Boston.	FROM BOSTON. Leave Boston.	Stops at	Arrive Quincy
r 6 12 abc	*	6 30	5 53 ihgfedcba	*	6 20 r
r 6 42 abc		7 00	6 30 cba		6 49 r
r 7 12 abc		7 30	7 30 cba		7 49 r
7 29 a		7 48	8 30 cba		8 49 r
r 7 42 abc		8 00	9 30 cba		9 49 r
r 8 12 abc		8 30	10 30 cba		10 49 r
8 29 a		8 45	11 30 cba		11 49 r
r 8 42 abc		9 00	12 00 (xx)		12 15
r 9 12 abc		9 30	12 30 cba		12 49 r
r 10 12 abc		10 30	1 30 cba		1 49 r
r 11 12 abc		11 30	2 30 cba		2 49 r
r 12 12 abc		12 30	3 30 cba		3 49 r
r 1 12 abc		1 30	4 30 cba		4 49 r
1 46 (xx)		2 00	5 00 cba		5 19 r
r 2 12 abc		2 30	5 15 a		5 32
r 3 12 abc		3 30	5 30 cba		5 49 r
r 4 12 abc		4 30	6 00 cba		6 19 r
r 5 12 abc		5 30	6 15 a		6 32
r 6 12 abc		6 30	6 30 cba		6 49 r
r 7 12 abc		7 30	7 00 cba		7 19 r
r 7 41 abcdefghi		8 07	7 30 cba		7 49 r
r 8 08 abcdef		8 30	8 30 fedcba		8 53 r
r 9 12 abc		9 30	9 30 cba		9 49 r
r 10 08 abcdef		10 30	10 30 fedcba		10 53 r
r 10 34 abcdefghi		11 08	11 00 ihgfedcba		11 27 r
r 11 12 abc		11 30	11 30 cba		11 49 r

SUNDAYS.

6 38 abcdef		7 00	4 05 fda		4 23
8 46 (xx)		9 00	7 30 fedcba		7 53 r
r 9 12 abc		9 30	8 30 (xx)		8 45
r 12 16 (xx)		12 30	9 30 ihgfedcba		9 57 r
1 07 abc		1 25	10 30 ihgfedcba		10 57 r
2 16 (xx)		2 30	11 30 (xx)		11 45
r 3 04 abcdefghi		3 30	12 35 cba		12 54
r 4 04 abcdefghi		4 30	1 30 (xx)		1 45
5 16 (xx)		5 30	4 30 cba		4 49 r
r 6 08 abcdef		6 30	5 00 (xx)		5 15
r 9 08 abcdef		9 30	7 00 fedcba		7 23 r
9 38 adf		9 55	10 30 fedcba		10 53 r

*The letters in the same line as the figures stand for different stations and indicate that trains stop, as follows:

a, Wollaston. b, Norfolk Downs c, Atlantic. d, Neponset. e, Pope's Hill. f, Harrison Square. g, Savin Hill. h, Crescent Avenue. i, South Boston. r, Quincy Adams. (xx), Express.

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MOON'S PHASES.

New Moon 3 1:03 a.m. First Quarter 10 4:46 p.m. Full Moon 18 3:17 p.m. Third Quarter 25 3:08 p.m.

THE WEATHER INDICATIONS.

ALMANAC, TUESDAY, JAN. 26.

Sun rises—7:03; sets, 4:51.
Length of day—9h. 48m.
Moon rises—1:14 a. m.
Full sea—5 a. m., 5:30 p. m.

Forecast for New England: Generally fair; probably local snows in extreme northern portion; continued cold and brisk to high westerly winds.

Greater and Nobler.

I hold him great who for love's sake
Can give with generous, earnest will.
Yet he who takes for love's sweet sake
I think I hold more generous still.

I bow before the noble mind
That freely some great wrong forgives,
Yet nobler is the one forgiven
Who bears that burden well and lives.

It may be hard to gain and still
To keep a lowly, steadfast heart.
Yet he who loses has to fill
A harder and a truer part.

Glorious it is to wear the crown
Of a deserved and pure success.
He who knows how to fail has won
A crown whose luster is not less.

Great may be he who can command
And rule with just and tender sway,
Yet is diviner wisdom taught
Better by him who can obey.

Blessed are they who die for God
And earn the martyr's crown of light,
Yet he who lives for God may be
A greater conqueror in his sight.
—Adelaide Procter.

A New Definition.

"What is a 'ne'er do well?'"

"Why, a fellow that can't learn to ride a bicycle."—New York Sunday Journal.

Minister Willis Buried.

Louisville, Jan. 26.—The funeral of Hon. Albert S. Willis, late minister to Hawaii, was held at 10:30 this morning from the home of L. W. Dulaney, father of Mrs. Willis. President Cleveland was represented by Colonel James Tucker of Virginia. The alumni of the Louisville male high school, of which deceased was a member, attended in a body. The remains were interred in Cave Hill cemetery.

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DEEDS NOT WORDS.

If words could satisfy the heart
The heart might find less care,
But words, like summer birds, depart
And leave but empty air.
The heart, a pilgrim upon earth,
Finds often, when it needs,
That words are as little worth
As just so many weeds.

A little said—and truly said—
Can deeper joy impart
Than hosts of words, which reach the head,
But never touch the heart.
The voice that wins its sunny way,
A lonely home to cheer,
Hath oft the fewest words to say;
But, oh, those few—how dear!

If words could satisfy the breast,
The world might hold a feast,
But words, when summoned to the test,
Oft satisfy the least.
Like plants that make a gaudy show,
All blossom to the root,
But whose poor nature cannot grow
One particle of fruit.
—Charles Swain in Housewife.

THE HARDY HOUSE.

"Here we are at last, girls," I cried cheerily, gathering up bags and umbrellas as the negro porter drawled out in his lazy voice:

"An-nis-ton!"

"Oh, I am so tired!" Bess said in such a faint voice and with such a white, tired face that I hurried her into the fly waiting at the dingy little station.

"To the old Hardy house," I ordered briefly to the driver as he closed the door, and even in the gathering dusk Loo and I noticed his start of surprise.

"Depend upon it, the house is haunted!" cried imaginative Loo. The man looked as if he had seen a ghost.

I gave her a warning glance, but Bess had not heeded; indeed she seemed to have fallen into a doze, which lasted until she was lifted out and carried into the cottage in the strong arms of Anne Duty.

Dismissing the man, Loo and I lingered outside awhile trying to make out something of our novel surroundings, but beyond the low, rambling old house we could see nothing, not even a village light, so closely were we shut in by great trees.

Loo shivered slightly.

"How dark and weird it looks!" she whispered, running into the brightly lighted front room, where Anne Duty, having deposited Bess on the broad, low lounge, was already occupied in making tea.

"I wish Dr. Cross had telegraphed old Dr. Deering to meet us at the station. It would have been a little less lonesome," grumbled Loo, later on, when Bess had been left comfortably asleep in the wide, low ceiled room on the ground floor, the only one that had been got ready, Anne explained.

"I think Dr. Deering has been put to enough trouble for us, renting the house and all that," I was beginning to remonstrate, when Anne Duty coming in interrupted me.

"Miss Katherine," she began in what Loo calls her graveyard voice, "Miss Katherine, I don't want that what I am going to say should frighten you, but I can't noways reconcile it to my conscience not to tell you. A ghost walks this old rattletrap of a house."

I could not help laughing—her tone was so sepulchral—but she went on without noticing my levity, while Loo listened with wide eyes.

"The man that brought me out with the boxes this morning said he had seen it, and you couldn't hire him to come near the place after dark; that lots of folks out late of dark stormy nights had seen blue lights burning in the room up stairs, and he said he wasn't the only one that had seen a white figure flitting through the dark hall, though nobody has lived in the house since, two years ago, a wicked, swearing young fellow died here, crying out at the last that he had sold his soul to the devil for drink, and it was burning him up.

"And Miss Katherine, honey, would you believe it, every blessed bit of furniture that had been sent on ahead was piled up out there on the porch, just as they dumped it down, not a stick put in out of the weather? And a blessed thing it hasn't rained."

Anne paused at last for breath.

Loo looked fearfully around the cheerful but rather dilapidated little room, and, moving her chair nearer mine, she said in a low tone, as if afraid of the ghost overhearing her:

"I can't imagine what induced old Dr. Deering to send us to this horrid old haunted house anyway. He might have known"—

"Loo," I interrupted sternly, for her voice was beginning to tremble, and I have all a man's horror of hysterics, "you know well enough Dr. Deering has been kindness itself. What claim have we upon him, I should like to know, except that we are friends and patients of old Dr. Cross? And you, as well as I, saw the letter in which he described this old house and said its location made it the very place for Bess to recover her shattered nerves, quiet and so near the sulphur water Dr. Cross has sent her here to drink.

"And now, Anne," turning to our faithful old servant and friend, "you have too much sense, I know, to utter a word of this nonsense where Bess can hear it, and I advise you to get it out of your own stupid old head as quickly as possible. As for me," yawning, "I am too tired and sleepy to sit up any longer, ghosts or no ghosts." And in a short time the old house was wrapped in darkness and silence.

I had been asleep I don't know how long when suddenly I felt a rush of cold air and heard a sound like a low, sobbing sigh.

"Oh, Kit!" wailed Loo under her breath and clutching my arm convulsively, "did you feel it? Did you hear it? What was it?"

"I felt the wind blowing in through a broken window," I answered courageously, for, though I was only 20 and a girl, I had not been the head of the family so many years for nothing.

Anne Duty came rushing in with a sheet wrapped about her and a lighted candle in her hand, just as Bess awoke, asking in her weak voice what we were all doing up in the middle of the night. While I slipped on my dressing gown and lighted a candle on the stand near the bed, I told her as calmly as I could, for my heart was beating violently, that I thought a door or window up stairs had blown open, and Anne and I were going up to see while Loo remained with her.

Then I went out, Anne following bravely, though I could hear her teeth chattering, and the candle shook so I had to take it from her. As we shut the door behind us I heard the scrape of a match, and a bright light flashed out from a room at the head of the stairs.

"Ghosts don't usually carry matches about them," I said to poor trembling Anne in a would be sarcastic tone which my own terror kept from being a success. "Better a dozen ghosts," I thought, "than one live burglar."

Slowly we mounted the creaking stairs till just as I reached the top a tall man, clad in a light gray suit, stepped out from the room, confronting me. A smothered shriek from Anne was for a moment the only sound that broke the stillness.

The light from my candle shone full upon the intruder's face, and I saw that he was young, good looking and unmistakably a gentleman. Anne, too, must have seen as much, for I heard her scuttling down the stairs behind me much faster than she came up, evidently mindful of her costume.

Curiously enough, I did not think of my own appearance, but stood stock still, staring at the man, who stared back at me for fully two minutes, then lifted his hat and said courteously:

"I beg your pardon, but have I the honor of addressing Miss Blake?"

I bowed dumbly, wondering what on earth he would say next.

"Then," he went on pleasantly, "I owe you an apology for my unceremonious intrusion, but I have been absent from the village for several days. I reached home only a few hours ago and had not heard of your arrival. You must have changed your plans suddenly, for I was not expecting you until next week," this with an inquiring glance.

He expecting us! Was the man crazy?

"Yes," I stammered, "the physician, Dr. Cross, thought it would be best to get Bess, my sister—she has been sick—away from the city as soon as possible, so we came on today.

"And the people told us," I went on incoherently, "that the house was haunted, and we thought you were a ghost, and"—

He laughed at this and drew himself up a little. "A very substantial ghost," he said lightly, adding more earnestly:

"I really am so sorry for causing you annoyance. You see, I have been using this old house as a kind of a laboratory, making all sorts of chemical experiments here during the uncanny night hours, so it is no wonder the place has acquired an evil reputation. I ran over tonight to put things together a bit, to prepare for their removal before you came, but you took me unawares, and"—

"But who are you?" I interrupted, unable to restrain my curiosity any longer.

"Why, haven't I told you? I am Dr. Deering, at your service."

"Dr. Deering? Why, we thought—Dr. Cross said—surely Dr. Cross spoke of you as an old friend," and in my confusion the candle slipped and went out, but not before I had caught the twinkle in his handsome eyes.

"I am his old friend, inasmuch as he has known me all my life," he said, stooping to recover the candle, adding gently, "Dr. Cross has confided you and your sisters to my care, and I hope you are not the less inclined to trust me because I happen to be not so old in years or wisdom as the good old doctor himself."

I do not know what reply I made; something foolish it must have been, for I suddenly became blushingly conscious that I was attired in an old blue dressing gown, and this man, this stranger, was regarding me with rather quizzical eyes.

With a muttered "Good night!" I fled precipitately, leaving him to find his own way out, while I recounted to the girls as much of my ghostly adventure as I thought it needful for them to know.

This was the beginning of our stay in the old Hardy house. When I left, it was not to return to the city, for Dr. Deering had persuaded me to remain in Anniston.—Margaret Foley Blashford in New York Journal.

The Pope's Dominant Trait.

My friend Paul Bourget defines the American as "a man who invariably uses the newest method." This is also the dominant trait in the character of Leo XIII. Within the measure permitted him by a heavy chain of traditions, he does not hesitate to grasp the most modern weapons in defense of his ancient faith, and this deliberate boldness explains his penchant for the American character. Yet in those very innovations which most alarm his timid advisers he is conscious of being far less an innovator than a restorer of forgotten traditions. He relies upon the examples set by the great popes of the middle ages, who, in their day, came down to the market place, stirred the crowds and led the people on to new horizons.—Vicomte E. Melchior de Vogüe in Forum.

A Family of Sixty-two Children.

The Italians are discussing the advisability of pensioning Mrs. Maddalena Grannatta, a lady of 57, who lives near Nocera, 12 miles from Naples. Her husband has been dead ten years, but during the 19 years they lived together as man and wife they had 62 children born to them, 59 of the lot being males. Eleven different times in nine years triplets were born, and on three different occasions four boys were announced, and once there were four boys and a girl.

AS SEEN BY BRYAN.

Ex-Candidate's Book "The First Battle" Completed.

Tells Story of the Late Campaign.

Wife's Interesting Biographical Sketch of Husband.

Chicago, Jan. 26.—The last pages of "The First Battle," Hon. W. J. Bryan's book, have gone to press. The book embodies a story of the campaign of 1896, its important events and issues, and includes the most noteworthy incidents of Mr. Bryan's famous tour. It also contains the principal address and documents relating to the silver movement and some of Mr. Bryan's speeches. Considerable space is given to his connection with the silver agitation while in congress, and prior to the Chicago convention, and to a discussion of the election returns and an analysis of the political situation.

One of the interesting features of the book is the biographical sketch written by Mrs. Bryan, who thus describes their first meeting:



HON. W. J. BRYAN.

"My personal knowledge of Mr. Bryan dates from September, 1879. He was then entering upon his junior year. I saw him first in the parlors of the young ladies' school which I attended in Jacksonville. He entered the room with several other students; was taller than the rest, and attracted my attention at once. His face was pale and thin, a pair of keen dark eyes looked out from beneath heavy brows; his nose was prominent—too large to look well, I thought; a broad, thin-lipped mouth and a square chin completed the contour of his face. He was neatly and fastidiously dressed, and stood firmly and with dignity. I noted particularly his hair and his smile. The former, black in color, fine in quality and parted distressingly straight; the latter expansive and expressive. In later years this smile has been the subject of considerable comment; but the well rounded cheeks of Mr. Bryan now check its onward march, and no one has seen the real breadth of the smile who did not see it in the early days. Upon one occasion, a heartless observer was heard to remark: 'That man whispers in his own ear,' but that was a cruel exaggeration."



MRS. WILLIAM J. BRYAN.

As to the criticism that Mr. Bryan had not distinguished himself as a lawyer, she says:

"Those who thus complain should consider that he entered the practice at 23 and left it at 30, and during that period began twice and twice became more than self-supporting. At the time of his election to congress his practice was in a thriving condition, and fully equal to that of any man in the city."

She concludes the sketch thus:

"To give an estimate of his character or of mental endowments which he may possess would be beyond the scope of this article. I may be justified, however, in saying that his life has been one of earnest purpose, with that sort of genius which has been called 'a capacity for hard work.'"

"The First Battle" is dedicated to Hon. Richard P. Bland of Missouri, General James B. Weaver of Iowa and Hon. Henry M. Teller of Colorado, whom the author considers the "foremost champions of bimetallism in their respective parties."

Ministers Want Redmond Arrested.

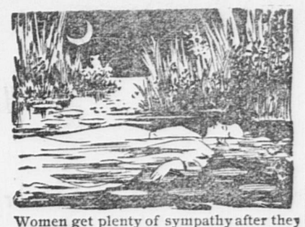
Baltimore, Jan. 26.—John E. Redmond, the Irish member of parliament, lectured at Ford's opera house here Sunday night, under the auspices of the United Irish societies. The ministerial union of Baltimore, which includes in its membership all the Protestant denominations of the city, at a meeting yesterday unanimously adopted a resolution calling upon the police to arrest and punish Redmond and all who were concerned in the lecture, which, it is claimed, was held in violation of the laws of Maryland, which prohibit the holding of entertainments of a non-religious character on Sunday.

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Uterine troubles are considered well-nigh incurable. Women seem to think that they must go on bearing these things forever. To be sure, some of them make an effort to get well by going to their physicians, but thousands are deterred from this, both because they have seen that it was not likely to do much good, and because they knew that the first thing the physician would insist upon would be the examinations and local treatment so justly abhorrent to every modest woman. These things are generally as unnecessary as they are distasteful. Every woman can be made strong and healthy by the use of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. It is a most marvelous medicine for all forms of female weakness and disease. It is a wonderful purifier and cleanser. It acts directly on one set of organs, and on no other, but in doing this, it frequently cures troubles that were seemingly of an entirely different character and origin. A disorder of the distinctly feminine organs is likely to cause all sorts of symptoms, and careless doctors frequently doctor women for neuralgia, or dyspepsia, or insomnia, when the real trouble is in the organs distinctly feminine. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription will make any woman well. Sometimes when disease has run on so long that the entire system is debilitated, it is necessary to use in connection with the "Prescription," Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, a general tonic, blood-purifier, and blood-maker, without an equal in the world. There is no case so severe that these two great medicines will not cure it. Thousands of women have frequently testified to this fact.

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Yours respectfully,
A. M. RAMSEY.

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County of Comanche, }

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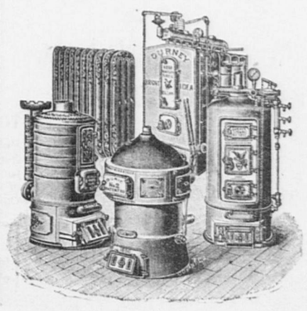
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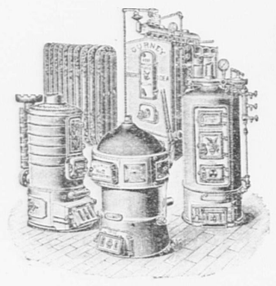
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TRIAL OF KENNEDY.

Rough on Rats Used In Attempt to Destroy Learoyd Family.

Arsenical Poison Put In Mustache Cup.

Chemist Wood Found Enough to Kill Twenty-Nine Men.

Salem, Mass., Jan. 27.—Poison enough to kill 29 men! That was what Professor Wood found in the powder taken from the inside of the cross-piece of Albert F. Learoyd's moustache cup on that Friday when four innocent people came so near passing to the undiscovered country beyond.

The commonwealth yesterday laid the foundation of that structure which is to raise about William Kenendy, the prisoner. It was the first day of the trial, and, though the progress was slow, District Attorney White outlined a great case.

Albert F. Learoyd, the victim, was the first and principal witness of the day. His cross-examination was caustic and searching, indicating in some degree the purpose of the defense to open, if it can, the relations of the husband and the wife.

Katie Price, the domestic who poured the tea, corroborated her master as to circumstances. She never saw Kennedy about the place. She came in September, after he had been discharged. It was she who found the powder in the cup, the week before the poisoning, and threw it away, thinking it dust of some kind, and it was she who told Mrs. Learoyd about what she found of the same queer gray stuff on the floor and tablecloth, in Mr. Learoyd's cup, and the thumb mark in arsenical imprint upon the back of the dining room chair.

And then Professor Wood told in a clear, concise way that it was rough on rats which had been sprinkled so clumsily about the suoper table and dropped into the teapot. His testimony was from the analyses which he has made, indicating the presence of arsenic in the systems, not only of the four who were made sick, but in that of Mrs. Learoyd as well, for the commonwealth will show that she, too, tasted two teaspoonfuls of the tea.

SALEM NORMAL SCHOOL.

New Institution Formally Dedicated With Appropriate Ceremony.

Salem, Mass., Jan. 27.—The new state normal school here was formally dedicated yesterday afternoon, in the presence of a large audience, among whom were many distinguished state, city and school officials.

The building is a massive structure of buff brick, with light colored stone trimmings, about 175 feet by 120 in area and three stories high. The cost of the entire plant, land, building and equipment, is about $250,000.

The dedicatory exercises began with Rev. F. H. Capen, D. D., of Tufts college and of the state board of visitors, presiding. The feature of the exercises was the reading of a historical sketch of the school by Miss Ellen M. Dodge, assistant principal of the school. An address was also made by Professor John Bascom of Williams college upon "The Discipline to Be Sought For in Education." Brief addresses were also made by Mayor Turner of Salem, Secretary Hill of the state board of education and others. Music was interspersed with the addresses.

Among those present were Mrs. Kate Gannett Wells, a member of the state board; Senator Rowe, chairman of the senate committee on education; Mr. Porter, chairman of the house committee of the same; Representatives Winslow, Fisher, Hall of Williamstown and Morse of Marlboro, members of the house committee on education and State Librarian C. B. Tillinghast, Attorney General Knowlton, representing the governor; Mayor James Turner, Senator J. D. H. Gauss, Representative C. E. Trow and many of the local clergymen.

The Democratic Split.

Boston, Jan. 27.—The so-called Music hall faction of the Democratic party of the state appeared as petitioners in the supreme judicial court yesterday, praying for a writ of mandamus to prevent the so-called Faneuil hall faction from taking part in the reorganization of the Democratic state committee. The petitioners claim that the Faneuil hall party did not take part in any legal convention, and therefore the members of the state committee there elected are not legally members and cannot act. The case came up for a hearing at the afternoon session of the court, but had continued only a few moments when another case claimed the attention of the court, and the latter was not finished until a few minutes before the close of the day's session. In the few minutes that remained counsel for the petitioners endeavored to show that the duties of the Music hall convention were of such public importance that the case can be placed in the court in accordance with the statutes. The hearing will be continued today.

Mrs. Dupont Held.

Boston, Jan. 27.—A hearing in the habeas corpus proceedings in the case of Mrs. Annie M. Dupont, who is wanted in New York on a charge of larceny, and for whom requisition papers were sent last month, was held in the supreme court yesterday afternoon. The requisition papers were dated Dec. 23, and were signed by ex-Governor Morton. The counsel for Mrs. Dupont claimed that these papers had no force, inasmuch as Governor Black was the chief executive of New York when Governor Wolcott of this state honored the request. After counsel had argued the case, Judge Barker said he would refer the question to the full bench. Attorney General Hallowell then said that new requisition papers were on the way from New York, and, hearing this, Mrs. Dupont's counsel said that he would not contest the matter further, and Mrs. Dupont was remanded to the sheriff's care until the arrival of the new papers.

Kipple Upsets the Court.

New Haven, Jan. 27.—When Kipple, who is on trial for wife murder, reached a point in his testimony yesterday where it was necessary for him to refer frequently to his murdered wife, he became emotional and grew rapidly worse. At length, he broke out into sobs, which were mingled with profanity. Of a sudden, Kipple jumped to his feet and shouted violently. Two deputy sheriffs seized him and bore him to his seat. As he sat there, the prisoner glared about the court room like a wild beast. From another part of the room came sobs, and a small woman in black was carried from the room. It was Annie Calhoun of Avon, a sister of Kipple. She had fainted. Later, Kipple became quieted and continued his story.

Verdict Against Policeman.

Dedham, Mass., Jan. 27.—A verdict of $27.80 for the plaintiff, in the case of Edwin P. Blackmer vs. Silas W. Nickerson, both of Franklin, was given in the superior court yesterday. The defendant is a policeman, and the suit was the outcome of the serving of a search process, during which the plaintiff's safe was removed. The plaintiff alleged that a watch which was in the safe was missing after his recovery of the safe. The jury decided that there was no watch in the safe, and awarded $25 as damages on the safe. The case will go to the supreme court on exceptions, and will figure as a test case, to define the power of an officer with a search warrant.

Both Recovered.

Boston, Jan. 27.—Will H. Jordan and John Holmes, each charged with assault upon the other, with intent to kill, have been held for the grand jury. This case is the outcome of what promised to be a double murder two months ago. On the morning of Nov. 30 Jordan and Holmes had trouble in Jordan's candy store on Broadway, South Boston. Holmes was found in the store with his throat cut, and Jordan, with several bullet wounds, was able to raise an alarm by staggering into a drug store across the street. The trouble arose over an unpaid bill.

Harvard Boys Celebrate.

Cambridge, Mass., Jan. 27.—The Harvard students celebrated the closing of the semi-annual term early yesterday morning by a noisy demonstration from the windows of the buildings about the college yard. When the bells rang out 10 o'clock every window was thrown open and a fusilade of pistol shots, gun shots and cannon crackers shook the staid university to its foundations and considerably startled the inhabitants of the city. The noise was kept up for half an hour, when it ceased as suddenly as it began.

Cold Wave Broken.

Boston, Jan. 27.—The severity of the cold wave throughout the country has broken. Rising temperature is reported generally, although it is still very cold in the middle west. At Chicago last night the mercury was 10 below zero. Nearly $35,000 has been subscribed for the poor. The Salvation Army at New York is working in conjunction with the city authorities to relieve suffering. Contrary to prediction, the cold wave did not extend any farther south than reported yesterday.

Boy Incendiary Confesses.

Boston, Jan. 27.—Wilfred C. Gerard of Worcester, 18 years old, confessed yesterday to setting two fires at Hotel St. Cloud, where he was employed as a bellboy. He said he was sick of his job and wanted to resign, so he thought he would burn up the hotel. One of the fires caused a damage of nearly $1000. Gerard has already served 13 months in the state reformatory for larceny, and his mother has a warrant out for him now, on the ground that he is a stubborn child.

Contractors Quit.

Portland, Me., Jan. 27.—The Hartford Paving and Construction company of Hartford, to whom was awarded the contract for constructing the fortifications at Diamond island, has thrown up the contract, and the government will again have to advertise for bids. The Hartford company's bid was $55,372.25. The next lowest bidders were Scrutin & Hett of Portsmouth, N. H., who placed the figures at $88,850.55.

Massachusetts Legislature.

Boston, Jan. 27.—The hearing before the special committee appointed by the house of representatives to consider the petition of citizens of the town of Brookline for the impeachment of Meville P. Morrill, commissioner of Norfolk county, began yesterday. A resolve was introduced to pay the members of the caucus investigation committee $500 each.

Essex W. C. T. U.

Haverhill, Mass., Jan. 27.—The W. C. T. U. of Essex county held its annual convention in the Free Baptist church yesterday. Among the speakers were Mrs. Todd of Boston and State President Mrs. S. Fessenden. A resolution was adopted commending Congressman Morse in his crusade against liquor selling in the national Capitol.

Boston Republican Committee.

Boston, Jan. 27.—The Republican city committee held its annual meeting last night, and elected ex-Senator Joseph B. McCabe of East Boston, president, and Samuel C. Jones of Roxbury, secretary. Resolutions were passed indorsing ex-Governor John D. Long for secretary of the navy in the incoming administration.

Hoar Will Resign.

Boston, Jan. 27.—A special to the Globe from Washington says: Sherman Hoar is tired of being the legal representative of the government in Massachusetts, and will resign as soon as the Bram case is finally disposed of.

Dropped Dead In Drug Store.

Belfast, Me., Jan. 27.—Mrs. Martin Patterson, while out driving yesterday, was taken ill. She went to a druggist for relief, and dropped dead as she entered the store. She was 36 years old.

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Satisfactory Results In California Reported by Susan B. Anthony.

Des Moines, Jan. 27.—At yesterday's session of the National Woman's Suffrage convention Susan B. Anthony, president, gave her annual address. It was devoted largely to a statement of the work in California, which she regarded as very satisfactory. She said that California's defeat is simply victory deferred, for the legislature is sure to resubmit, and they will be victorious in November, 1898. Nevada, California, Washington and Montana are also likely to have suffrage campaigns, and prospects for success are good. She urged a more thorough organization for the education of the voters. What we need, she said, is house to house educational work, throughout every precinct. We may carry amendments without education of this kind, but we are not likely to.



SUSAN B. ANTHONY.

Rev. Anna Howard Shaw of Philadelphia reported on the work in California, where she spent most of the past year with Miss Anthony, speaking twice daily for several months, and found only five places in the entire state where the largest hall would hold their audiences. Laura Clay of Kentucky spoke for that state, telling of satisfactory progress in the recognition of women upon state boards and in social legislation asked for by women.

Million Dollar Fire.

Philadelphia, Jan. 27.—One of the most valuable blocks in the city was consumed in raging flames yesterday. It was the block bounded by Market, Thirteenth, Filbert and Juniper streets, in the very heart of the city. A few steps to the right looms the massive city hall, around the corner stands the Pennsylvania railroad terminal and directly across the way John Wanamaker's great store stretches from street to street. So fierce was the fire and so strong the wind which aided its destructive work that even this building, distant the width of Market street, was saved almost by a miracle from total destruction. Mr Wanamaker places his loss at $100,000. The total loss is variously estimated at from $1,000,000 to $2,500,000, but in the chaos and confusion now existing, it is all but impossible to secure accurate figures. The losses are very generally covered by insurance.

Father Blodgett Dead.

Pawtucket, R. I., Jan. 27.—Rev. Lloyd M. Blodgett, son of Judge William Blodgett, died at the home of his father in this city last night. He graduated from Brown university in 1884, and from the Cambridge Theological school in 1888. He was ordained a deacon at St. Paul's church in this city in 1889. Mr. Blodgett was ordained to the priesthood at East Greenwich. He went abroad, and was assistant rector at the American church in Nice, France, and at various times was chaplain for the English church at Strasbourg, Germany, Basle and Geneva, Switzerland and Vichy. On his return to this country, he was assistant at Christ church, Fitchburg, Mass, for two years, and afterwards rector of St. John's church at Wilkinsonville, Mass.

Comptroller of Currency vs. State Laws

Cincinnati, Jan. 27.—A sensational feature has arisen in the settlement of the affairs of the First National bank of Newport, Ky., which seems to involve a clash between the state court and the comptroller of the currency. Some of the depositors have filed a suit asking for the appointment of a receiver, alleging that the directors have abandoned the management of the affairs of the bank and that Cashier Youtzey, who owes the bank $150,000, is disposing of his property and giving preference to certain creditors. No officer of the bank appeared to oppose the appointment Judge Helm granted it, and it is said will appoint John T. Hodge receiver By what means the order of the court will be enforced is not made apparent. Receiver Wiltshire, appointed by Comptroller Eckels, is still in possession.

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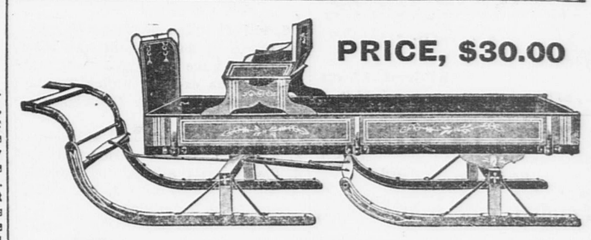
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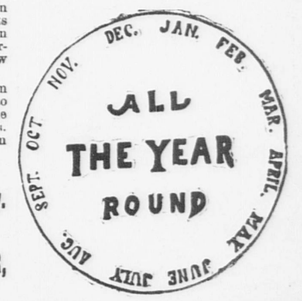
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Tuesday	35	10
Wednesday	35	22
Thursday	—	45
Friday	—	40
Saturday	—	38

THE GOLDEN CASE.

No One Appeared Against Him at the Hearing Tuesday.

Special officer Timothy J. Golden, who was charged by Mayor Adams with being intoxicated while on duty July 3, 1893, was given an ex-parte hearing Tuesday before the Civil Service Commission at Boston.

Officer Golden was on hand with several witnesses and was represented by Harvey H. Pratt. Mayor Adams, who preferred the charges, was not present, not having been notified of the hearing.

Secretary Dudley of the Civil Service Commission when interviewed by a representative of the DAILY LEDGER, said, when asked what action the commissioners had taken in the matter, that they had not fully determined as yet what action would be taken, and that they were still holding the matter in abeyance.

When questioned in relation to that part of the charges relating to intoxtcation on July 3, 1893, Mr. Dudley replied that that matter had been practically dismissed.

Whether the Mayor will push his charges further is problematical as the desired end has been accomplished.

Body Found at Weymouth.

The body of an unknown man was found in a pond near the wool scouring mill at East Weymouth this morning. It had evidently been in the water soon time.

The man was about 35 years of age and is believed to be Maurice Connell of Boston who had been at work in East Weymouth. The only things found on his person was a Murphy temperance pledge and a pint bottle of whiskey. The name on the pledge could not be read. The man was removed to Rice's undertaking rooms.

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BY Virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage given by Abel Nutting and Hannah E. Nutting, his wife, both of Quincy in the County of Norfolk and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, to Maria J. Brooks of said Quincy, dated May 21, 1880, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, lib. 520, fol. 68, for breach of the conditions contained in said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, will be sold at public auction on the premises hereinafter described, on TUESDAY, February 23, 1897, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon. The premises to be sold are bounded and described as follows, viz:

A certain lot of land with all the buildings thereon, bounded northerly on Water street, about one hundred and five (105) feet; easterly on land formerly of Nancy G. White, about one hundred and seven feet (107) feet; southerly on land of Elisha Hobart, about one hundred and three (103) feet; westerly on land of Edward A. Spear, about one hundred and seventeen (117) feet, as the stakes, posts and fences now stand, being the same premises conveyed to me by Nancy G White and Isaiah P. White her husband, by deed dated April 7, 1873, and to be found recorded with Norfolk Deeds, lib. 438, fol. 1

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Col. Francis W. Parker, the first superintendent of the Quincy public schools, came back to his old love Tuesday night, and talked to the teachers and others interested in education at the High school building. There was a gathering of nearly 300, including many of his old friends and acquaintances, and teachers of Quincy, Braintree, Milton, Boston and elsewhere. The ex-Superintendent has not been very neighborly since he went west and identified himself with the Cook county normal school at Chicago, nearly twenty years ago, and it was a pleasure to meet him. He has changed considerably, developed we might say, but still old acquaintances recognized many of his old ways and the thoughts which he inculcated when here.

Mr. T. B. Pollard, the president of the Quincy Teachers' Association, called the assembly to order, but the association postponed all its business, and Mr. Pollard resigned the chair to Superintendent Lull.

Mr. Lull said he was reminded of April '75. Not the date in Revolutionary history but 1875 when a shot was fired in Quincy which if not heard around the world was certainly heard without the commonwealth. It was the end of the dark ages especially in the primary grade, and since then many educational pilgrims had visited our city and had gone forth and established little Quincys everywhere. He took pleaure in presenting Col. Francis W. Parker, who had fired the shot, and who was today one of the educational experts of the country.

Col. Parker spoke for one hour and twenty minutes on "The Ideal School," and no short abstract will do him justice. He said he had pleasant memories of Quincy. His cause he regarded as the greatest, and he wished to try it before a jury of citizens rather than teachers. What do you want for your children? First of all good health; it was the foundation of happiness and of progress. Study the children. Often they have physical difficulties. Children should have much to do. Some care or responsibility. Let them realize that their work is important.

Cultivate good taste, order and cleanliness. Home is the centre of the world. Don't lecture or scold. Kindergartens were excellent.

We want children to be of use in the world, and happy is he who finds his vocation. Many wander through the wilderness.

We want our children to be good citizens. It is the highest thing conceivable. How and whence shall we get these? We send them to school to get knowledge. What knowledge shall the child learn? Some say classics, others science, but should it not be experience. Seven-eighths of all the work of many schools is the learning of empty words. Then knowledge is a failure. Education should be the generation of power.

Education is life. There is an end and an aim to education. Teachers should have a purpose. The time had come to save men on earth.

The ideal school is the ideal community. The child is a citizen as soon as he enters school. The ideal society is democracy. That society where there is no obstruction to working out one's personality. A community should give its individual all the things necessary to work out self. No more. The end and aim control moral and mental action. There was but one ideal of individual, the good of the whole State.

How shall the community help individuals? By the common school. No child can ever be educated in a home. You cannot educate American citizens in a private school. Girls and boys cannot be educated apart.

What should the common school do? Organize for human life. It was best seen in the kindergarten. It was a sad thing to be an only child. The deepest thing in human life is a desire to be recognized. A child will be recognized. The reward system was the disintegration of society.

Someone asked how much whispering should there be in school? Enough for work. He had seen teachers who boasted that there was no whispering in their rooms who attended a teachers' meeting and whispered all the time.

Knowledge as an end is not the thing, but knowledge as a means is glorious. History is of value in every day life. So with mathematics and other studies. The ideal way is yet to be worked out. Can man govern himself? Democracy was still in swaddling clothes. What the common school is, that will the nation be. What we need is a great purpose. Impress upon the scholar what it costs, and be worth what it costs. The solution is in the public schools. The ideal school the ideal community.

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DIED.

DEACON—In Quincy, Jan. 26, the infant daughter of Mr. William H. and Mrs. Ada D. Deacon, aged 7 days.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

Enlargement of Wollaston School Lot Goes to the Council.

The School Committee held its regular monthly meeting Tuesday evening.

Dr. Hallowell reported that the Commissioner of Public Works had taken no action as yet upon the request for a plank walk at the Coddington school.

Dr. Peirce reported that there had been trouble in heating the Quincy school during the past few days.

Messrs. Record, Page and Peirce the committee appointed to look into the matter of the land in the rear of the Wollaston school building, reported that they were unable to agree. The report was accepted and the Committee discharged.

It was voted that the attention of the City Council be called to the fact of the possible erection of a building upon the land in the rear of the Wollaston school.

Patrick H. Bradley, Frank J. Davoran and Marcena R. Sparrow were elected truant officers.

Thomas A. R. Gould was elected janitor of the Quincy school.

Adjourned at 9.05.

$10,000 FIRE.

Large Stable and 21 Horses Burned at Braintree.

About one o'clock this morning the largest fire that Braintree has seen for a long time occurred in the east part of the town.

The large stables of Mr. Wilkins were burned to the ground with twenty-one horses, a valuable cow, a lot of carriages, sulkies, harnesses, farming tools, blacksmiths tools, dentists kit, fifteen tons of hay and a lot of grain.

Mr. Wilkins was awakened by the bright light and the crackling noise and found the whole west end of the stable in flames.

Two young men who were returning from a party arrived about this time and one hastened to give the alarm, while the other did what he could to help release the imprisoned animals who were racing about from one end of the building to the other in terrible agony.

A vigorous attempt was made to break down the doors but before this could be done all but three of the animals were still in death.

The cause of the fire is unknown. Mr. Wilkins claims the total loss to be about $10,000. Insurance about $6,000.

A Social Evening.

Doble's hall was the scene of a very merry party Tuesday evening, tendered by the Loyal Ladies' of Clan McGregor No. 1 to their friends. They disposed of their regular business at an early hour, after which the following concert was rendered in an excellent manner:

Song, Miss Mary Duthie.
Piano solo, Miss Alice Perry.
Vocal duet, Miss Margaret Milne and Miss Margaret Esson.
Song, Mrs. Lizzie Perry.
Trio, Messrs. Marnock, Purdy and Pirovano of the Quincy Social Club.
Song, Miss Lulu McIntosh.

After the concert, the hall was cleared for dancing, the ladies claiming their partners for the grand march, which was led by the President, Mrs. George Chalmers and Mr. James Marr. Dancing was continued until 11 o'clock when intermission was announced, and a sumptuous collation was served by the Amusement committee, assisted by their ever ready friend, Mr. John Wood. Again dancing was continued until 1 o'clock A. M. when the party sang Auld Lang Syne. The success of the party was due to the able management of the Amusement committee.

Among the Magazines.

The Perkins Institution for the Blind was the first important school for the blind in America, and it remains the most important one. Its history has never been so well told, nor its work so interestingly detailed, as by Dr. Samuel Eliot in the *New England Magazine* for February. The remarkable devotion and efforts of Dr. Howe in the early days of the institutiou, when he was a pioneer in paths in which he has been so usefully followed by so many, are brought before us impressively by Dr. Eliot, and the experience in the institution of Laura Bridgman and other interesting pupils constitutes an important feature of the article. We are given a great number of pictures by way of illustration,—portraits of Dr. Howe and his associates, views of the institution and glimpses of a score of its classrooms. The article is one of rare interest and importance.

A. O. U. W. Installation.

The annual installation of the officers of Merry Mount lodge, A. O. U. W., was held Tuesday evening, the installing officer being Deputy A. H. Paton. Past Grand Master and Supervisor Edward Mitchell was also present, and after the work of the evening there were interesting remarks by the visiting grand officers, who explained the proposed graded assessment plan. The brothers then adjourned to The Greenleaf, where supper was served.

THE WEATHER INDICATIONS.

ALMANAC, WEDNESDAY, JAN. 27.
Sun rises, 7:02; sets, 4:53.
Length of day—9h. 51m.
Moon rises—2:30 a. m.
Full sea—6 a. m., 6:30 p. m.

Forecast for New England: Generally fair; northwesterly winds; slightly colder in northern portion.

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COLD SNAPS.

Valuable Nuggets of News Contracted by the Weather.

To be Thawed Out This Evening at the Fireside.

Mercury the Messenger from all Parts of the City.

Probably snow tomorrow.

The cold wave has died out.

The new furnishings for the Quincy Savings bank have arrived.

Old folks concert tonight, stereoptican lecture tomorrow night, and amateur theatricals Friday night.

Cock, hens and pullets from the Homewood farm took first prizes at the exhibition of the Boston Poultry Association this week.

The promiscuous striking of the fire alarm Tuesday afternoon and evening was the result of a swinging ground caused by the high wind.

Do not forget to attend the old folk's concert at the Point church this evening. To see the old fashion costumes is worth the price of admission.

Owing to the removal of the Granite City club, the January meeting of the Hospital Aid Association will be held Thursday, January 28, at 2.30 P. M. in the Unitarian chapel.

The new addition to the Woodward Institute is practically completed and part of the furniture has arrived. It is not known at present when the new part will be occupied.

The Murray & Irwin and the Jamesons won in the City bowling league Tuesday evening defeating the Rexfords and Carruths. It was the second defeat for the Carruths, who drop from first place to a tie with the Boylstons.

The Ladies' Benevolent Society of the Wollaston Congregational church are to give a course of three entertainments. The first, which occurs on next Monday evening, is a lecture on Egypt and the Nile by Mr. Albert Sherman Baker.

Quincy was represented at the Boston Press club banquet by Henry H. Faxon, C. F. Knowlton, Joseph W. Hayden, Clarence Burgin, A. F. MacLeod, Frank Nightingale, J. F. Costello, T. J. Collins, F. F. Green and George T. Magee.

The officers of St. Francis Court, No. 25, M. C. O. F., were installed Tuesday evening by Deputy High Chief Range, Michael J. Daly, assisted by Deputies James Fennessey and Adam Vogel. After the business of the evening the members sat down to a banquet served by Caterer Nash.

St. John's Drama.

"Capt. Jack" was presented for the first time last evening under the auspices of the St. John's C. L. and A. A., and it can be safely said that no play given in recent years is of such intrinsic worth. The piece was admirably staged and costumed and played with a vim that was much appreciated by the fair-sized audience.

The following is the cast:

Capt. Edward Gordon,	Thomas F. Shea
Squire Shannon,	Thomas F. Hogan
John Driscoll,	Timothy J. Carey
Barney Donovan,	R. J. Gray
Teddy Burke,	G. A. Cahill
Tim Burns,	John McGuine
Lieut. Rogers,	Edward H. McGinty
Aline Driscoll,	Miss Jennie Walsh
Nellie Shannon,	Mrs. G. H. Ferguson
Kate Kelley,	Miss Mollie M. McNally
Mary,	Miss Catherine Ballentyne

Soldiers, David Meaney and John McGuane.

Rev. A. F. Roche and a large number of his parishioners came from Hingham.

TODAY'S COURT.

Thomas Louney was fined $5 for the illegal transportation of swill through the public streets of Quincy.

The liquors seized from Andrew Tracy of Weymouth were forfeited.

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Jan. 16. 2w

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THE MORRELL CASE.

Legislative Committee Gives Hearing on Jurisdiction.

A Grand Legal Fight at the State House Yesterday.

The Committee Takes the Matter Under Advisement.

The special committee of the Legislature heard the petitioners from Brookline on Tuesday as to the jurisdiction of the Legislature to pass upon the impeachment of Melville P. Morrell of the Norfolk County Commissioners. That was the sole question at the hearing.

Mr. Morrell was present and was represented by Judge T. E. Grover of Canton, Fred Joy and E. A. McLaughlin, ex-clerk of the house of representatives. The petitioners were represented by C. A. Williams.

It was a legal battle at which briefs were submitted by the lawyers.

Mr. Williams endeavored to show that county commissioners were officers of the commonwealth, both by argument and court decisions.

Representative Gibbs of Brookline offered a few citations, showing that the commissioners inherited the judicial functions of the court of sessions.

Judge Grover contended that they were not, and therefore not liable to impeachment. He reviewed impeachment cases and showed how they varied.

Mr. McLaughlin argued that a mistake had been made in bringing the petition to the House, and that it had no jurisdiction. That the commissioners were the creation of statute law, and their powers prescribed by statute law. That the remedy was within the elective power.

Albert D. Chandler argued that the Legislature had no jurisdiction.

Mr. McLaughlin raised the point that the petition was defective, in that Mr. Morrell was not now the chairman.

Judge Grover further discussed the statutes, and Mr. Williams replied to some of the arguments of his opponents.

The hearing then closed and the committee will consider the matter in executive session.

Wollaston Tournament.

Teams B and C of the Wollaston Candle Pin Club had a close match on the Duck's Nest alleys on Tuesday evening. B was the victor 1168 to 1156. Emery was high on totals, 253, and Freeman on singles, 101.

The result:

TEAM B.			
H. O. Fairbanks,	67	79	85—231
Casey,	75	65	87—227
Briggs,	64	78	66—208
J. F. Emery,	93	84	76—253
*Bryant,	83	83	83—249
	382	389	397 1168
TEAM C.			
Freeman,	72	66	101—248
Burns,	71	84	97—252
Battison,	71	83	84—238
*Taylor,	72	72	72—217
*Reed,	67	67	67—201
	353	372	421 1156

*Absent; average taken.

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15	4	Braintree, H B Vinton,	public
223	2	Holbrook, G T Wilde,	"
27	3	N Weymouth, B F Thomas,	"
228		Quincy, C C Hearn,	"
223	3	Randolph, F A French,	"
224		S Braintree, C H Hobart,	"
17	3	Weymouth, C D Harlow,	"
222		Wollaston, A W Fay,	"
35	4	Abbott & Miller,	Quincy
227	2	Abele, Francis Jr,	"
38	2	Anderson, L S	"
57	4	Ash John H, M D,	West Quincy
29	2	Austin & Winslow Ex Co	Quincy
233	2	Badger Bros,	West Quincy
10		Barker, W P	Quincy
42	3	Boston Bazaar, C R Sherman,	Woll.
41	2	Brown, Geo H	Quincy
20	4	Brown, W E	"
30		Cobb, W H	"
37	3	Cook & Watkins,	South Quincy
32	3	Costello, J F bowling alley,	Quincy
23		Craig & Richards Granite Co	
65	4	Crane, F H & Sons,	Quincy
16	3	Crane, F H & Sons,	South Quincy
9	2	Cutting, J M	Quincy
48	3	Daily Ledger	"
231	3	Davis, F S, M D	"
4	4	Baxter, E W,	"
72	2	Desmond, Daniel	"
69	2	Dion, Thos J, M D,	West Quincy
68	4	Doble, A H,	South Quincy
35	2	Doble, E H,	West Quincy
35	5	Doble, H F,	West Quincy
71	3	Dyer, B T,	Quincy
231	3	Eaton, W N,	Quincy
6	2	England, G R,	Quincy
69	3	Fallon, John & Sons,	West Quincy
36	2	Faxon, H H,	Quincy
16	4	Fegan & Ballou,	Quincy
234	3	Fogwell C G	Wollaston
57	3	Field & Wild,	Quincy
48	4	French, J T,	Quincy
237	3	Friguglietti, F Rev.	Quincy
49	3	Gallagher's Ex,	Quincy
18	2	Garey, C W, M D,	Quincy
230	3	Gilbert, J H, M D,	"
221	2	Gordon, J A, M D,	"
74	2	Graham, J R, Factory	
59	3	Green, F F,	Quincy
3	3	Hall, John.	Quincy
11	2	Hallowell, H C, M D,	Quincy
228		Hearn, C C,	Quincy
18	3	Hitchcock, Geo	Quincy
39	2	Hitchcock, Geo. office,	Quincy
236	2	Holbrook, F	Quincy
226		Hollingsworth, S J,	Quincy
235	4	Howland, C A,	Quincy
230	2	Hunting, N S, M D,	Quincy
238	2	Johnson, B,	Quincy
47	2	Kavanagh Bros,	Quincy
78	2	Kincaide H L & Co,	Quincy
61	2	King Theo	Quincy
48	3	Ledger, Quincy Daily	
233	5	Lee, C G,	Wollaston
22	2	Lofgren, W R,	Quincy
42	2	Loud & Tribou,	Wollaston
12	3	Lyons Granite Co,	West Quincy
54	3	Magee, Geo. T.	Quincy
60		Marden, W M,	Quincy
64	2	McAnarney, J W,	Quincy
37	2	McLennan, R M, M D,	Quincy
72	3	Meadow Brook Ice Co.	
71	2	Merrill, J F,	Quincy
75	2	Merrill Bros.,	Wollaston
62	2	Milne & Chalmers,	Quincy
12	4	Murphy, E J,	West Quincy
68	2	Murray, L G,	Quincy
227	4	National Mt. Wollaston Bank	
26	3	National Granite Bank	
221	4	National Sailors' Home	
33	3	New York & Boston Ex. Co.	
76	3	Old Colony Boot & Shoe Co.	
21	3	Packard, W M,	Quincy
237	2	Padula, F T, M D,	Quincy
238	3	Patch C & Sons,	Quincy Point
238	4	Patch C & Sons,	Quincy
221	3	Patch C & Sons,	Wollaston
48	3	Patriot,	Quincy
229	3	Penniman & Sons,	Quincy
43	3	Prescott, Geo. W & Son,	Quincy
62	4	Purity Dried Fruit Co.	
48	3	Quincy Patriot,	Quincy
44	2	Quincy Advertiser,	Quincy
48	3	Quincy Daily Ledger,	Quincy
40		Quincy Beef Co.	
		City of Quincy	
14	3	City Clerk's Office, City Hall	
1	4	Fire Department Chief Engineer	
1	2	Fire Department, Fire Station	
14	2	Police Station	
14	4	Chief of Police	
21	4	Poor Farm	
63		Supt. of Water Dept.	
13	3	Water Department	
13	2	Pumping Station	
235	2	Quincy Mut. Fire Ins. Co.	
233	4	Quincy Quarry Co.	
230	4	City Hospital	
8		Quincy Electric Light Co.	
26	2	Quincy Savings Bank	
239	4	Q. & B. St. Ry., Office	
239	2	" " Power House	
239	3	" " Supt. Res.	
77		Quincy Shoe Co.	
61	3	Randall, J C,	Quincy
234	2	Record Wellington M D,	Wollaston
51	3	Richards A J,	Quincy
67	4	Ricker H E,	Quincy
227	3	Rogers Bros.	Quincy
236	3	Sanborn J W	Quincy
67	2	Sears R A	Quincy
12	2	Sheahan J M, M D,	Quincy
232	2	Sheppard J F & Sons	Quincy Point
232	3	Sheppard J F & Sons	Quincy
42	3	Sherman C R	Wollaston
75	3	Sparrow M R	Wollaston
210		Swithin Bros	Quincy
68	3	Thomas & Miller	Quincy
53	2	Tirrell & Sons	Quincy
67	2	Translucent Fabric	Quincy
43		Tubular Rivet & Stud Co.	Wollaston
36	3	Tyler Wm R	Quincy
41	3	Wales Ice Cream Co	
24		Weedon H C	Germantown
239	3	Weeks B J,	Quincy
24	4	Welch J F, M D,	Quincy
237	4	West Quincy Catholic Church	
220		Western Union Tel. Co	
56		Wollaston Foundry	
5		Willard H M	Wollaston
3	2	Wild J R	Quincy

BROTHER AND SISTER.

But They Didn't Know It Until Their Thirty-ninth Wedding Anniversary.

The village of Mulvane, a few miles south of Wichita, Kan., is stirred up over disclosures brought to light on the occasion of the thirty-ninth wedding anniversary of Peter Wilson and wife a few days ago. Their nine children and several grandchildren were present, with many neighbors.

In the company were Isaac Ashton, foster father of Mrs. Wilson, who was en route to Oklahoma, and Robert Wilson, foster father of Peter Wilson, who lived in a neighboring county. The men were neighbors 40 years ago, but had not seen each other since.

Their reminiscent talk brought out the fact that in 1838 Alexander Taylor, his wife and two children located in Richmond, Ind., having moved there from Noble county, O. Taylor went as a volunteer to the Florida Indian war and died while on the expedition. Mrs. Taylor died soon afterward, leaving her children, Peter and Rachel, 6 and 2 years old respectively, to the care of strangers.

Isaac Ashton and Robert Wilson had been friends of the Taylors. Ashton adopted Rachel and Wilson adopted Peter Taylor. Ashton moved to Iowa soon afterward, and Wilson went to northern Missouri. They never spoke to the children of their antecedents, and they grew up to consider they were the children of their respective foster parents.

When Peter Wilson was 17 years old, he went to Sioux City, Ia., to learn the carpenter's trade, and at a temperance meeting he met Rachel Ashton, who was visiting her foster aunt. They became sweethearts, and three years later were married.

They settled in Sumner county, Kan., where they have always been highly respected. They have nine children. Three children are deaf mutes, and two others are deformed. All are married except one of the deaf mutes and two of the younger children.

Peter Wilson swooned when he heard the old neighbors' talk, and for a time he was thought to be dead, but he was revived. He and his wife are almost crazed with grief.

CLEVELAND'S JOKE.

He Has Some Fun at the Theater at Olney's Expense.

President Cleveland is getting very playful as he nears the end of his term and is acting like a boy who is soon to graduate at college. The members of the cabinet are whispering about many funny things he has said and done that are surprising to those who consider him a serious person, without humor or sentiment. But he is usually very sly about his fun and does not let the outside world participate in the enjoyment. He did, however, unbend a little at the performance of Chevalier, the English ballad singer, the other night, when he and Secretary Olney, with their wives, occupied a box.

When the prestidigitator of the company was doing his turn, he asked the audience to send a committee to the platform to see that there was no deception. He walked across the stage, pointing with his wand at groups of gentlemen in the audience, saying, "Won't you come to the platform, sir?" or, "Won't you be kind enough to assist me, sir?" He approached the president's box, and, standing within a few feet of him, repeated the request. The president nodded his head and smiled and pointed to Secretary Olney. The eyes of the audience were upon them, and the author of the first permanent arbitration treaty ever negotiated by two great nations blushed.—Chicago Record.

A QUEER CASE.

Strange Story of a Pension Claim Told In Congress.

One of the queer cases in pension annals was reported to the house a day or two ago. It was a Pennsylvania case, where a soldier enlisted as Harmon Francis, a name he assumed for the correct one of Hiram Francis. He fought bravely through three years of the war in Company K of the Ninety-seventh Infantry volunteers. At the end of that term of service he was veteranized and re-enlisted for three years more. But soon, by the consent of his company and regiment officers, he was allowed to go home, and his brother, George Francis, took his place in the ranks.

Now, the brother Hiram is dead. George served to the end of the war and received honorable discharge in his brother's assumed name. He was wounded in the mine explosion at Petersburg, for which he drew a pension under his brother's enlisted name until the latter died, when it was stopped. But George wants a pension for his 17 months' service. Hiram's widow now receives pension for the service of her dead husband. This was too much for the bureau of pensions, and so the matter was taken to congress, where the committee on invalid pensions decides that both soldier and substitute's widow are entitled to government aid in their declining years.—Washington Post.

Hobart's Washington Home.

Vice President Elect Hobart has leased for four years the handsome Washington house of A. L. Barber, the asphalt king. The house is of granite and is surrounded by an extensive park. It is at the extremity of Fourteenth street and Florida avenue and was occupied formerly by Chief Justice Fuller. The house was built originally with the idea of inducing the late President Arthur to forsake the Soldiers' home cottage and spend his summers there and is adapted to entertaining.

The Pracht Boom In Alaska.

If there is any reliability to be placed on newspaper reports, Max Pracht will be our next governor. Mr. Pracht has done good work for his party, not only during the last campaign, but for many years.—Alaska Searchlight.

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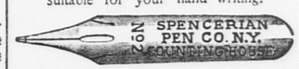
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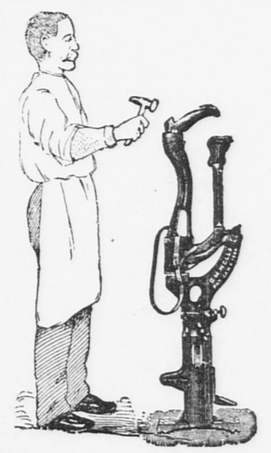
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On and after Friday, Jan. 1, 1897, cars will make trips on week days as follows:

Quincy and Neponset.

Leave CITY HALL for Neponset—6.00 A. M., 6.15, 6.30, 6.45, 7.00, and every 15, 30, 45 and 60 minutes past the hour until 7.00 P. M., then every half hour until 10.50 P. M. Cars leaving Quincy on the hour via. Norfolk Downs, except 6.00 P. M.

Leave NEPONSET—6.22 A. M., 6.37, 6.52, 7.07, 7.22, and every 7, 22, 37 and 52 minutes past the hour until 7.00 o'clock, then every half hour until 11 P. M.; last car for Quincy at 11.15 P. M. Cars leaving Neponset 22 minutes past the hour via. Norfolk Downs.

Quincy and East Weymouth.

Leave CITY HALL (10 minutes later from Quincy Point and 22 minutes later from North Weymouth)—5.45, 6.20, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, 11.20, 11.50 A. M.; 12.20, 12.50, 1.20, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20 4.50 5.20 (5.30 to East Weymouth car house), 5.50, 6.20, 6.30, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.50 P. M.

Leave EAST WEYMOUTH (20 minutes later from North Weymouth and 30 minutes later from Quincy Point)—6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11, 11.30 A. M.; 12, 12.30, 1, 1.30, 2, 2.30, 3, 3.30, 4, 4.30, 5, 5.30, 6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11.30 P. M.

Quincy and East Milton.

Leave CITY HALL, 5.55, 6.25, then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until .55 P. M., then at 9.50 and 10.50 P. M.

Leave EAST MILTON, 6.30, 7.00 A. M., then on the hour and half hour until 9.30 P.M., then at 10.20 and 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and Holbrook.

Leave QUINCY for SOUTH BRAINTREE and HOLBROOK at 6.10 and 6.40 A. M., and every 10 minutes past and 20 minutes of the hour until 10.10 P. M. Last car leaves at 10.50 P. M. On Saturdays the last car leaves Quincy at 11.50 P. M.

Returning cars leave HOLBROOK for SOUTH BRAINTREE and QUINCY at 5.55 and 6.25 A. M., and every 25 minutes past and 5 minutes of the hour until 9.55 P.M. Last car leaves Holbrook at 11.30 P. M.

☞ On Sundays on the Weymouth route cars will leave Quincy on the hour and half hour and East Weymouth at quarter past and quarter of the hour.
☞ Special trips can be arranged on application to the Superintendent.
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On and after Jan. 17, 1897, trains will run as follows: (See note of explanation at bottom.)

TO BOSTON. Leave Quincy.	Stops at	Arrive Boston.	FROM BOSTON. Leave Boston.	Stops at	Arrive Quincy
r 6 12 abc	*	6 30	5 53 ihgfedcba*		6 20 r
r 6 42 abc		7 00	6 30 cba		6 49 r
r 7 12 abc		7 30	7 30 cba		7 49 r
7 29 a		7 48	8 30 cba		8 49 r
r 7 42 abc		8 00	9 30 cba		9 49 r
r 8 12 abc		8 30	10 30 cba		10 49 r
8 29 a		8 45	11 30 cba		11 49 r
r 8 42 abc		9 00	12 00 (xx)		12 15
r 9 12 abc		9 30	12 30 cba		12 49 r
r 10 12 abc		10 30	1 30 cba		1 49 r
r 11 12 abc		11 30	2 30 cba		2 49 r
r 12 12 abc		12 30	3 30 cba		3 49 r
r 1 12 abc		1 30	4 30 cba		4 49 r
1 46 (xx)		2 00	5 00 cba		5 19 r
r 2 12 abc		2 30	5 15 a		5 32
r 3 12 abc		3 30	5 30 cba		5 49 r
r 4 12 abc		4 30	6 00 cba		6 19 r
r 5 12 abc		5 30	6 15 a		6 32
r 6 12 abc		6 30	6 30 cba		6 49 r
r 7 12 abc		7 30	7 00 cba		7 19 r
r 7 41 abcdefghi		8 07	7 30 cba		7 49 r
r 8 08 abcdef		8 30	8 30 fedcba		8 53 r
r 9 12 abc		9 30	9 30 cba		9 49 r
r 10 08 abcdef		10 30	10 30 fedcba		10 53 r
r 10 34 abcdefghi		11 08	11 00 ihgfedcba		11 27 r
r 11 12 abc		11 30	11 30 cba		11 49 r

SUNDAYS.

6 38 abcdef	7 00	4 05 fda		4 23
8 46 (xx)	9 00	7 30 fedcba		7 53 r
r 9 12 abc	9 30	8 30 (xx)		8 45
r 12 16 (xx)	12 30	9 30 ihgfedcba		9 57 r
1 07 abc	1 25	10 30 ihgfedcba		10 57 r
2 16 (xx)	2 30	11 30 (xx)		11 45
r 3 04 abcdefghi	3 30	12 35 cba		12 54
r 4 04 abcdefghi	4 30	1 30 (xx)		1 45
5 16 (xx)	5 30	4 30 cba		4 49 r
r 6 08 abcdef	6 30	5 00 (xx)		5 15
r 9 08 abcdef	9 30	7 00 fedcba		7 23 r
9 38 adf	9 55	10 30 fedcba		10 53 r

*The letters in the same line as the figures stand for different stations and indicate that trains stop, as follows:

a, Wollaston.
b, Norfolk Downs
c, Atlantic.
d, Neponset.
e, Pope's Hill.
f, Harrison Square.
g, Savin Hill.
h, Crescent Avenue.
i, South Boston.
r, Quincy Adams.
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MOON'S PHASES.

New Moon	3	1:03 a.m.	Full Moon	18	3:17 p.m.
First Quarter	10	4:46 p.m.	Third Quarter	25	3:08 p.m.

Those Dear Old Paths.

I'm looking back at a picture
That's wrought with an old time skill.
'Tis an old red manse by the river
And a schoolhouse and a well.

Dear memory is the artist,
And she paints with a magic wand
On childhood's golden canvas,
Framed round with a silver band.

An old hearthstone is her palette,
And her colors—how deeply rare!
There's childish joy and laughter
And tears and a mother's prayer.

Strange colors these? Ah, stranger,
That wealth nor power can buy
What memory, turning backward,
Gleans up from the years gone by.

I see the river glinting
Like silver through the trees,
And beneath a grandsire sitting
With two children on his knees;

Two girls with autumn garlands,
November and May, good friends,
Then—a dash of time o'er the picture,
And this dream of childhood ends.

There's a home in the sunny south land
With wealth and plenty there.
There's a cot in the busy north land
Intwined with true love rare.

But the old mill wheel is silent
And hushed 'neath the noise of trade,
And the feet that pressed those dear old paths
Have far and wide estrayed.

And between the years have gathered
Like leaves that at autumn sweep
O'er the grass grown mound where slumbers
The sire in his last long sleep.
—Graham Burnham.

A Juvenile.



Chimmie—Wot a world of perwersity an temptashun dis is, Rosy! You an I'd never wanter go on dat old grass of we knowed der priverlig wos open ter us. —New York Sunday World.

Hypnotist May Have Caused Death.

Jamestown, N. Y., Jan. 27.—Spurgeon Young, a negro boy, died suddenly Monday afternoon of a complaint diagnosed by the physicians as diabetes. Since the boy's death the fact was disclosed that he was very susceptible to hypnotic influence, and had been frequently experimented upon by local amateur hypnotists. Complaint was made to the coroner, and that official has impaneled a jury and will institute a thorough investigation. It is thought the boy was injured while hypnotized.

Fighting Fire and Mercury 15 Below.

Muncie, Ind., Jan. 27.—While fighting a fire at the residence of C. E. Wiley, at an early hour yesterday, with the weather at 15 degrees below zero, seven firemen were severely frozen, and their clothing had to be cut from their bodies Chief Shepp and Assistant Chief Buchanan are among the sufferers. Mrs. Wiley, while trying to escape from the burning house, with her baby in her arms, fell down stairs, and was probably fatally injured.

"I had no appetite, but after taking Hood's Sarsaparilla my appetite returned, and I have gained in flesh." Mrs. A. L. Sanford, Westport, Mass.

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Magnificent Ovation Tendered Senator Platt at Albany.

Largest Dinner Ever Given Politician.

One Thousand Republicans at the Banquet Table.

Albany, Jan. 27.—Thomas Collier Platt left Albany in disfavor in 1881 and Thomas Collier Platt was the man who last night was the guest of honor of a party doubly as strong as it was in 1881 and as the guest of that party, the guest of the entire state, because of the domination of the Republicans in the last elections, and of its rise since 1888 from party defeat to most splendid party prosperity under his direct leadership. And the banquet given was also unique in all its characteristics, for, although under the patronage of the state Republican league of clubs, its personnel represented every shade of Republican belief or faction. It was the largest dinner ever given to a political leader in this country, and its tribute list included letters from the presence of every distinguished Republican leader in the country, and the guest last night, after 16 years of waiting, accepted from the people the post of United States senator, tendered to him unanimously.



THOMAS C. PLATT.

Very close to 1000 Republicans sat down at the dining table in Harmanus Bleecker hall, while as many more, including women, looked on and afterwards enjoyed the speechmaking.

At the tables were all the leaders of the Republicans in the state, all the state officers of the Republican party and many Republicans of national importance, including some senators and ex-senators of the United States.

The principal guests did not appear in the hall until 7:15, over an hour late, and many had began to devour the eatables before grace was said.

President Colvin started the speech making by extolling Senator Platt. The senator-elect appeared infirm. He read from a manuscript, and stammered, once excusing himself, stating that he had a cold. The other speakers were: Governor Black, General Russell A. Alger of Michigan, Hon. J. Sloat Fasset, Hon. Chauncey M. Depew, D. C. Woodmansee of Ohio, president of the National League of Republican clubs; William Pitt Kellogg of Louisiana and Lieutenant Governor Woodruff.

Senator-elect Platt said, in part:

It is not without hesitation that I have again accepted the responsibilities of public office. Indeed, it seemed as though the temptation to do so had been put by and that the remainder of my life would have no other relation to public affairs than such as becomes every citizen. I shall be acquitted, I think, of any affectation about officeseeking and officeholding, but it is a fact that I have not been a candidate for the senate. I have not asked any member of the legislature to vote for me. I did not even intimate until after the caucus, that I should accept the office if it were tendered. That it has come under these circumstances and with such generous expressions of good will and confidence from Republicans throughout the state, makes it a pleasing burden and a rich compensation for all that I have done and tried to do in my party's service. And so I shall go to Washington grateful to the Republican party, devoted to the state of New York and earnest in resolution to exert whatever influence I may have or may acquire for the welfare of our incomparable country.

Senator Platt referred to the election of President McKinley and the part New York state took therein, and then paid some nice compliments to the present administration. He said:

If there is no other respect in which the country is to be congratulated upon the result of Mr. Cleveland's administration, it may be admitted that, since the present secretary of state assumed the direction of our foreign affairs, the position of the country abroad has improved. It has been demonstrated again that the consistent upholding of American interests in foreign lands does not necessarily involve disagreeable relations with foreign governments, and that the just influence of our country can be preserved without offense to our neighbors. I have had no fair opportunity to examine the text of the arbitration treaty or to consider the possibilities that may arise under its various provisions, but, with the principle involved, it seems as though all civilized men must be sympathetic.

Train Wreck In New Brunswick.

Dorchester, N. B., Jan. 27.—Two persons were killed and 14 injured in a railroad wreck near here yesterday. A broken rail ditched the train, which went over an embankment. Six cars were dumped into Palmer's pond. It is remarkable that more people were not killed. The dead are Postal Clerk Edgecomb and Miss Patriquin of Bloomfield, N. B.

Surrendered, Then Killed Himself.

St. Louis, Jan. 27.—A man giving the name of James Kelly called at police headquarters and stated that he wished to surrender himself to the authorities, then thrust the blade of a pocket knife into his throat and bled to death. The man did not say why he wished to give himself up nor where he came from.

Prize Fighting Bill Passed.

Carson, Nev., Jan. 27.—The glove contest bill, introduced to permit the fight between Corbett and Fitzsimmons to take place in Neveda, passed the assembly yesterday by a vote of 20 to 9, the license being increased to $1000.

WANT TREATY RATIFIED.

Directors of American Peace Society Memorialize Senate.

Boston, Jan. 27.—In accordance with instructions formulated by the directors of the American Peace society at their January meeting, held recently, an expression in regard to the pending treaty of arbitration between the United States and Great Britain has been prepared and forwarded to the president, secretary of state and the senators. It is as follows:

To Grover Cleveland, President of the United States, Hon. Richard Olney, Secretary of States, and to the Honorable Senators of the United States.

The American Peace society, acting by its board of directors, is moved to say:

We rejoice, we believe the whole civilized world rejoices, that arbitration is triumphing over war.

We rejoice in the honorable share of our beloved country in this grand confirmation.

We rejoice that English-speaking people have the proud privilege of being pioneers in this great achievement.

We rejoice in the firm faith that this illustrious example will be followed by other countries, till in less time than would now be foretold the world shall feel the sweet but potent influence of just and honorable arbitration.

We do not begrudge "concessions made by each party in the "patient deliberation" which has produced this treaty. We do not complain of the treaty that its machinery is intricate or its term brief. Experience will simplify the procedure and the term which now begins will have no end.

America and England are bound into perpetual amity by the indissoluble bonds of justice. The glory of this great international act between the two most powerful nations of the world is not merely that they are to keep peace with each other, but even more, that they solemnly declare that hereafter between them all that either party asks or will accept is justice.

The judicial integrity of our English-speaking race is a pledge of impartial justice, so that disputes may no longer be settled by war, but will yield to discussions of intellectual champions and decisions by tribunals of eminent and honored jurists.

We believe that this treaty and its essential principle mark a new epoch in civilization, a worthy culmination of the century.

"Peace between the nations of the world is the essential foundation of international brotherhood and human progress"; peace, not so much as a probable outcome of discord, but assured peace; peace protected by solemn treaties of arbitration, peace founded on the rock of justice.

If these words ring with excess of joy, the American Peace society, which has been working in the cause of peace for three-quarters of a century, cannot now refrain from expressing its exultation. We congratulate America and Great Britain, and indeed, the whole civilized world, on the signing of this treaty, auspicious harbinger of peace, wrought out under the constraint of Christian conscience. We congratulate also the distinguished statesmen and diplomatists of both countries, whose sagacity has enabled them to achieve this great result.

We earnestly petition the honorable senate of the United States, after giving thorough consideration to the provisions of the treaty, not to allow minor considerations to outweigh the supreme importance of accepting the result of mutual concession and to ratify the treaty at an early day.

Arbitration Meeting at Washington.

Washington, Jan. 27.—A large meeting here last night indorsed the arbitration treaty. The speakers were ex-Secretary of State John W. Foster, Justice Brewer of the supreme court and others. A resolution asking the senate to ratify the agreement was passed.

Bidding For Atlantic Fast Line.

Montreal, Jan. 27.—It is stated that a Boston syndicate, with a Mr. Pierce at its head, proposes to bid for the fast Atlantic service, on condition that the terminus on this side shall be in the straits of Canso, at the end of the Intercolonial railway, at a place called Middle Medford, near Port Mulgrave. The proposed new port would be at least 140 miles nearer England than Halifax. Mr. Pierce has been in Toronto in the hope of seeing Sir Richard Cartwright on the subject, but the latter is at present in the Maritime provinces, attending the sittings of he tariff commission.

Seven Firemen Injured.

Chicago, Jan. 27.—Seven firemen and two spectators were badly hurt by falling walls at a fire which last evening destroyed the Williams block on Monroe street and damaged property to the extent of $386,000. Two of the injured firemen will probably die. The fire originated in the basement of the building, and spread with such rapidity that within a few minutes it had become utterly useless for the firemen to attempt to save the structure. After a hard fight, they managed to confine the flames to the walls of the Williams block, but they were able to save nothing in it.

President of National Board of Trade

Washington, Jan. 27.—The national board of trade at its first session reelected as president the venerable Frederick Fraley of Philadelphia, who was absent from the meeting by reason of the illness of his wife. Mr. Fraley is nearly 93 years of age, and has been president of the board continuously since its organization. The arbitration treaty was endorsed.

Horses Burned.

Toledo, Jan. 27.—The explosion of a gasolene stove in the harness room of Joseph Popp's livery barn yesterday afternoon caused a hot fire. Twelve valuable coaches and coach horses were suffocated by the smoke, while 20 were so badly burned that the majority of them will have to be shot. The total loss will aggregate $60,000.

Waterspout at Sea.

New York, Jan. 27.—The Anchor line steamer Elysia has arrived, after a 21 days' voyage, from the Mediterranean, and had a rough passage. On Jan. 23 a waterspout was seen. The waterspout, after remaining stationary for a while, burst with a prodigious noise about a mile from the steamer.

Protestantism In Mexico.

City of Mexico, Jan. 27.—The second assembly of Christian Workers in Mexico met today in this city, under the presidency of Rev. W. Watkins. The meeting is notable, on account of the participation of many Mexican native Protestant clergymen.

BUSY DAY IN SENATE.

Cuba, International Monetary Conference and Nicaragua Canal.

President of Canal Company Answers Rodriguez.

President Cleveland's Pension Vetoes Overridden In House.

Washington, Jan. 27.—The proceedings of the senate yesterday were varied and interesting. Senator Turpie finished his speech on Cuban recognition by urging the intervention of the United States to stop the war, inasmuch as Spain had been unable to put down the rebellion. The other features of the day were the international monetary conference and the Nicaragua canal.

the first time. Mr. White (Dem., Cal.) and Mr. Cannon (Ind., Utah) and Mr. Daniel (Dem., Va.) urged that the conference would be futile and was not intended as a serious movement toward bimetallism. It was evident, however, that the bill would meet with little opposition, beyond the expression of senators that the conference would accomplish nothing.

Mr. Stewart offered an amendment, providing that, in case the conference failed, the secretary of the treasury shall, within 30 days, begin the free and unlimited coinage of both gold and silver. No final action on the bill was taken. The Nicaragua canal debate was resumed, Mr. Daniel speaking against the measure. Mr. Morgan submitted a letter from President Hitchcock of the Canal company, replying to the recent letter of Minister Rodriguez. Mr. Morgan also offered an amendment designed to meet the objections presented by Mr. Rodriguez.

Hiram Hitchcock, president of the Nicaragua Canal company, has written a letter to Secretary Olney in reply to Senor Rodriguez' statement, which the secretary sent to the senate.

Mr. Hitchcock says that when Senor Rodriguez says the company has forfeited its charter because of neglect to make the surveys as required, "he omits to inform you that the final surveys and location of the canal were made and concluded by a commission of engineers in strict conformity with article 47 of the concession, and were formally accepted by the government of Nicaragua on Oct. 8, 1889."

Mr. Hitchcock also asserts that the company has fully complied with the requirements of the concession that all nations shall be invited to contribute, and also that reserving a certain percentage of the capital stock for the accommodation of residents of Central America who may wish to subscribe. He further says that the company issued the 6 per cent of the stock reserved for Nicaragua on Oct. 31, 1890, but the Nicaraguan government has not yet appointed an agent to receive it. He adds that he has assured Senor Rodriguez in a personal interview that his company would accept no measure that would be unjust to the powers from whom it received the concessions. He says, therefore, that the attitude assumed by the Central American minister is inexplicable. "The letter of the minister," he concludes, "is an attack upon the integrity of the maritime canal company, and its concessions; and on behalf of that company I ask the protection and aid of the government of the United States in the defense and maintenance of its concessionary rights and its property."

The house overrode another of President Cleveland's pension vetoes yesterday by vote of 137-52. The bill pensioned Jonathan Scott of the Sixth Iowa cavalry, who is now living at Oswego, Kan., at the rate of $72 per month. Mr Cleveland vetoed it on the ground that the disability for which the beneficiary was to be pensioned was not contracted in the service. The rest of the day was devoted to a continuance of the bill for Indian appropriations. Only a few amendments were adopted, and those of minor importance. About 25 pages of the bill were covered.

General Craighill to Retire.

Washington, Jan. 27.—General William Price Craighill, chief of engineers, after a most brilliant military and scientific record, will be retired next Monday on his own application, under the 40 years' service law. He might have availed himself of this law nearly four years ago, and has done so now only to avoid a retirement on account of age next July. Of strong health and unimpaired mental force, he aspires to a continuation of active work in the line of his profession, and thus has a prejudice against retirement on account of age which has determined him to forestall such action. The retirement will leave to the president the filling of a most desirable post. It is not yet known upon whom the choice will fall, but the general opinion seems to be that it lies between Colonel J. M. Wilson, now division engineer of the northeast, and superintendent of public buildings and grounds in Washington, and Colonel H. M. Roberts, division engineer at New York. General Craighill stands at the very front of his profession as a military and civil engineer, and his record is one long chapter of meritorious service in connection with some of the most important projects ever undertaken in this country. He was appointed to West Point from Charlestown, W. Va. (then Virginia), and graduated in 1853, second in a class of 52 members. He had as classmates Sheridan, Schofield, McPherson, Sooy Smith and Vincent. He entered the engineer corps immediately upon graduation, and passed through all the grades up to chief of engineers, which office he assumed in May, 1895, succeeding General Casey. During the war he had charge of some of the most important fortifications in the east, including those of the capital itself, while as civil engineer he has had something to do with nearly every one of the great projects for the improvement of the rivers and harbors of the entire country either directly or in an advisory capacity.

Bids For Philadelphia Bonds.

Philadelphia, Jan. 27.—The bids for $2,400,000 of the $6,000,000 Reading subway loan, and the whole of the $6,000,000 Delaware avenue improvement loan, were opened by Mayor Warwick yesterday. Both loans were subscribed for several times over, and, although no official announcement was made as to who would receive the bonds, it is apparent that they will go to Drexel & Co. of this city and Harvey, Fish & Co. of New York.

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THE Record of births in any city or town is always more or less unsatisfactory, owing to the fact that the canvasser finds difficulty in getting the necessary information. Names and dates are frequently given incorrectly. The importance of accuracy is shown in many cases where there is a question of descent, or inheritance of property, or collection of life insurance or pensions. The City Clerk's copy of the record is accepted as conclusive evidence in a court of law. While great pains are taken by this office to have the record correct, experience shows that it is necessary that parents themselves should lend their assistance. In fact the law requires that parents shall give notice to the City Clerk of the birth of their children, and provides a penalty for neglect to give such notice for the space of six months.

It often happens that only children or servants are at home when the canvasser makes his call, and the answers to his questions are open to doubt. I therefore request all parents in whose households a birth has occurred in the year 1896, to place upon a paper or card the required information, and keep it in a convenient place until the canvasser appears.

The canvass will be commenced on Jan. 1st 1897.

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For Latest Local and Vicinity News See Inside Pages.

ATHLETES AND AGASSIZ

Principal Features of President Eliot's Report of Year at Harvard.

George F. Fabyan Endowed Pathological Chair.

Dean Briggs Compares Scholars and Football Players.

Cambridge, Mass., Jan. 28.—President Eliot's annual report contains two very interesting chapters. One deals with athletics and the other is a testimonial to the life and work of Louis Agassiz.

Little space is devoted to the discussion of sports, but the following passage on the overtraining for games, seems to be exactly in accord with the ideas of many Harvard men, who have, for several years, been fighting to eliminate this evil from the training systems. President Eliot says:

The conduct of intercollegiate sports during this year has proved afresh that the management of these sports at Harvard has been for some years intelligent, and, for that reason, unsuccessful. The evils of overtraining and excessive exertion on the part of the members of the principal teams were exhibited in high degree. A fundamental defect in the athletic organization has been that coaches of limited experience, who may be either unobservant or obtuse, can override on the spot the advice of the trainer and physicians. The result is that the principal players of football are almost all more or less injured early in the season, and are then brought into the principal games in a crippled and exhausted condition, while the crew comes to the final race less capable of endurance than they were a month earlier.

The remedies are the subordination of coaches to an expert in training or to a medical adviser, and the general adoption of more reasonable views about all training for athletic sports. It must be perceived and admitted that training which goes beyond pleasurable strenuous exercise is worse than useless, and that so-called sports which require a dull and dreaded routine of hardship and suffering in preparation for a few exciting crises, are not worth what they cost. They prevent even courage and self-sacrifice, because these high qualities are exercised for no adequate end.

Outside of President Eliot's criticism of athletics, perhaps the most striking thing in his report is the glowing tribute which he pays to Louis Agassiz. It is, in part:

It will be 30 years next September since Louis Agassiz was elected professor in Harvard university. The museum he founded in 1859 has developed into an establishment which has cost, for its building, equipment and collections, more than $1,000,000, and possesses, also, an invested endowment of $500,000. All education in the United States and all American science are under the deepest obligations to Agassiz. He introduced here in 184[illegible] the laboratory method of teaching science. Properly combined with lectures, it was the only method now considered satisfactory or even justifiable.

He was endowed by nature with an extraordinary personal influence over friends, neighbors and even casual acquaintances, and, with a prodigious energy in travelling, exploring, collecting and teaching, he aroused new intellectual interests all over the country, raised the popular conception of a man of science, introduced on a great scale improved methods of teaching the sciences dear to him, and gave a new meaning to the word teacher.

President Eliot goes on to point out the need of further extension and endowment of the museum, and the real need of further financial help, on account of the decrease of the endowment funds, in consequence of the universal fall of the rate of interest on investments.

For the first time, it is now known who was the giver of the professorship established in the medical school last July in comparatively pathology. The gift was by George F. Fabyan of Boston, $100,000 being the sum of the endowment.

The report of the college by Dean Briggs states that in the past year three students were suspended for dishonesty in written work and one for lying, and that withdrawal was made by one senior, two juniors, seven sophomores and four freshmen, "all of whom had shown that they belonged elsewhere." Dean Briggs also makes some interesting allusions to dishonesty in college work and the state of college morals. "Students jealously demand to be treated as men," he says, "take advantage of the instructors who treat them so, and then excuse themselves on the ground that, after all, they are only boys."

Speaking of the lack of fame which accrues to the scholar for high work, and the prominence of the athletes, he says: "These scholars lead quiet lives, and cannot aspire to the notoriety of a youth who, before the eyes of 10,000 men and women, breaks his collar bone for his alma mater. The scholar of 20 cannot, and should not, be a great public character; this fruition comes later."

President Eliot points out a curtailment of the income on investments by the decrease of the rate of interests. In 1875 the average rate of income was 7.59 per cent, and this rate has steadily fallen off until that of 1896 was but 4.73 per cent.

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WILLIAMS FACTION LOSES.

Court Refuses to Grant the Injunction Asked For.

Boston, Jan. 28.—A preliminary injunction asked for by the George Fred Williams faction of the Democratic state central committee to restrain certain members of the committee who, it is claimed, were not legally empowered to do so, from taking part in the proposed reorganization of the committee, was refused by Judge Barker in the Suffolk supreme court yesterday.

The matter was brought before the court Tuesday for a hearing and extended over until yesterday when the arguments of counsel were heard. Mr. Pratt, in behalf of the petitioners, argued that the persons chosen by the convention held in Faneuil hall last fall by the faction of the Democratic party which was unable to gain entrance to Music hall, where the convention of the Williams faction was held, were not legally elected under the statutes.

Lawyer Samuel J. Elder, for the respondents, pointed out that while the petition was aimed at certain persons chosen to act in certain capacities, the fact remained that the persons represented by the petitioners had not only not made any objection to the election of four other persons, to wit the delegates at large, but had endorsed their election, which would indicate that the objection of the petitioners is merely to those who do not belong to their faction.

AIR FILLED WITH FRAGMENTS.

Five Track Repairers Instantly Killed by Freight Train.

South Norwalk, Conn., Jan. 28.—Five men, working on the New York, New Haven and Hartford roadbed, in efforts to avoid an approaching express, stepped directly in front of a local freight running in the same direction as the express. Four of them were instantly killed, and the fifth died five minutes after the acicdent.

The dead are:

James Powers of South Norwalk, section foreman, married.

John Griffin of East Norwalk, section hand married.

Michael Spleen, section hand of ——, Italian laborer, name unknown.

The five men were struck simultaneously as they stood grouped together. The air was filled with fragments of human bodies, which were scattered along the tracks as the freight rushed by.

Maine Press Association.

Augusta, Me., Jan. 28.—The Maine Press association held its annual meeting at the state house last night, electing the following officers: President, G. W. Burleigh of Augusta; vice presidents, C. W. Robins of Oldtown, John M. S. Hunter of Farmington, Arthur E. Forbes of South Paris; secretary, Joseph Wood of Portland; treasurer, H. O. Vickery of Augusta; corresponding secretary, J. P. Gilley of Rockland; executive committee, C. B. Burleigh of Augusta, Marshall N. Rich of Portland, John F. Hill of Augusta, Charles B. Haskell of Pittsfield. F. W. Morrill of Gardiner was elected essayist for the annual meeting, with George H. Gilman of Moulton as alternate. C. B. Burleigh of Augusta was elected poet for next year, with C. A. Pillsbury of Belfast as alternate.

New Hampshire Legislature.

Concord, N. H., Jan. 28.—A bill was passed by the legislature yesterday to establish the city of Berlin. Berlin is situated on the Androscoggin river, and has of ate years, become quite a manufacturing place, one of the chief industries being the making of paper. Many committee reports were received, and, before the bills were ordered to a third reading, they were tabled to be printed. The contested Hillsboro election case is being heard before the house committee on elections, and, from present indications, it will not be concluded before tomorrow. The case of Michael O'Malley of Somersworth, whose seat is contested, is also to be investigated by the committee. The act to amend the charter of the city of Somersworth was reported by the committee on judiciary.

State's Case Weakened.

Portland, Me., Jan. 28.—Evidence is all in in the case of George W. Murray, alias "Ullie" Burke, who is on trial here for blowing a safe last September, and who has been identified as a notorious crook. The defense sprang a surprise. They produced a witness who testified that he was the man who got a $5 bill changed in the Cold Storage company's store on the day of the burglary. This witness, whose name is O'Toole, is the double of Murray, the prisoner, and his testimony materially weakened the state's case. Another witness testified he had seen Murray, or a man who looked like him, get off a Boston and Maine freight train the night of the burglary, as Murray claims to have done. The arguments on both sides were made, and the case will be submitted to the jury today.

Connecticut Humane Society.

Hartford, Jan. 28.—At the annual meeting of the Connecticut Humane society yesterday, Gov. Cook was chosen one of the directors. Treasurer Charles W. Cuttter reported the receipts $52,197 and expenditures, apart from the permanent investment fund of $42,171, as $10,026. Reports from two hundred agents in the state record 1150 persons relieved; 3522 animals relieved; 703 animals humanely killed.

Temperance Society Anniversary.

Fall River, Mass., Jan. 28.—The silver anniversary of the Young Men's Irish-American Temperance society was observed last night in Assembly hall. Addresses were made by President L. H. Coyle, Mayor Green and Assistant United States Treasurer J. H. O'Neil of Boston. The latter spoke on the chances of young men, and the necessity of total abstinence.

Won Prize For Sculpture.

Newport, R. I., Jan. 28.—A cablegram was received here from Paris announcing that Henry Anderson of this city had been awarded the Rosencrantz prize for sculpture. Mr. Anderson has also received the Chanler prize for sculpture in Rome.

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RELIEF OF COUNTRY.

McKinley Will Call an Extra Session of Congress.

Tariff Bill to Be Passed Immediately.

Expected to Be In Operation by Beginning of Fiscal Year.

Canton, O., Jan. 28.—More than the usual number of prominent Republicans called on Major McKinley yesterday.

Among them were Chairman Hanna, Colonel John Hay, who was Lincoln's private secretary; Colonel William Osborn of Boston and many others. As usual, these gentlemen were very close mouthed as to what transpired. Chairman Hanna, however, gave out one important item. Speaking in reference to a special session of congress, he said that an extra session would be called March 15.



MARCUS AURELIUS HANNA.

In outlining the work, he said the tariff legislation proposed has been framed by Senator Aldrich and Congressman Dingley. The measure is to be introduced by Mr. Dingley, and, when it comes to the senate, is to be piloted through by Senator Aldrich. Mr. Hanna asserted that the measure will, according to the present program, become a law within 60 days after March 15, and that the tariff schedule will be adjusted to go into operation as soon as possible. He thinks that by the beginning of the fiscal year, July 1, the schedule will be put into effect.

The whole object of the measure is to give speedy relief to the country. The national chairman believes there will not be better times until the new measure is in effect. The law is to embody many of the features of the McKinley bill, but has the primary object of giving more revenue.

Lyman J. Gage, who is said to be slated for the treasury department, arrived late last night, in response to a telegram from the president-elect, asking him to come to Canton.

It is reasonably certain that ex-Governor Long of Massachusetts is sure to be in the cabinet.

Ticket Forgers Indicted.

Chicago, Jan. 28.—The grand jury yesterday indicted, on complaint of the officials of the Baltimore and Ohio railroad, the following named men, who are accused of forgery: William Burns, Charles F. Stout, James Marn, C. J. Winkler, Victor E. Cunningham, E. H. Nemeyer, Charles Daugherty, William O'Rourke, James Colan, Archie Nahan, George Cochran and D. Flaherty. The men under indictment are alleged to have forged tickets on the Baltimore and Ohio railroad. The officials who appeared before the grand ury had $4000 worth of forged tickets with them and the plates and dies from which they were printed. These tickets were sold to scalpers, it is said, and hundreds of them were used before the counterfeit was discovered. The forgery was very clever, and was defeated only after the closest scrutiny by experts.

Bleicher Held.

Lawrence, Mass., Jan. 28.—William Bleicher has been held in $5000 bonds for a hearing Saturday, on the charge of assault with intent to kill upon his wife, Francesca, last Saturday. Bleicher attempted to kill his wife, and then put five shots into himself, in an attempt to commit suicide.

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STATE HOUSE, BOSTON, Jan. 26, 1897.

THE COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION will give a hearing to parties interested in the subject of compulsory supervision for the public schools throughout the Commonwealth, at Room No. 441, State House, on TUESDAY, Feb. 2, at 10 o'clock A. M.

ALFRED S. ROE, Chairman.
ALMAN E. HALL,
Clerk of the Committee. 28-3t

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

STATE HOUSE, BOSTON, Jan. 26, 1897.

THE COMMITTEE ON THE JUDICIARY will give a hearing to parties interested in the petition for repeal of law, as to expenditures by petitioners to the Legislature (H. No. 148) and a petition as to personal liability of members of parishes, (H. No. 162.) at Room No. 254, State House, on FRIDAY, Jan. 29, 1897, at 10.30 o'clock A. M.

JAMES J. MYERS, Chairman.
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Two Weeks' Temperature.

	This Week.	Last Week
Sunday	25	37
Monday	11	45
Tuesday	35	10
Wednesday	35	22
Thursday	27	45
Friday	—	40
Saturday	—	38

TODAY'S STORM.

The Toughest of the Winter and Still Snowing.

The storm today is, without doubt, the most severe of any this winter. It began to snow Wednesday evening. At that time the wind was not strong, but as the night wore on it increased in velocity and with the increase in wind came an increase of snow.

The snow is of the damp kind that is blown in drifts, which is packed solid, so much so that it is hard work for the snow plows to move it.

Commissioner Knowlton had his plows out early but they were of but little use, for as fast as the sidewalks were cleared they filled up again immediately.

The street railway is having a hard time and although they had their big plows out nearly all night, and all the morning, they have not been successful in running cars with anything like regularity, although there have been some few cars on the Point line.

The other lines are completely blocked, but Superintendent Weeks has a large gang of men at work and as soon as the wind abates the tracks will be cleared quickly.

The steam railroad trains are all from fifteen to thirty minutes late and the trains from the Cape and over the South Shore are even later.

The clerks in the stores are having a quiet time of it today, for the customers are very few and far between, for no one unless absolutely obliged to would be out today.

Most of the young ladies at City Hall braved the elements and reported for duty, but it is safe to say that if they went home to lunch they will remain there.

The no-school signal was sounded at 7.30 this morning and again at 11.30. It is doubtful even if the signal had not sounded if there would have been many pupils.

The Morrell Case.

The special committee of the Legislature, which heard the question of jurisdiction in the matter of impeachment of Melville P. Morrell, the Norfolk county commissioner, offered an order in the House, Wednesday, requesting an opinion of the supreme court on the question:

"Is a county commissioner an officer of the Commonwealth within the meaning of the constitution and is a county commissioner subject to the impeachment process provided by the constitution?"

The committee submitted a report that it had heard all persons who desired to be heard on the question whether the house has jurisdiction and after consideration the committee is of the unanimous opinion that in view of the interests concerned the far-reaching effect and great importance of the precedent to be established, such an important question of law is involved that it is the duty of the house to require the opinion of the supreme court upon it.

The order was adopted.

Democrats Organize.

The Democratic City Committee met in the Ward room at City Hall Wednesday evening and organized with these officers:

President,—William B. Orcutt.
Vice President,—Fred F. Green.
Secretary,—George D. Cahill.
Treasurer,—Michael T. Sullivan.

The committee voted to request Mayor Adams to employ citizens of Quincy on public works, including the sewer, and as far as possible to purchase material from the business men of Quincy.

$100 Reward $100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers, that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

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Ye society over which ye preacher Methuselah Harpsikord Turk presides in ye Point village of ye olde towne of Quincy gave an olde folks sing at ye Point meeting house Wednesday night, which was attended by many of ye dames and menne folks from ye centre village, as well as many from ye towne of Braintry, Old Spain and ye villages on ye Monatiquot.

At a little after 8 by ye clock ye chorus of thirty voices under ye leadership of Ichabod Battling Pollard marched down ye broad aisle and took seats on ye raised platform at ye south end of ye church, near ye bigge wind instrument. Ye dames were gowned in ye costume of their grande dames and ye menne singers in ye costume of ye grand sires.

Ye chorus was an unusually strong one and they entered into ye spirit of ye evening with olde time vigor. Ye band from Braintry, Monatiquot and Wollaston encouraged ye singers to do their best. This band was made up of ye Harpsikord, ye small fiddle, ye bigge fiddle, ye horn and ye clarion.

Ye programme was a varied one ye numbers sung by ye chorus being all sacred tunes called "Rainbow," "Northfield," "David's Lamentation," "Turner," "Complaint," "Strike the Cymbal," "Iuvitation," "Before Jehovah's Awful Throne," "Majesty," "Anthem for Easter," "Sherburne," "Cambridge," "Anvil Chorus" and "Auld Lang Syne."

Ye double four they did sing two times. Ye first being "On Jordan's Stormy Banks" and ye second being "Home Again," while ye single four sung "Cousin Jedediah."

Besides ye sacred tunes there were two worldlie songs, one by Mistress Experience Drake who sang that familiar southern melody "Old Folks at Home," which was greatly enjoyed, as was also ye worldlie song by Thankful Desire Isaac.

Ye hit of ye evening was ye reading by Mehitable Makepeace Raycroft who read of "Josiah's Exertion."

Ye general manager of ye concert was Abimelech Uriah Wight to whom much credit is due.

To return to the language of our present generation the concert was a grand success. The chorus was strong and the walls of the church resounded with the songs our ancestors sung.

Of the two solos by Mrs. Drake and Miss Isaac, whose voices are two well known to Quincy audiences to need comment, it may be said that they sustained their well known reputation.

Of the quartette and double quartette but little need be said, other than they were excellently executed especially the selection "Home Again," which was beautiful.

The selection read by Miss Raycroft was of a mirth provoking nature and was greatly enjoyed, and all would have been glad to have heard her again.

The last number on the long programme was "Auld Lang Syne," in which the audience joined the chorus.

Candle Pin Games.

Seven games in the candle pin league were rolled Wednesday evening; the game on the Quincy alleys between Columbias and the Quincys was won by Columbia by a score of 1233 to 1184.

Quincy won the first string by 19 pins. In the second string Columbia won by 53 pins giving them a lead of 34 pins. Columbia also won the third string by 15 pins giving them a total lead of 49 pins.

The full score of the Columbia-Quincy game was as follows:

COLUMBIA.

Bowlers.	1	2	3	Totals.
Floyd,	78	94	72	244
Hitchcock,	69	70	87	226
Roake,	86	93	88	267
Rich,	77	85	71	233
Towle,	74	89	100	263
Team totals,	384	431	418	1233

QUINCY.

Sanborn,	84	63	93	240
Cavanagh,	77	71	76	224
Garbutt,	72	82	76	230
Freeman,	86	82	81	249
Costello,	84	89	77	241
Team totals,	403	378	403	1184

The result of the other games was as follows:

McCarthys 1359, Prospects 1234.
Carruths 1222, Jamesons 1203.
Meyers 1278, Lenoxs 1214.
St. James 1277, South Bostons 1245.
Jeffersons 1249, Hubs 1222.
Centrals 1327, Murray & Irwins 1222.

TODAY'S COURT.

John Wren was arraigned for drunkenness at Quincy. Case continued until March 1.

William Bucham was arraigned for drunkenness at Quincy. Case continued one month.

—John Kelley of Braintree was on Wednesday elected president of the Marble Dealers Association of New England. The meeting was at the American House, Boston, and was followed by a banquet.

GENTLEMEN'S NIGHT.

Brilliant Reception by the Daughters of the Revolution.

One of the most social and enjoyable occasions in this city for some time was gentlemen's night of Abigail Adams chapter, Daughters of the Revolution at The Greenleaf last evening from 8 to 10.

The pretty parlors were decorated with red, white and blue. Mrs. Titus, the regent, was assisted in receiving by the officers of the chapter, and Miss Hunt, the vice regent of Massachusetts. The ushers were: Miss Houghton, Miss Pierce, Miss Nightingale and Miss Wild.

Much of the pleasure of the evening is due to Mrs. A. H. Gilson, who had many of the arrangements in charge. There was a delightful impromptu musicale, including piano solos by Prof. Frank Gilbert and Miss Butler, and vocal numbers by Miss Key formerly of Wollaston, Mrs. Cummings of Atlantic, Miss Alice Coe of Atlantic, and Mr. Walter Hersey of Quincy.

Light refreshments were served in a room adjoining the parlor. The table decorations included candlebras in red, white and blue, flowers, flags, etc. Chocolate and coffee were poured by Mrs. Eugene Dyer and Mrs. Henry M. Faxon.

Among those present were:

Dr. and Mrs. Ruddick.
Mrs. William Lee, Brookline.
Mrs. Emma Foster, Boston.
Miss Sarah E. Hunt, Salem, the State Vice Regent.
Mr. Goodell, Salem.
Miss Carrie E. Small.
Miss Mary J. Pratt, Braintree.
Mrs. William Porter, Randolph.
Miss Ida H. Adams, Roslindale.
Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Simmons,
Miss Simmons,
Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Stetson,
Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Coe,
Miss Coe,
Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Sheppard,
Mr. and Mrs. F. Eugene Dyer,
Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Cummings,
Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Fenno,
Mrs. E. Fred Carr,
Mr. Henry H. Faxon,
Mrs. H. M. Faxon,
Mr. Horace E. Spear,
Miss Lottie M. Spear,
Miss Flora Howe,
Mrs. Benjamin Dyer,
Prof. F. Wrigley,
Prof. Frank Gilbert,
Miss Ellen Hersey,
Mrs. Andrew W. Dunbar,
Miss C. L. Bliss,
Miss Butler.
Mr. and Mrs. Frank F. Prescott.
Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Redman.
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Mr. George Wendell.
Mr. Walter Hersey.
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Miss Annie Nightingale.
Miss Mary Nightingale.
Miss Mary F. Lawton.
Mr. and Mrs. Perry Lawton.
Miss Prescott.
Miss Annie Prescott.
Miss Marie Houghton.
Hon. and Mrs. Henry A. Belcher.
Mrs. E. G. Pratt.
Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Gilson.
Mrs. Frank Brewer.
Miss Minnie Whiting.
Miss Emmie Wild.
Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Bailey.

Just to Brag About.

"Greater Boston" merely means a great city in population to brag about. We fail to see where it would be good and valuable in any other way, and it would take away the idea and the benefit of close home rule.—Brockton Enterprise.

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DIED.

HARDWICK—In Quincy, Jan. 28, Mrs. Theodosia O., wife of Mr. Franklin Hardwick of Spear street, aged 67 years and 25 days.
HOWE—In East Milton, Jan. 25, Mr. Jonathan Howe, aged 83 years.
GRAY—In Holbrook, Jan. 25, Mrs. Sarah Burr, wife of Mr. William Gray, aged 69 years, 8 months and 12 days.
O'BRIEN—In Hingham Jan. 27, Francis M., only child of Mr. Mortimer and Mrs. Emma O'Brien of Hingham, formerly of Quincy, aged 5 years, 2 months, 20 days.

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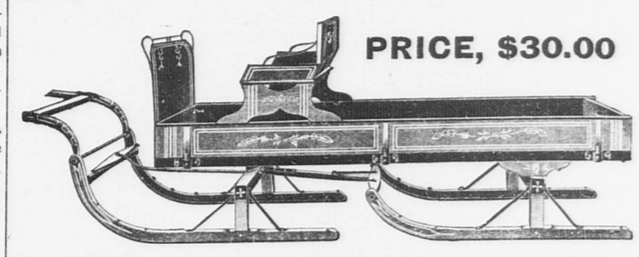
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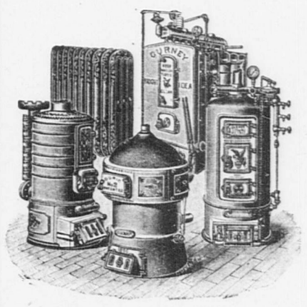
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Quincy, Jan. 1.

NOTICE TO PARENTS.

CITY OF QUINCY.

CITY CLERK'S OFFICE, Dec. 14, 1896.

THE Record of births in any city or town is always more or less unsatisfactory, owing to the fact that the canvasser finds difficulty in getting the necessary information. Names and dates are frequently given incorrectly. The importance of accuracy is shown in many cases where there is a question of descent, or inheritance of property, or collection of life insurance or pensions. The City Clerk's copy of the record is accepted as conclusive evidence in a court of law. While great pains are taken by this office to have the record correct, experience shows that it is necessary that parents themselves should lend their assistance. In fact the law requires that parents shall give notice to the City Clerk of the birth of their children, and provides a penalty for neglect to give such notice for the space of six months.

It often happens that only children or servants are at home when the canvasser makes his call, and the answers to his questions are open to doubt. I therefore request all parents in whose households a birth has occurred in the year 1896, to place upon a paper or card the required information, and keep it in a convenient place until the canvasser appears.

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1 doz. or less Extra Sweet Marrowfat Peas (W. K. L.) when sold with 1 lb. Tea, 7½c. per can.

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1 doz. or less (W. K. L.) Blueberries, regular price 12c. to 15c each; our price when sold with 1 lb. of Tea, 7½c. per can.

The above are all standard, high grade goods. We also have Strawberries, Pine Apple and other goods; also lower grades of all kinds which we will sell **Below Cost with 1 lb. of Tea.**

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Star Tea and Coffee Store, 2 Faxon's Block, Quincy.

COLD SNAPS.

Valuable Nuggets of News Contracted by the Weather.

To be Thawed Out This Evening at the Fireside.

Mercury the Messenger from all Parts of the City.

Snow.

Sleighing.

A wintry day.

It was a tough storm.

No school today because of the storm.

Friday will be pay day for the school teachers.

Eaton Bros. have filled three of their houses with ice.

It will be an unfavorable night for the entertainments arranged.

A hearing on county laws held at the State House this morning.

The electric cars are struggling today, and trains on the railroad are also late.

Friday morning the sun will rise at seven o'clock, and next Tuesday the sun will set at five o'clock.

Owing to the severe storm Postmaster Burke did not have his carriers make the afternoon delivery.

Today's snow is the kind that sticks and it does not take long to make a man resemble a snow man.

Philedian Senate, K. A. E. O., will hold an important meeting tonight. Every member should attend.

Henry H. Faxon was on Tuesday elected one of the vice presidents of the Massachusetts Total Abstinence Society.

At the Granite City club last evening there was a full house and the prizes were taken by Miss Nellie F. Nightingale and Henry F. Tilden.

The Crystal Spring Ice Co. have from ten to twelve inches of handsome ice on their pond and expect to commence housing their crop Monday.

"The same old story," Dr. W. G. Kendall's angora cat "Cooney" has been awarded first prize at the cat show now in progress at Mechanics Hall, Boston.

No Quincy wills were allowed at the probate court in Hyde Park on Wednesday, and the only administration was on the estate of Patrick Donnelly to J. F. Merrill.

The City Council will meet again on Monday evening. Some of the committees should be ready to report, and it may be the first real business meeting of the year.

L. M. Pratt & Co. were omitted from the list of telephone subscribers furnished to the LEDGER yesterday, but they could not get along without a telephone now. Their number is 39-3.

Owing to the inclement state of the weather, the entertainment that was to be given by the Juvenile Templars in Wollaston this evening has been postponed until Saturday, January 30.

Mr. Mark Myatte, one of our local expressmen, left yesterday for Tracadia, Nova Scotia, the home of his boyhood days, where he will make an extended visit with friends and relatives.

Death entered the home of Dea. Franklin Hardwick of Spear street today and removed his partner for life, an estimable lady of 67 years. She had been in poor health of late, but a week or more ago inflammation on of the lungs set in.

Russell park, off Hancock street, seems to have jumped into instant favor when opened up for building purposes. There, houses are underway for Miss Elsie Russell, Dr. John H. Gilbert and Charles H. Burgess, and Joseph W. Johnson and others will build in the spring.

The second night of "Capt. Jack" by the St. John's society was very satisfactory from every point of view. A good audience was present, and every commendable point was liberally applauded. The piece will be played tonight, to be followed by a dance.

Q. Y. C. Annual.

The call for the annual meeting of the Quincy Yacht club issued today proposes several changes in bylaws but none which will cause much comment. One provides for the appointment of a fleet captain and authorizes the selection of a flag. Another, that the Vice Commodore and Secretary as well as the Commodore shall be on the regatta committee. Other amendments relate to appropriations of money.

The treasurer's report shows the expenses of the year to have been $2,151.51, including $820.12 for remodelling of club house. The receipts including a loan of $600 were $2154.19, leaving cash on hand $2.68. The largest items of expenses were for cash prizes, catering, janitor, supplies, and printing, postage and stationery.

The annual report of the Executive committee says the past season's work from a yachtsman's standpoint has more than justified the sanguine expectations. It is reviewed at length.

The House committee also makes a report, and asks for a fixed appropriation.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY

Take laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. 25c

CENTENIAL OF INAUGURATION.



John Adams.

Quincy will be honored by the passage of the order introduced in the Massachusetts Senate on Wednesday, for President John Adams was born in Quincy, made his home here, and his remains lie here. The order is self explanatory and reads:

"Whereas, on March 4, 1897, there will be a change in the administration of the United States, one chief executive of seventy millions of people being followed by another, and as that date will be the centennial of the inauguration of John Adams of Massachusetts as second president of the United States, therefore to the end that the children of the Commonwealth may appreciate the magnitude of the events occurring and commemorated,—Resolved, that the governor of the Commonwealth be authorized and requested to issue a proclamation recommending to the public school teachers of Massachusetts, by appropriate exercises in their schools commemorative of said events, to endeavor to impress upon their pupils the significance of presidential inaugurations and the importance of the part sustained by the Commonwealth in American history."

The order was offered by Senator Roe of Worcester and was referred to the Committee on Education.

John Adams was the first President inaugurated on March 4, the date on which all Presidential inaugurations are now held, except when it falls on Sunday, or to fill vacancies. March 4 next will not only be the centennial of the inauguration of John Adams but the 72d anniversary of the inauguration of John Quincy Adams, also of Quincy, as the sixth President.

Whether the Legislation passes the order or not, the public schools of the "City of Presidents" may well observe the day on the lines indicated.

Corrupt Expenditures

Senator Dallinger of Middlesex continues to fight for purer government. In the Legislature today he introduced a bill which provides in substance that if 25 owners of real estate in any town, city or county shall present to any justice of the superior court of that county a petition sworn to and subscribed by themselves, that they believe that moneys have been unlawfully or corruptly expended, and that they desire an investigation to be made, it shall be the duty of such justice, upon 10 days' notice to the treasurer of such town, city or county, and to the selectmen of a town, or mayor of a city, or the board of county commissioners, as the case may be, to make a summary investigation; and, in his discretion, such justice may appoint experts to prosecute such investigation and he may cause the results to be published in such manner as he may deem proper.

Refusal to obey any order of said justice may be treated as contempt. The cost incurred may be taxed by said justice, and shall be paid, upon his order to the treasurer of the county or municipality whose expenditures may have been investigated.

Obituary.

Mr. John S. Souther, a native of Quincy and a brother of the late George Souther, buried his wife last week at Vallejo, California. She had been sick for several weeks; but her death, on the 19th instant, was due to a shock of paralysis.

The Vallejo Chronicle says: "Mrs. Souther has been a resident of Vallejo, with a few years of intermission, for thirty years. She was a woman well known for nobility of character and for her human kindness. Whenever there was suffering to be alleviated, comfort to be bestowed, or sympathy to be given, Mrs. Souther was always ready. She was a devout Christian and lived up to the teachings of her faith. Her death is a severe blow to her family and a great loss to her many friends."

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TO THE PATRONS OF THE Wollaston Steam Laundry

January 16, 1897.

In calling your attention to the fact that Mr. Geo. H. Sampson of Amesbury, Mass., has leased the Wollaston Steam Laundry, and will conduct the same on his own account on and after the 18th inst., I would thank you for past patronage, and bespeak a continuance of the same for Mr. Sampson, who is a thorough laundryman, with a reputation for turning out high grade work.

HORACE P. KENT.

Jan. 16. 2w

I. O. G. T. Anniversary.

Good Templars to the number of two hundred assembled Tuesday evening in Old Fellows' hall, Wollaston, at the first anniversary of Wollaston Lodge, No. 237, I. O. G. T.

The special guests of the evening were the officers of the Grand Lodge, the officers of the district lodge, the officers and members of Fraternal lodge of Brockton; also the officers of the following subordinate lodges:—Merrymount of South Quincy, Klippan of Quincy, Faxon of Atlantic, Monatiquot of East Braintree, Belcher of East Milton, Loyal of Milton.

After the regular business the following pleasing and interesting programme was presented:

Piano solo, Miss Mabel Winship.
Song, Mr. Gustaf Livendal.
Selection, Klippan Quartette.
Reading, Miss Annie Lynch, D. S.
Song, Mr. A. Ferrand.
Song, Miss Lizzie Blair Olive.
Reading, Mr. W. Chase.
Song, Mr. Gustaf Livendal.

Remarks were made by Joseph A. Fancy, G. C. T., P. J. Chisholm, D. C. T., I. F. McLeod, C. T., also by the visiting Chief Templars. At the close of the programme a vote of thanks was given by the visitors, to the committees in charge and to Wollaston lodge, for the evening's enjoyment. All then adjourned to the banquet hall where a plentiful supply of refreshments were in readiness. These having received due attention the guests departed, expressing their satisfaction with the evening's entertainment and a desire to be present on many such occasions.

Celebrated Golden Wedding.

Newport, N. H., Jan. 28.—The 50th anniversary of the wedding of Hon. Dexter Richards and Mrs. Richards was elaborately celebrated last night. Five hundred invitations had been sent out, and a host of friends and relatives were present. A special train from Concord and Claremont brought a large crowd of Mr. Richards' political friends and their families. Governor Ransdell and staff and many members of the legislature were among the guests. The chief event of the evening was the presentation of a citizens' testimonial, which consisted of an address inclosed in a handsome golden box.

Marble Dealers Elect President.

Boston, Jan. 28.—The eighth annual convention of the retail and wholesale marble dealers of New England and the maritime provinces was held at the American House, this city, yesterday. Newport, R. I., Hartford, Portsmouth, N. H., Fredericton, N. B., Rutland, Vt., Concord, N. H., Biddeford, Me., Portland and other places were represented. At the business meeting, President George B. Morrison of Biddeford was in the chair. The following officers were elected: President, J. Kelley, Braintree; secretary and treasurer, William A. Somers, Boston.

Torpedo Boat No. 6.

Newport, R. I., Jan. 28.—The new torpedo boat No. 6 had an unofficial trial yesterday over a measured course, a nautical mile long, from Sands Point to Fort Adams, and attained a speed of 27 knots an hour. The boat carried an overweight of 10 tons, and, with this out, it is thought that she will exceed her contract speed of 27½ knots by fully a knot, if not more. The official government trial will take place some day next week. There will be no bonus to the builders for excess speed.

Australia has no rivers of any consequence. The interior of this vast continent is almost destitute of water.

Rippe a Disturber.

New Haven, Jan. 28.—Yesterday afternoon Kipple, the alleged wife murderer, who is on trial, created another scene in the court room and this time he became so violent that the court proceedings had to be suspended. Without warning, Kipple jumped from his chair, threw his feet over the top of the witness box, on to the stenographer's table, scattering pen, ink, notes, etc., and pushing the table some feet. The prisoner was cursing wildly, and it became necessary to remove him, fighting like a madman, to the lockup down stairs. At this point, Mrs. Annie Calhoun, a sister of Kipple, began to scream, and she was ordered removed by the judge. The jury was excused, and it was 10 minutes before the proceedings were resumed.

Murderer Palmer Caught.

St. Louis, Jan. 28.—Arthur Palmer of New York was arrested at the Planters' hotel yesterday. He is a handsome, well-dressed man, of 45 years of age, and had been at the hotel a week, registered under the name of Paul Jones. The arrest was made by request of Sheriff Johnson of West Chester county, N. Y., who said Palmer murdered his mother, brother and sister about nine days ago and fled.

Will Move Shoe Factory.

Brockton, Mass., Jan. 28.—T. D. Barry, who closed down his shoe factory yesterday, owing to differences with the Shoemakers' union, went to North Easton, and, upon his return, reported that he had hired a factory in that town. Mr. Barry claims that the owners of the North Easton factory had offered to move all his machinery, besides putting an addition to the building.

Death of Emerson Coleman.

New York, Jan. 28.—Emerson Coleman died at his home in this city Tuesday of pneumonia, after a short illness. He was born in Southampton, Mass. For some time he lived in Columbia, S. C. Then he came to this city, and, with Richard Caldwell, formed the firm of Caldwell & Coleman, one of the leading houses in the cotton trade before the war.

The man who eats because he is hungry is thus far, on a level with the brutes. The man who stops eating the moment his hunger is appeased is the wise man. Nature needs no more food than she calls for. Continued excess brings about indigestion or dyspepsia, with loss of flesh, strength, sleep, ambition and mental power, and an accumulation of aches, pains and many dangerous local maladies.

The stomach *now* can do nothing alone. We must appeal to some artificially digested food which can also digest other foods. That is to say, we must use the Shaker Digestive Cordial. The effect is prompt and cheering. The chronic pain and distress ceases. Appetite presently revives. Flesh and vigor gradually comes back, and the sufferer recovers. But he must be careful in future. A trial bottle for 10 cents.

Laxol is the best medicine for children. Doctors recommend it in place of Castor Oil.

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Mr. F. C. Platt of 43 Austin street has been a resident of Worcester for 40 years. He served in the U. S. navy, and has also been a boss painter in the Bradley car shops. He recently made the following statement:

"For nine months past I have suffered with what doctors call a low grade of inflammation of the bowels. It commenced in my stomach, and for more than six weeks I passed quantities of blood. If I caught cold or ate anything that did not agree with me, I was forced to leave my work, completely knocked out. I would go home and to bed and could not get warm, no matter how many clothes were piled on me. I ran down from 175 to 153 pounds. Doctors afforded me no relief whatever. At last, my wife, noticing the Puritana advertisements in the papers, consulted friends and was advised to try it. I began using it and can truthfully say it is the only thing that ever touched my case. From the start, almost, I began to feel relief, and said to my wife: 'We have a good thing here!' I cheerfully give my testimony in the hope that others may benefit from the use of this wonderful discovery."

(Signed) F. C. PLATT.
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It cures from head to foot.

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LOST.

LOST—On 10-10 A. M. train from Quincy Adams to Boston, on Saturday, Jan. 16, a lady's Muff. The finder will be rewarded by leaving same at HENRY McGRATH'S. South Quincy, Jan. 18. tf

FOUND.

FOUND—A nice Bull Dog, which the owner can have on paying charges, by calling at 61 Quincy street, between 5 and 6 o'clock P. M.

Quincy, Jan. 28, 3t

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FOR SALE—A Goddard Buggy and Harness, at 22 School street.

Quincy, Jan. 25. 18t

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Jan. 19—1y

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Jan. 18. 12t

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On and after Friday, Jan. 1, 1897, cars will make trips on week days as follows:

Quincy and Neponset.

Leave CITY HALL for Neponset—6.00 A. M., 6.15, 6.30, 6.45, 7.00, and every 15, 30, 45 and 60 minutes past the hour until 7.00 P. M., then every half hour until 10.50 P. M. Cars leaving Quincy on the hour via. Norfolk Downs, except 6.00 P. M.

Leave NEPONSET—6.22 A. M., 6.37, 6.52, 7.07, 7.22, and every 7, 22, 37 and 52 minutes past the hour until 7.00 o'clock, then every half hour until 11 P. M.; last car for Quincy at 11.15 P. M. Cars leaving Neponset 22 minutes past the hour via. Norfolk Downs.

Quincy and East Weymouth.

Leave CITY HALL (10 minutes later from Quincy Point and 22 minutes later from North Weymouth)—5.45, 6.20, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, 11.20, 11.50 A. M.; 12.20, 12.50, 1.20, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20 4.50 5.20 (5.30 to East Weymouth car house), 5.50, 6.20, 6.30, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.50 P. M.

Leave EAST WEYMOUTH (20 minutes later from North Weymouth and 30 minutes later from Quincy Point)—6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11, 11.30 A. M.; 12, 12.30, 1, 1.30, 2, 2.30, 3, 3.30, 4, 4.30, 5, 5.30, 6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11.30 P. M.

Quincy and East Milton.

Leave CITY HALL, 5.55, 6.25, then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 55 P. M., then at 9.50 and 10.50 P. M.

Leave EAST MILTON, 6.30, 7.00 A. M., then on the hour and half hour until 9.30 P.M., then at 10.20 and 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and Holbrook.

Leave QUINCY for SOUTH BRAINTREE and HOLBROOK at 6.10 and 6.40 A. M., and every 10 minutes past and 20 minutes of the hour until 10.10 P. M. Last car leaves at 10.50 P. M. On Saturdays the last car leaves Quincy at 11.50 P. M.

Returning cars leave HOLBROOK for SOUTH BRAINTREE and QUINCY at 5.55 and 6.25 A. M., and every 25 minutes past and 5 minutes of the hour until 9.55 P.M. Last car leaves Holbrook at 11.30 P. M.

☞ On Sundays on the Weymouth route cars will leave Quincy on the hour and half hour and East Weymouth at quarter past and quarter of the hour.

☞ Special trips can be arranged on application to the Superintendent.

☞ At Quincy Centre close connection is made with Electric Cars on all the routes.

☞ At Neponset close connection is made with West End Street Cars to and from Boston.

☞ Cars are due at Beale street, Wollaston, ten minutes after leaving Neponset and seven minutes after leaving Quincy.

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TO BOSTON. Leave Quincy.	Stops at	Arrive Boston.	FROM BOSTON. Leave Boston.	Stops at	Arrive Quincy
r 6 12 abc	*	6 30	5 53 ihgfedcba*		6 20 r
r 6 42 abc		7 00	6 30 cba		6 49 r
r 7 12 abc		7 30	7 30 cba		7 49 r
7 29 a		7 48	8 30 cba		8 49 r
r 7 42 abc		8 00	9 30 cba		9 49 r
r 8 12 abc		8 30	10 30 cba		10 49 r
8 29 a		8 45	11 30 cba		11 49 r
r 8 42 abc		9 00	12 00 (xx)		12 15
r 9 12 abc		9 30	12 30 cba		12 49 r
r 10 12 abc		10 30	1 30 cba		1 49 r
r 11 12 abc		11 30	2 30 cba		2 49 r
r 12 12 abc		12 30	3 30 cba		3 49 r
r 1 12 abc		1 30	4 30 cba		4 49 r
1 46 (xx)		2 00	5 00 cba		5 19 r
r 2 12 abc		2 30	5 15 a		5 32
r 3 12 abc		3 30	5 30 cba		5 49 r
r 4 12 abc		4 30	6 00 cba		6 19 r
r 5 12 abc		5 30	6 15 a		6 32
r 6 12 abc		6 30	6 30 cba		6 49 r
r 7 12 abc		7 30	7 00 cba		7 19 r
r 7 41 abcdefghi		8 07	7 30 cba		7 49 r
r 8 08 abcdef		8 30	8 30 fedcba		8 53 r
r 9 12 abc		9 30	9 30 cba		9 49 r
r 10 08 abcdef		10 30	10 30 fedcba		10 53 r
r 10 34 abcdefghi		11 08	11 00 ihgfedcba		11 27 r
r 11 12 abc		11 30	11 30 cba		11 49 r

SUNDAYS.

6 38 abcdef		7 00	4 05 fda		4 23
8 46 (xx)		9 00	7 30 fedcba		7 53 r
r 9 12 abc		9 30	8 30 (xx)		8 45
r 12 16 (xx)		12 30	9 30 ihgfedcba		9 57 r
1 07 abc		1 25	10 30 ihgfedcba		10 57 r
2 16 (xx)		2 30	11 30 (xx)		11 45
r 3 04 abcdefghi		3 30	12 35 cba		12 54
r 4 04 abcdefghi		4 30	1 30 (xx)		1 45
5 16 (xx)		5 30	4 30 cba		4 49 r
r 6 08 abcdef		6 30	5 00 (xx)		5 15
r 9 08 abcdef		9 30	7 00 fedcba		7 23 r
9 38 adf		9 55	10 30 fedcba		10 53 r

*The letters in the same line as the figures stand for different stations and indicate that trains stop, as follows:

a, Wollaston. g, Savin Hill.
b, Norfolk Downs h, Crescent Avenue.
c, Atlantic. i, South Boston.
d, Neponset.
e, Pope's Hill. r, Quincy Adams.
f, Harrison Square. (xx), Express.

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Stephen Pierce, corner of Hancock and School streets.
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BREWER'S CORNER—Emma Lark, Copeland Street.
WOLLASTON—Ross' news stand and carriers.
NORFOLK DOWNS—Branscheid & Martens and their carriers.
ATLANTIC—Brancheid & Martens News Agency and their carriers.
QUINCY POINT—Miss Freeman's store.
SOUTH QUINCY—Peter Haverly, Water street.
F. J. Pierson, 96 Granite street.
O. D. Chick, 59 Liberty street.
EAST MILTON—William Clark's periodical store and his carriers.
EAST WEYMOUTH—George H. Hunt.
WEYMOUTH LANDING—W. E. Cunningham.
NO. WEYMOUTH—B. F. Thomas.

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MOON'S PHASES.

New Moon	3	1:03 a.m.	Full Moon	18	8:17 p.m.
First Quarter	10	4:46 p.m.	Third Quarter	25	3:08 p.m.

THE WEATHER INDICATIONS.

ALMANAC, THURSDAY, JAN. 28.

Sun rises—7:01; sun sets, 4:54.
Length of day—9h. 53m.
Moon rises—3:42 a. m.
Full sea—7 a. m., 7:45 p. m.

Forecast for New England: Threatening weather and snow; increasing northerly winds, probably high off the southeast coast; colder tonight.

He Flunked.

'Twas in a current magazine,
A poem greatly named.
It filled a double picture page
And by a poet famed.
I read it once, I read it twice,
Then paced for hours the floor,
But on my life I understood
Just two lines—nothing more.
The critics said: "Pooh, you're a fool.
That's by our greatest bard."
In sheer despair I went at last
And rang the poet's bell.
"For heaven's sake," I gasped, "my friend,
What can this mean, pray tell?"
He took it, read it, studied long.
"I don't know," cried the prince;
"I knew well when I wrote it, sir,
But I've forgotten since."
—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

The Lot.



Husband—Well, what do you know about politics anyway?

Wife—I know a lot.

Husband—A vacant lot, I suppose.—Brooklyn Life.

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NEW PLAN FOR CANAL.

United States Could Build It Without Private Concession.

Sherman Declares It to Be the Only Feasible Scheme.

Conference Report on Immigration Bill Adopted by House.

Washington, Jan. 28.—The Nicaragua canal debate came to a head yesterday rather unexpectedly. At times the discussion was quite heated and the senators became deeply interested.

During the debate Senator Sherman foreshadowed a new treaty, by which the United States could build the canal without the intermediation of a private concession. The senator declared that this governmental execution of the project was the only feasible one, and that all private efforts in that direction had proved failures. Answering Mr. Morgan's recent charges, that England inspired opposition to American control of the canal, Mr. Sherman asserted that this was a "bugaboo," wholly without foundation. He added a handsome tribute to England and her institutions.

Mr. Vilas followed with a motion to recommit the canal bill to the committee on foreign relations, a step which Mr. Morgan characterized as an insult. The motion was changed, so as to make the recommittal to the special committee of which Mr. Morgan is chairman. The senate adjourned before a vote was taken, and the Vilas motion to recommit is pending. The military academy appropriation bill, carrying, approximately $479,000, was passed, after the defeat of the amendment for participation of the West Point cadets in the inauguration ceremony. The amendment led to a sharp controversy between Mr. Allen of Nebraska and Mr. Gray of Delaware. The bill for an international monetary conference was not reported during the day.

The house, after a debate of four hours, adopted the conference report on the immigration bill, by a vote of 131 to 118. The principal criticism of the measure agreed on by the conferees in the debate was based upon the extension of the education test to female as well as male immigrants, on the ground that it might divide families, and to the limitation of the ability of an immigrant to read and write the "English language or the language of their native country or residences."

Speeches were made by Messrs. Buck (Dem., La.), Dolliver (Rep., Ia.), Bartholdt (Rep., Me.), Barker (Rep., N. J.), Walker (Rep., Mass.), Cannon (Rep., Ills.), Grosvenor (Rep., O.), Hepburn (Rep., Ia.), W. A. Stone (Rep., Pa.), Johnson (Rep., Ind.), Corliss (Rep., Mich.), Morse (Rep., Mass.), Wilson (Dem., S. C.) and Taylor (Rep., O.) in its support. The provisions of the bill have been recently published.

COMMISSIONER JORDAN

Reports to Secretary of Treasury on Seal Investigation.

Washington, Jan. 28.—David Starr Jordan, commissioner in charge of the fur seal investigations for 1896, in his report to the secretary of the treasury, makes a close estimate of the seals of all classes at one time or another on the Pribylof islands during the last summer, and finds the number to have been about 440,000, of which over 86,000 died on or about the islands during the same period. Of the total mortality, pelagic sealing accounts for 29,398, and about 27,000 pups died of starvation or trampling. In concluding his long and comprehensive report, Mr. Jordan points out what he believes would prove a solution of the whole question of the preservation of the fur seal. He says:

"The sole possible basis of adjustment must be the protection of the fur seals through concessions, international courtesy and self-respect. So long as pelagic sealing exists, the restrictions governing it are of slight importance, and the relations between the owners of the Pribylof islands and the nation whose ships have the right to destroy its herd must be in some degree strained.

"The ultimate end in view should be an international arrangement whereby all skins of female fur seals should be seized and destroyed by the custom authorities of civilized nations, whether taken on land or sea from the Pribylof herd, the Asiatic herds or in the lawless raiding of the Antartic rookeries. In the destruction of the fur seal rookeries of the Antartic as well as those of the Japan islands and of Behring sea, American enterprise has taken a leading part. It would be well for America to lead the way in stopping pelagic sealing by restraining her own citizens, without waiting for the action of other nations. We can ask for protection with better grace when we have accorded unasked protection to others."

Justices Fuller and Brewer Selected.

New York, Jan. 28.—A Washington special to The World this morning says:



CHIEF JUSTICE FULLER.

Melville W. Fuller, chief justice of the United States supreme court, and David J. Brewer, as commissioner associate justice, have been nominated as commissioners, to serve on the arbitral tribune appointed to determine the boundary line between Venezuela and British Guiana.

The supreme court, at a formal meeting, has officially agreed upon these selections. The nomination of Chief Justice Fuller was made subject to the approval of Venezuela, as is provided by an amendment to the original agreement. President Crespo and his cabinet have signified their acceptance of Mr. Fuller. While the formal assent of King Oscar to serve as the fifth arbitrater has not been given, it is understood that an intimation has been received that he has



JUSTICE BREWER.

accepted. All indications point to the nomination by the British high court of Sir Charles Russell and Sir Franklin Lockwood as the two members to be chosen by that body to complete the tribunal.

The actual signing of the treaty will occur within a few days. The next steamer for La Guayara will sail Feb. 2, and will take the treaty to Caracas.

FIGHT IS OVER.

Lawrence City Officials Selected by Joint Convention.

Lawrence, Mass., Jan. 28.—The long-expected joint convention took place last evening. The mayor called the convention to order at 9:40, and instructed the clerk to call the roll for city clerk. Councilman Shea (Dem.) tried to make a motion, but the mayor refused to recognize the member. At this, the crowd in the gallery began to hiss, and the mayor ordered City Marshal Bailey to clear the hall, unless it was stopped. This had the desired effect, and quiet prevailed for the rest of the evening.

To the surprise of every one, W. T. Kimball, Republican, was re-elected city clerk. When the result was announced, a murmur of surprise swept over the galleries ,and cries of "Cuckoo" were heard.

W. E. Rowe, Republican, was elected treasurer, and Thomas A. Ryan, Democrat, was elected superintendent of streets.

The feeling among the Democrats was very bitter, and Councilman Paterson, who was suspected of voting with the Republicans, was insulted several times and some went so far as to threaten bodily harm. The trouble became so great finally, that two policemen were detailed to escort the councilman to his home.

Connecticut Whitecaps.

Deep River, Conn., Jan. 28.—This town is stirred from center to circumference over the outrageous deeds on Tuesday night of a gang of men and boys who class themselves as "whitecaps."

On Monday night Newton Graves, 40, of this place was married to Nora Sullivan by Rev. Father Hartly of St. Joseph's church in Chester. Graves, who is well known, is harmless, but has long been the butt of the "whitecaps."

Tuesday the town was placarded with a notice of a meeting of the "whitecaps." The notices were done in red paint, and were conspicuously distributed throughout the village. Tuesday night a gang of at least 50 masked men and boys proceeded in a body to the home of Graves, in the western section of the town, and they started in to terrorize the entire community.

They bombarded the house with bricks and stones; nearly every window in the place was smashed; the doors were forced; the furniture largely scarred; a cartload of tin cans and other debris was hurled into the building; shotguns were discharged at frequent intervals, and for an hour pandemonium reigned. None of the residents in the vicinity dared to interfere, and Graves and his bride, badly frightened, fled to an upper room and hid.

Cuban Sympathizers,

Lynn, Mass., Jan. 28.—Carlos C. Ayres, president of the Cuban-American junta of New England, Rev. Herbert Casson of this city, and other Massachusetts men, have made arrangements with the friends of the Cuban cause in Rhode Island to establish a branch in that state. The headquarters of the new organization will be in Providence. The New England junta intends to have subordinate organizations in at least five of the six New England states. The purpose of these branches is to raise money for the patriotic cause.

The Learoyd Case.

Salem, Mass., Jan. 28.—Great interest is developing in the Learoyd poisoning case. The prosecution is endeavoring to show that there was more than a friendly intimacy between the defendant, Kennedy, and Mrs. Learoyd. Witnesses testified yesterday that the two were frequently together.

Won by One Vote.

Concord, N. H., Jan. 28.—By a recount of ballots cast for representative in Ward 4 of Rochester, Aurelle Bondin (Dem.) gains two over E. L. Miles (Rep.), who now occupies the seat. The final vote is, Bondin, 161; Miles, 160. The recount was held in the office of the secretary of state.

Indorsed For Public Printer.

Columbus, O., Jan. 28.—The Associated Ohio dailies, composed of publishers, have unanimously indorsed J. G. Gibbs, publisher of the Norwalk Reflector and treasurer of the National Editorial association, for public printer of the United States.

NEWS IN A NUTSHELL.

The directors of the Portland (Me.) Baseball league have signed a team for Portland for the State league, and a man named McGuirk will manage the team.

The First National bank of Hollidaysburg, Pa., which suspended payment Dec. 14, 1896, has been permitted to resume by the comptroller of currency.

The post of assistant secretary of the Smithsonian institute, rendered vacant by the recent death of Dr. Brown Goode, has been temporarily filled by the appointment of Professor C. D. Wolcott, director of the United States geological survey, as acting assistant secretary.

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The railway clearing house is one of the largest offices in Great Britain. It has a staff of 1600 clerks and 450 out-of-door officers.

MILES' DEFALCATION.

Treasurer of Safe Deposit Company Got Away With About $150,000.

Boston, Jan. 28.—The annual meeting of the Boston Safe Deposit and Trust company, whose treasurer, Frank C. Miles, was recently found to be a defaulter to a large amount, was held yesterday. President Stone presented his annual report, and added a brief statement in regard to the Miles defalcation, in which he said:

The actual cost to the company, on account of the defalcation, is, at this date, $148,452.75. Claims of the company on parties holding embezzled securities approximating $61,000 in value are still unsettled and in dispute.

Taking the most unfavorable view of the condition, the defalcation would, stated in round numbers, amount to $209,452, from which is to be deducted such sums as may be realized in suits now pending, or which may be commenced, and from the treasurer's bond of $30,000. With the uncertainty now existing as to the final outcome of pending claims, it is impossible to say more than that it is reasonably certain the total loss will not exceed $175,000, and may be much less.

President Stone asserted that, improbable as it may seem, in view of the extent of the speculation now known to have been carried on by the treasurer, it could have been carried on through so many agencies as were used by him without even a suspicious fact or any intimation from any source whatsoever of any one of all these transactions coming to the knowledge of the president of the company. But such is the fact. Some suggestive facts are very conspicuous in this matter, he observed, and cites, first, all parties having dealings with Miles knew that he, as our treasurer, had the custody of our funds and securities.

Further, each one so dealing knew that, so far as he was acting individually, all knowledge of the act was withheld from the president of this company, although a confidential inquiry would have reached him in five minutes on any day in business hours.

President Stone concluded: With the noticeable facility Miles appears to have had in disposing of our securities, perhaps we may congratulate ourselves that his criminality leaves us with financial strength unimpaired.

Washington Society Aflutter.

Washington, Jan. 28.—The Evening Star says: Society circles are all aflutter over the prospective residence in Washington during the remainder of the present social season of Cornelius Vanderbilt and family of New York. Mr. Vanderbilt's agent has leased the Lowery mansion at the northwest corner of Vermont and K streets for three months, and the Vanderbilts will take possession early next week. Mr. Vanderbilt will bring his entire New York household, including cooks and servants, and will also bring 20 horses, six coachmen and four grooms, together with 10 or 12 carriages of various styles. It is said that several other wealthy members of what is known in New York as the Vanderbilt set are looking for houses suitable for entertaining purposes, to which the Lowery mansion is so admirably adapted, and that others of the same circle are securing apartments at the Arlington and other uptown hotels. The Vanderbilt house will be another addition to the large establishments of Senator Brice, L. Z. Leiter and Mrs. George Westinghouse, and will be probably formally opened with a reception and dance. The coming of Mr. Vanderbilt is taken as an indication of his intention to follow the example being generally given by people of wealth and make Washington his regular winter home.

Rigo Deserted by Princess.

London, Jan. 28.—A Vienna dispatch to The Daily Mail says that a telegram just received from Milan announces that the Princess De Chimay, formerly of Detroit, and Jacob Rigo, the Hungarian gypsy musician, who recently eloped with her, have quarreled violently. The screams of rage from the princess and the language of Rigo disturbed the residents at the hotel where the two were stopping, and complaints were made to the landlord. At the end of one of these quarrels, the princess packed her trunk and left for Monte Carlo. She paid her own bill, but left Rigo's bill unsettled. Rigo is said to be in an awkward position since the departure of the princess, for he is without funds, and has no immediate prospects of securing employment.

Republican Clubs at Inauguration.

Washington, Jan.28.—General Horace Porter, grand marshal of the inaugural parade, has issued an order placing the Republican League clubs in one division. President Woodmansee is appointed marshal of the division with the right to select a staff of 50 members. All league clubs are directed to report for assignment not later than Feb. 20. President Woodmansee says the league will furnish one of the most attractive features of the parade.

Pooh Bah Pingree.

Detriot, Jan. 28.—Attorney Fred A. Eaker will bring the question of Governor Pingree's right to hold the offices of both governor and mayor before the state supreme court on next Tuesday. The method of procedure is not outlined, but it is beleived that it will be in the form of an application for mandamus to compel the common council of Detroit to order a special election of mayor.

Gamblers Indicted.

Kansas City, Jan. 28.—The grand jury, which, for the past two weeks, has been investigating charges of open gambling in Kansas City, has returned 57 indictments against gamblers, including "Boss" Findlay and his satellites. Consternation has been caused among the professionals, and many are making preparations to leave the city to avoid arrest.

Jewish Historical Society.

Baltimore, Jan. 28.—The American Jewish Historical society began its fifth annual convention here yesterday afternoon, at the Hotel Rennert. The annual address of the president of the society, Oscar S. Strauss, ex-United States minister to Turkey, was read by Dr. Cyrus Adler, the secretary, because of Mr. Strauss' unavoidable absence.

Admitted His Guilt.

Middletown, Conn. Jan. 28.—Robert Ross of Middlefield, who was arrested yesterday morning, charged with burglarizing the house of Mrs. Cooper on Jan. 15, has admitted his guilt. Reuben Fox of Winsted, and Mrs. Lulu Maygoon, of Westfield, Mass., who were arrrested as accessories, were each held in $500 bonds.



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You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Dedham, in said County of Norfolk, on the seventeenth day of February, A. D., 1897, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Quincy DAILY LEDGER, a newspaper published in Quincy, the first publication to be thirty days at least before said Court.

Witness, George White, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this thirteenth day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.

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NEW ENGLAND NEWS.

Accusation of Fraud Against John Robbie of Manchester.

Status of Print Cloth Curtailment.

Happenings of Interest as Told In Telegraphic Dispatches.

Manchester, N. H., Jan. 29.—Hon. Hiram D. Upton, one of the partners of the now defunct John Robbie company, dry goods firm, is out with a statement, in which he accuses John Robbie of irregularities to the amount of between $40,000 and $50,000. Mr. Upton states that he will place evidence before the grand jury, at the opening of the next term of the supreme court, in an endeavor to secure an indictment against Robbie.

Before the sheriff's sale of the Robbie company's stock, Assignee John McIntyre of Boston, so Mr. Upton states, found a discrepancy of between $2000 and $3000. He confronted Robbie with a warrant of arrest and demanded restitution.

Mr. Robbie went to his house, procured it and placed it in the assignee's keeping. On the night before the sale Mr. Robbie left town.

Mr. Upton engaged an expert to go through the books, and states that the irregularities reach many thousands. H. F. Morse, the accountant, was seen, and acknowledges that there were discrepancies, but denies that they will reach $50,000.

The John Robbie company's creditors' meeting is scheduled for Feb. 2, when interesting developments may be expected.

MAY BE NO CURTAILMENT.

Only Three Days Remain to Secure Signatures to Print Cloth Agreement.

Fall River, Mass., Jan. 29.—Reports from Boston indicate that 600,000 spindles of cotton mills having agencies in that city are represented by agents who have agreed to sign the agreement to curtail the print cloth production in New England. This number added to the spindles represented by Fall River mills which some time ago signed the agreement, leaves 700,000 spindles to be secured within the next three days. There is a possibility that these cannot be obtained, but local mill men, as a rule, feel confident that the movement will be successful. Of the 600,000 spindles pledged in Boston, all agencies there, except that of the Pacific mills of Lawrence, are included in the agreement. If the movement should fail, the Fall River mills will run 58 hours per week, and allow the market to improve gradually.

The agreement to curtail production, if signed by enough mill owners, will go into effect Feb. 1. The agents here claim that the movement did not start in this city, as is generally understood, but that the large buyers of goods who have been dissatisfied with the condition of the print cloth trade, ask the agents to co-operate in some movement to reduce the running time, in order to lift from the market the large stock of surplus goods. Fall River men now claim that the buyers have thrown the entire load on them. The number of spindles in this city pledged to the movement is 2,200,000.

Strike Against Superintendent.

Danbury, Conn., Jan. 29.—There is no change as yet in the strike of 300 operatives of the New York Belting and Packing company at Newtown, who quit work Tuesday on account of alleged grievances against Superintendent Sloan. The strike was precipitated by Superintendent Sloan fining Thomas McDonald, an employe in the calendering department, for spoiling some cloth. It is alleged by the operatives that the accident was unavoidable, and the imposing of the fine was only in keeping with the arbitrary and tyrannical manner in which Superintendent Sloan has conducted matters for the past few years. The question of wages does not enter into the strike, but the strikers demand the discharge or reprimand of Superintendent Sloan. The company employs about 450 operatives, and is the principal industry in Newtown. The merchants are interesting themselves in the matter, and have indorsed the strikers' position. The company, however coincide with the action of their superintendent.

Expenses of Commonwealth.

Boston, Jan. 29.—The report of the auditor of the commonwealth, which was submitted to the legislature yesterday, shows receipts and payments on account of revenue for the year, including cash in the treasury, to have been: Cash received during the year, $14,960,827.06; cash in the treasury, Jan. 1, 1896, $1,884,195.45; total, $16,845,022.51; payments during the year, $15,455,652.59; cash in treasury, Jan. 1, 1897, $1,389,369.92. The actual expenses of the commonwealth in 1895 were $7,045,827.51. In 1896 they were $7,796,740.48. Of these expenses, in 1896, the largest item, $1,279,127.23, was for interest, and the next largest, $1,027,282.93. Public buildings cost the state $781,874.74. The auditor estimates that the expenses of the state for 1897 will be $9,286 530.92, and the revenue $7,507,206.35, which leaves a total of $1,779,324.57 to be provided by taxation.

Believe In Annual Elections.

Boston, Jan. 29.—The Boston Central Labor union celebrated the defeat of the biennial resolve with a banquet last night. The leaders of Democracy and some 125 members of the union were present. President Henry Lyons presided. Beside him in seats of honor sat ex-Governor Boutwell, Hon. G. F. Williams, George E. McNeil, Gamalicl Bradford, Major Henry Winn, Frank K Foster and Raymond L. Bridgeman. Spirited addresses were delivered, the tenor of the remarks being in condemnation of the biennial system and in hearty sympathy for the annual election. The sentiment of the meeting was that the officeholder could not be kept in too close touch with the people, and, by the perpetuation of the annual election, Boston would be keeping in harmony with the old form of government.

Mutual Life Wants Receiver.

Boston, Jan. 29.—A bill in equity, brought by Insurance Commissioner Merrill, against the Eastern Mutual Life Insurance company, is in the Suffolk supreme court. It asks that a receiver be appointed to wind up the company's affairs. The receivership is sought at the instance of the company itself. The company is financially sound, and the reason given for wishing to close up its affairs is that, the prospects for the patronage of mutual companies in the future being bad, the officers of the company thought it expedient and wise to ask that its affairs be wound up, and thereby obviating the likelihood of an assignment upon the policy holders, which seemed a probability in case the business of the company is long continued.

Steamer Unseaworthy.

Portland, Jan. 29.—The United States steamboat inspectors have refused to grant a certificate to the steamship New Brunswick, formerly of the International line, which Portland and Bangor capitalists had secured to run between Portland and Penobscot river points. The reason for this refusal was because the New to be unseaworthy. The boat had been Brunswick, on examination, was decided purchased by George W. Brown of this city and others, on the condition that the steamboat inspectors pass the New Brunswick as seaworthy. This knocks in the head, for the time being at least, the proposed plan to run a steamboat line from Portland to Bangor and intermediate points.

Verdicts at Dedham.

Dedham, Mass., Jan. 29.—The court ordered a verdict for the defendant in the suit of Mrs. Maria Flynn, administratrix of the estate of Michael Flynn vs. the city of Boston, in the superior court, Judge Richardson presiding, yesterday. The sum of $5000 was claimed for damages said to have caused Flynn's death, through alleged negligence of the city. Flynn was at work on a sewer, and went across the Consolidated tracks to get a tool. He was hit by a train, and injured. Caroline Newell of Dover was given a verdict of $285.82 in her suit against the New England railroad, for damage to her property by sparks from a locomotive.

Nominated by Governor Wolcott.

Boston, Jan. 29.—The following nominations were made by Governor Wolcott at the meeting of the council yesterday: Sprague S. Stetson of Haverhill, trustee of state board of agriculture; George R. Richmond of New Bedford, trustee of Westboro insane hospital; Sarah E. Whitin of Northbridge, trustee of Worcester lunatic hospital; Ruth S. Murray of New Bedford, trustee of Taunton lunatic hospital; Sarah T. Woodworth of Chicopee, trustee of Northampton lunatic hospital, and Orville F. Rogers of Boston, trustee of Danvers lunatic hospital.

Mrs. Learoyd Testifies.

Salem, Mass., Jan. 29.—Mrs. Learoyd told her story on the witness stand yesterday. She admitted that Kenendy, who is accused of putting poison in the teapot, had made love to her, but there had never been any undue intimacy between them. It developed from the testimony that the Learoyd home was anything but a haven of happiness. All the male inmates, which included the farm help, were given to excessive drinking, and much misery and trouble resulted The government expects to complete its case today.

Maine Republican Committee.

Augusta, Me., Jan. 29.—The new Republican state committee met at the state house yesterday for organization. There was a large attendance, considering the inclement weather. Hon. Joseph H. Manley of Augusta was elected chairman; Hon. Byron Boyd of Augusta, secretary, and Charles S. Hichborn of Augusta, treasurer. After a short business session, the committee adjourned, subject to the call of the chair.

Dogs of High Degree.

Hartford, Jan. 29.—The opening of the Hartford dog show, which is to last through Saturday, took place yesterday, but owing to the unfavorable weather, there were but few spectators. There are 185 canines entered, owned mostly in Hartford and vicinity. The quality is surprisingly good. The exhibition is under the general management of W. H. O'Conner, of Springfield. M. F. Mason of Northampton, Mass., will be judge of all classes.

Professor Sumner Will Be Reappointed.

Hartford, Jan. 29.—The opposition to the reappointment of Professor W. G. Sumner of Yale as a member of the state board of education, on the alleged ground of his free trade tendencies, which was made by Senator Marigold of Bridgeport, was withdrawn at the caucus of senators yesterday, and the reappointment will be unanimously indorsed when the senate reassembles next Tuesday.

Cattle Breeder's Loss.

Ridgefield, Conn., Jan. 29.—Allen S. Apgar, a well known New York banker, the owner of the finest stock farms in this section, has just incurred a loss of fine cattle of several thousand dollars. Recently he notified the board of agriculture to send an agent to inspect his herd. Dr. Bacon of Hartford examined the herd and found 13 head badly diseased with tuberculosis. They were killed.

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LEGISLATIVE PROCEEDINGS.

What Lawmakers of Massachusetts, Maine and New Hampshire Are Doing.

Concord, N. H., Jan. 29.—In the legislature yesterday the bill to prohibit fishing through the ice in the ponds of the state was killed.

Representative French (Dem.), Orange, whose seat in the house was contested by Dennis Barrett (Rep.) of the same town, was declared entitled to hold the seat.

The Hillsboro contested election case was made the special order for next Tuesday afternoon.

Many committee reports were received, and much legislation looking toward a revision in game laws was killed.

The bill incorporating the city of Berlin passed the senate.

In the house, a bill to amend the charter of Somersworth, in respect to ward lines, was warmly debated, the Democrats characterizing it as a gerrymander. The vote was set for next Tuesday, at noon. An act to license bicycles was killed, and other bills were introduced from committees providing for the maintenance of a permanent Grand Army headquarters at the state house and defining the duties of truant officers.

The senate killed the house bill regulating the giving of cigarettes, snuff and tobacco to minors.

Maine Lawmakers.

Augusta, Me., Jan. 29.—The attendance in both houses of the legislature yesterday was small. The following acts and bills were presented in the house: A bill to incorporate the Deer Isle Water company, an order extending the time of the reception of petitions for private and special legislation to Feb. 15, a bill to incorporate the Portland Female Provident association, an act to extend the charter of the Waterville and Somerset railroad, a resolve for an appropriation of $19,000 for the Bath Military and Naval Orphan asylum, petition for an appropriation of $30,000 for the Ladies' Relief Corps home of Newport, an act to regulate the purchase and sale of intoxicating liquor by cities and towns, and an act to provide that towns and cities may purchase liquors of parties other than the state liquor commissioner by payment of a tax of 20 per cent on the amount purchased. This act also imposes penalties for selling adulterated liquors, and provides for the inspection and testing of all liquors and restricts the amount to be kept on hand by the state commissioners.

In the senate, an act that the compensation of the county commissioner of Cumberland county shall be $100 annually was offered, as were also a bill to investigate the cause, extent and investigation of tuberculosis, and an act to make polygamy punishable by five years in state prison or $500 fine.

Arbitration Treaty Indorsed.

Boston, Jan. 29.—In the legislature yesterday, the committee on banks and banking reported a bill which provides that savings banks may allow money placed on deposit during the first three days of any quarter to draw interest from the first day of the quarter.

The same committee also reported a bill providing that no savings bank or savings institution hereafter incorporated shall do business or be located in the same room with any other bank, national bank association or trust company.

The committee on cities gave a hearing on three different bills relating to changes in the charter of North Adams.

President Eliot of Harvard caused some stir by appearing in favor of the bill to abloish the Boston school board.

After a spirited debate, the house adopted—141 to 11—a resolution indorsing the international arbitration treaty.

Bridgeport's Prospective Postmaster.

Bridgeport, Conn., Jan. 29.—It is reported here on the best of authority that State Senator William H. Marigold will be the successor of Postmaster Stewart of this city. The change does not take effect until Dec. 31, 1898, when Mr. Stewart's term expires, Senator Marigold having expressed his willingness to wait until the expiration of Postmaster Stewart's full term.

Engineer's Narrow Escape.

Meriden, Conn., Jan. 29.—Engineer Porter was caught under his engine while making an examination at this station last night, and the cars passed over him. It was between the tracks, however, and escaped with severe bruises. The engineer ahead had started up the train on the conductor's signal.

Sued For $25,000; Got $5.

Providence, Jan. 29.—The jury in the suit of Strich & Zeidler, against Albert Steinert of M. Steinert & Sons, in which damages were placed at $25,000, gave a verdict of $5 for the plaintiff. The verdict does not carry costs.

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ALFRED S. ROE, Chairman.
ALMAN E. HALL,
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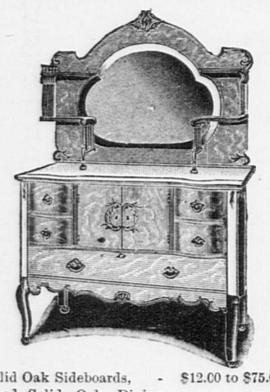
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Two Weeks' Temperature.

	This Week.	Last Week
Sunday	25	37
Monday	11	45
Tuesday	35	10
Wednesday	35	22
Thursday	27	45
Friday	30	40
Saturday	—	38

IN VIEW of the great expense of a sewer system it would seem at first thought that there should be a delay because of the hard times, and this may be the best course to pursue. But there are some good arguments against delay. The sum of $60,000 has been appropriated and will be expended this year. This sum should not be buried long in the ground without getting some benefit. We are told that the extra sum of $160,000 asked could also be judiciously expended this year in building the pumping plant and laying lateral sewers, in which case the system would be in operation next year, and assessments could then be levied in 1898 and a return received.

If times are to be made better public work should not be delayed. The foundation for the pumping station will require considerable stone and stone work which will be done by Quincy workmen. Considerable labor is now unemployed and it may be unwise to wait until busy times when wages will be higher. Sewer construction is not a current expense, and short loans would not be proposed even in good times. The only current expenses are the interest and maturing payment, and of this only six months' interest, or $3,200, will be payable this year. When in operation there will of course be a maintenance account.

If the assessment system is adopted, it will in part pay the interest, maintenance and debt of 1898. It is a fact in some cities that there is a surplus from assessments the first few years, because assessments must be paid within ten years, and are often paid in full the year levied, while the sewer bonds are spread over thirty or forty years and the maturing payments are small.

We are not committed to the assessment plan of payment, but the sewer act as accepted allows the city to pay but one-third to one-half, and it would be sometime before a rental system would pay one-half or two-thirds, so unless the act is amended there must be assessments. A sewer should be put in as water works; it being a public benefit to health, as the water works are a public benefit for fire protection. If the city assumed the whole cost, rentals might be charged annually and a revenue soon obtained, but it seems now out of the question. To pay one-half or two-thirds of the cost by rentals might require rentals of $25 or even $50 annually. The assessments proposed are to meet the cost as we understand it. Whether rentals could be charged for maintenance is another question.

We read with interest recently that in the city of Glascow, Great Britain, the income from municipal works was sufficient to meet all the expenses of the city. That it was not necessary to have any assessors or levy any taxes. This seems like an ideal state of affairs. If Quincy would approach such a condition it must get an annual return, not only for water and sewers, but for street franchises and privileges.

THE DAILY LEDGER was out on time yesterday, and was a newsy issue, but we fear it failed to reach many of the regular readers because of the storm. It contained a report of the old folks' concert at Quincy Point, gentlemen's night of the Daughters of the Revolution, the candle pin scores, the proposed centennial of the inauguration of President John Adams, the Good Templars anniversary at Wollaston, the organization of the Democratic City Committee, Quincy Yacht club reports, and an account of the storm itself. It was a rough day for trains, electrics, newsboys, etc.

THE EVERGREENS in the library yard on Friday morning were picturesque in what Lowell calls "Ermine too dear for an Earl." One tree lay completely prostrate with its weight of snow. Those who were fortunate enough to be out early, had the fairy like grounds, and the fine building brought into light, by a sickle moon in the west that was of unusual brilliancy, owing to the transparent air and the snow.

THE BOSTON common council proposes that all printers employed at the municipal plant shall be citizens of Boston, but the city government of Quincy asks Boston printers to bid on our city report.

A Pittsburg judge has decided that a baby may be held as security for its own board bill.

OVER 200 MARRIAGES.

Yet Not Up to the Grand Record of 1893.

Last Year 391 Persons Made First Venture in Matrimony.

However 46 Tried it for Second Time and 4 for the Third.

The number of marriages recorded with City Clerk Keith for the year 1896 was 213 which is an increase of 22 over the year 1895, 27 over 1894 and a decrease of six from 1893.

One naturally looks for an increase every year and why the number should have fallen off in 1895 and 1894 is hard to tell, unless it was the hard times and the young people thought they could not afford to get married.

The most popular month last year for this interesting event was June when 33 marriages were recorded. The number of marriages by months for the past four years forms an interesting table for comparison :

	1896.	1895.	1894.	1893.
January,	14	18	11	22
February,	21	14	19	10
March,	6	5	8	6
April,	17	15	13	22
May,	10	9	6	12
June,	33	29	23	32
July,	15	21	17	13
August,	9	9	15	16
September,	27	13	21	21
October,	27	23	21	24
November,	19	25	24	24
December,	15	11	8	17
Total,	213	191	186	219

In 1892 there were 189 marriages; in 1891 there were 199; in 1890 there were 159; in 1889 the first year of the city there were 176, and in 1888 the last year of the town 144.

All the marriages recorded were not consummated in Quincy, for we find by consulting the records that of the 213 recorded 147 were solemnized in Quincy and, 66 in other places. But the usual custom was followed.

So also is it with clergymen, while some prefer that the nuptial knot should be tied by Quincy clergymen there are others who perhaps think it can be more securely tied by out of town clergymen, and still others who think a justice of the peace the proper functionary.

And these are the reasons probably why 126 couples employed Quincy clergymen, 71 out of town clergymen and 16 a justice of the peace.

Then again we find that of the 213 grooms 166 claimed Quincy as their residence and 47 other towns and cities; while of the blushing brides, 159 were Quincy ladies and 54 claimed their homes in other places.

These are not all the interesting facts furnished by consulting the records. Grooms to the number of 189 marched with faltering step to the altar for the first time, while 22 had been there once before, and two came up smiling for the third time. Of the ever beautiful brides, 202 made their first venture in matrimony last year, while 24 widows captured their second husbands, and two with a winning smile quietly informed the clerk that they had had two and captured another.

Church Meeting.

The following officers were elected at the annual meeting of the Wollaston Congregational society:

Moderator,—Edward L. Robbins.
Treasurer,—A. A. Lincoln.
Collector,—Charles P. Hutchins.
Assessors,—Charles G. Farwell, N. G. Nickerson, Herbert W. Marshall, Charles A. Campbell and Edmund L Robbins.

The total receipts the past year have been $4580, and the expenses $4660.

Vesper Music.

At 4 o'clock vespers at the Unitarian church, Sunday, the following pieces will be sung.

O Gladsome Light, from Golden Legion, Sullivan
O Jesus Thou art Standing, Brewer
Lord Thy Mercy Streameth, Rubinstein
Alto solo, But the Lord is Mindful of His Own, from St. Paul, Mendelssohn
Bless Thy Children Kneeling, Schnecker
Duet, Soprano and Tenor, Love Divine, from Daughter of Jairus, Stainer

In Hot Water.

Capt. George A. Devlin, formerly of this city and a member of Co. K, is under fire. Upon leaving Quincy he was transfered to the sixth regiment and became captain of the company at Marlboro. He was recently required with others to undergo an examination, and he failed to obtain the per cent. necessary to qualify him for the office he has held for some time. Capt. Devlin, in view of circumstances, expected the result, but proposes to fight, and may ask for a court martial.

TODAY'S COURT.

John O'Connell was arraigned for drunkenness at Quincy. Case continued until Feb. 12.

Maurice Dowd was arraigned for the illegal keeping of intoxicating liquor at Weymouth. Case continued two months.

The continued case of Elizabeth Shannon for malicious mischief at Milton was called and again continued for two weeks.

WANT A CHANGE.

Street Railway Company Hope for Repeal of Paving Clause.

As stated recently in the LEDGER the Street Railway Company has not accepted as yet the location granted by the City Council of 1896 for a double track on Hancock street. The stumbling block in order was the fifth section which provided that the street railway should pave Hancock street from curb to curb between Granite street and School street.

There has been considerable discussion on the part of those interested whether the present City Council could without first giving a public hearing, repeal the objectionable clause in the order.

City Solicitor Blackmur was appealed to and this morning he rendered the following opinions on the matter to Mayor Adams, a copy of which was sent to the Street Railway Co.

QUINCY, MASS., Jan. 29, 1897.

Hon. Charles F. Adams, 2d, Mayor of Quincy:

MY DEAR SIR: In reference to our conference concerning Order No. 143, passed by the City Council, December 21, 1896, giving location to the Quincy and Boston Street Railway Company, and non-acceptance of the same by the Company because of their objection to the fifth condition in said order, I have the following opinion to render you. Inasmuch as the thirty (30) days have not expired since notice was sent to the Railway Company under Sections 7 and 21 of Chapter 114 of the Public Statutes and inasmuch as the railroad has not accepted said location the Council can repeal a portion of said order for location providing they do it within the thirty days aforesaid and can make such amendment without first giving a public hearing providing that it does not effect the location or position of the tracks of the railroad in the street. I see no reason why the present Council may not pass an order repealing the fifth section contained in the above named location.

Very respectfully,
PAUL R. BLACKMUR,
City Solicitor.

It is said an order repealing the paving clause will be introduced into the Council Monday evening with the hope of passing it through that night.

Cuban Negotiations In Progress.

London, Jan. 29.— A dispatch to the Daily Mail from Madrid says that negotiations are actively proceeding between Spain and the United States, Secretary Olney acting as intermediary for Cuba. Spain has submitted the Cuban home rule project. The new autonomy program gives Cuba two legislative chambers, and reserves to the island the power to initiate all tariff and revenue bills. Cuba paying an equitable share of the expenses of the Spanish army and navy. The governor general is to have full power to appoint all subordinates. It is claimed that Cuba will accept the provisions, if assured of the protection of the United States government and of the sincerity of Spain.

England Will Accept Amendments.

Washington, Jan. 29.—It is understood in diplomatic circles that Great Britain will accept an amendment to the general arbitration treaty, excepting from the provisions of treaty any arbitration of the "Monroe Doctrine." The amendment will be so drawn as not to mention the Monroe doctrine by name, but as excluding from the operations of the convention any question of policy. It is said that the English government does not see the necessity of this amendment, but is willing to accept so as to show its sincerity in making the treaty, and to prove to the United States that it is really anxious to promote the cause of peace, and has no hidden motives.

BORN.

KENNEDY—In Quincy, Jan. 22, a son to Mr. and Mrs. John Kennedy.

DIED.

HARDWICK—In Quincy, Jan. 28, Mrs. Theodosia O., wife of Mr. Franklin Hardwick aged 67 years and 25 days. Funeral from late residence 23 Spear street, Monday, Feb. 1st, at 2 P. M. Relatives and friends invited. Burial Private.

KING—In Boston, Jan. 27, Mrs. Mary S., widow of Theophilus King, late of Rochester, Mass., and mother of Mr. Theophilus King, of Quincy, aged 85 years, 6 months and 25 days.

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About fifteen inches of snow fell.

Asa A. Pope has been granted a pension.

The City Treasurer will pay State Aid Saturday.

A heavy rain now might cause a repetition of the great flood.

A new case of diphtheria was reported on Canal street this morning.

It was a beautiful star light night, but few cared to venture out last evening.

Christian Endeavor day will be celebrated at the Memorial church Sunday evening.

Rev. Robert Westly Peach was on the platform at the Moody meeting Thursday morning.

C. E. Ford took a prize at the Poultry show in Boston for his red and yellow turbit pigeons.

The amateur theatricals at the Unitarian chapel are always a treat, and tonight will be no exception.

The number of marriages recorded with the City Clerk for 1896 was 213 and the number of deaths 366.

Commissioner Knowlton has put all the men he could get at work shovelling snow, and there are over 200 of them.

Representative Newcomb introduced a bill in the Legislature Thursday to permit street railways to carry gravel.

Mr. Theophilus King's mother died in Boston—Wednesday morning in her 86th year. Prayers were held this afternoon at Columbus avenue.

The postmen had a serious time yesterday and it took some until afternoon to make the early morning delivery. They endured great hardship.

There is no indication of any great change in the temperature before the first of the week; the weather promises to be clear and pleasant Saturday and Sunday with westerly winds.

The elements were against those wishing to attend entertainments on Thursday evening. "Ben Hur" was postponed to Tuesday evening, Feb. 2, at the Bethany Congregational church.

West Quincy people are taking an interest in the Globe voting contest and are putting forth every possible effort to send Mr. Candlin to the inauguration at Washington in March.

At the annual meeting of the Wollaston Unitarian Society this parish committee was elected: Walter E. Simmons, Charles T. Baker, Walter J. Wellington, Eugene H. Sprague, Frank A. Page, Walter M. Hatch, Henry O. Fairbanks and Charles M. Bryant.

Joseph T. French, one of Quincy's well known business men, is ill at his home on Washington street, due to a general breaking up. Mr. French has been in poor health for some time although he has been at his office for the most of the time. Wednesday he had a bad turn and had to be carried home.

A whist club of the "family" of The Greenleaf was started on Thursday evening in the pretty drawing room. There were five tables, and Mrs. Hayden scored highest mark of the ladies, and Mr. Walter Hayden of the gentlemen. Light refreshments closed the evening which was in marked contrast to the raging storm without.

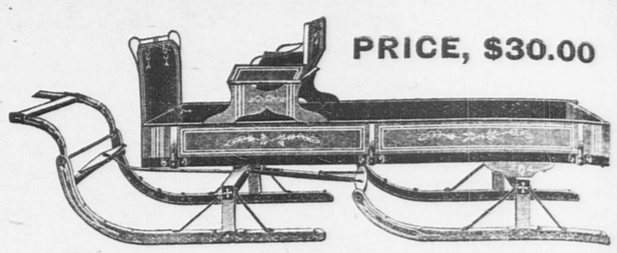
Judge Humphrey, of the District Court, had a hard time Thursday getting to his home at North Weymouth. He took a train from Quincy for North Weymouth, at 1 o'clock. When his train arrived at Weymouth Landing an inward train was found snow bound, and as it was some time before the track was cleared, His Honor's train pulled into the North Weymouth depot at 6.30.

The severe storm of yesterday kept all in doors last evening, and but few were found courageous enough to brave the disagreeable walking to be present at the presentation of "Capt. Jack" in the St. John's hall last evening. The society decided, therefore, to postpone the performance until this evening at 8 o'clock. The piece is admirably staged and members of the cast elegantly costumed, and it would seem a pity to deny the large number who desired to witness the play an opportunity to do so. The society has also engaged Mr. J. J. Crowne of Neponset, a gentleman very well known here, to give some of his pleasing impersonations. All persons holding tickets of any night can use them this evening. Dancing will be held from 10.30 until 2.

"I had no appetite, but after taking Hood's Sarsaparilla my appetite returned, and I have gained in flesh." Mrs. A. L. Sanford, Westport, Mass.

Hood's Pills are prompt and efficient, yet easy in action.

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A Typical Office

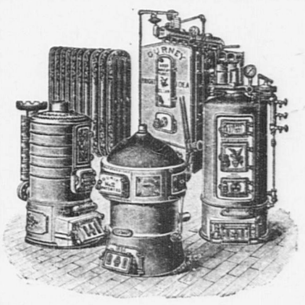
We all remember the old-time business office with its cluttered up collection of antiquity, rickerty desks and rusty looking chairs, dust and papers intermingled for furnishing. To think of it today and compare it with the up-to-date, essential office for the hustling business man—well, it's almost enough to breed a night mare.

The man who holds the helm of business, and oils its machinery with gray matter, finds his greatest comfort in a well furnished office.

It's our business to help all this along. Beautiful quartered oak 4-ft. roll top desk as low as $20.00. Compartment and letter file desks with everything at your finger's end. from $25.00 to $60.00. Flat top desks, bookkeepers' desks, typewriters' desks, revolving desk chairs, revolving book-cases, dictionary stands, waste baskets, etc., etc. For ideal office furnishings at panic prices, don't pass us by.

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It is just this. If you go on, allowing your eyes to smart and ache and trouble you, you may never be able to make them strong again. We have studied the eye—we know what we are talking about. It is a patient, long-suffering organ, but it will snap at last, and then all the oculists, and all the opticians in the world couldn't put it together again. Don't procrastinate. Any irritation whatever about the eyes means something. Come and find out what.

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Rooms Single or En-suite.

The Granite City Club Rooms in Durgin & Merrill's Block.

Possession given Feb. 1st, 1897.

These are very desirable rooms, warm and pleasant in winter, and cool and airy in summer. Clubs or societies looking for good quarters will do well to look at these rooms.

Mr. Durgin or Mr. Merrill will be found upon the premises to show any one through the building who may call.

Quincy, Jan. 1.

Sewer Assessments

are burdensome, but Durgin's prices for Patent Medicines and goods you are using every day are not. You can buy Hood's Sarsaparilla for 75 cents, or Durgin's for 60c.; Scott's Emulsion 85c., or Durgin's full pint bottles for 60c.; Fellow's Syrup, 96c.; pint of Hamamelis, 20c.; one quart of Castor Oil, including the bottle for 50c.; 10c. sticks Black Licorice, 5c.; Thayer's Slippery Elm Lozenges, 10c. quarter or 35c. per pound; Cuticura Soap, 18c. cake; Robinson's Oat Meal Soap, 10c. cake, 25c. box; 35 and 50c. Briar Pipes reduced to 15c. each; nice Mixed Candy, 19c. per pound. Everything usually found in a first-class drug store and at Cut Prices. Largest stock, freshest goods and prompt service.

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Also a big line of Straw Carpets.
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Oldest Horse Clipping establishment in city. Prices as low as the lowest.

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Horses clipped at Stable when requested.

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Lowest Prices.

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61 to 67 Hancock St.
Oct. 26. tf

New Year.
New Prices.

Every thing at very low prices in order to make room for summer stock.

All Wool Shirts, 35 cts.
Gloves, worth 50 cts., only 19 cts.
Caps only 19 cts.
Sweaters, 70 cts.
Heavy Driving Jackets, 70 cts.
Men's Working Pants, 75 cts. up.

L. GROSSMAN.
137 Water St., Grossman's Block.
Quincy, Jan. 5. tf

NOTICE TO PARENTS.

CITY OF QUINCY.

CITY CLERK'S OFFICE, Dec. 14, 1896.

THE Record of births in any city or town is always more or less unsatisfactory, owing to the fact that the canvasser finds difficulty in getting the necessary information. Names and dates are frequently given incorrectly. The importance of accuracy is shown in many cases where there is a question of descent, or inheritance of property, or collection of life insurance or pensions. The City Clerk's copy of the record is accepted as conclusive evidence in a court of law. While great pains are taken by this office to have the record correct, experience shows that it is necessary that parents themselves should lend their assistance. In fact the law requires that parents shall give notice to the City Clerk of the birth of their children, and provides a penalty for neglect to give such notice for the space of six months.

It often happens that only children or servants are at home when the canvasser makes his call, and the answers to his questions are open to doubt. I therefore request all parents in whose households a birth has occurred in the year 1896, to place upon a paper or card the required information, and keep it in a convenient place until the canvasser appears.

The canvass will be commenced on Jan. 1, 1897.

HARRISON A. KEITH,
City Clerk.
Dec. 14 to Feb. 1. Dec. 19—7w

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Find their wants anticipated in our line of . . . . . .

Comforters & Blankets.

Silkilene Comforters, each - - - $1.25, $1.50
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Cretone Comforters from - - - 48c. to $1.50
All our White and Colored Blankets marked down to cost
Prices per pair, from 49c. to $5.00

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CITY SQUARE.
Quincy, Jan. 21.

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This wonderful woman is Mrs. Dr. Stanley, the noted English clairvoyant and palmist. Her clairvoyant powers are so remarkable that she will tell you your full name, if you are married or single, how long you will live, and many startling facts too numerous to mention. Go and see her and be convinced that you have one genuine medium in your midst. If you are in trouble about love affairs come to her. She will give you valuable advice and true revelations concerning it. Restores lost affections. Removes all difficulties, reunites the separated and causes speedy and happy marriages with one of your choice. Gives full names of future husband and wife, also friends and enemies, and tells if your lover is true or false. Tells what business you are best adapted to, and what days and locations are lucky to you. Tells of your absent ones and what they are doing. If business, family or money making matters perplex you, call on this lady. She will straighton out your affairs and give you success in all undertakings. Never makes mistakes, having rare and wonderful insight in all matters of business, law, divorce, family and money matters. Makes charms for all those who have failed or are unlucky in business, and has the great talisman that secures happiness and prosperity to the unhappy ones. Removes witchery and all troubles of long standing and mysterious natures. Satisfaction guaranteed. All business strictly confidential. Hours 9 A. M. to 9 P. M. Closed Sundays. Call early to avoid the rush. Private parlors, 24 CHESTNUT ST., QUINCY. In this city one week only. j25-18t

MORE SEWER BIDS.

These Prices Also Regarded as Very Low.

Two Quincy Firms Among the List of Bidders.

Everything Favorable for Construction of System at Low Cost.

The bids for vitrified, salt-glazed sewer pipe for the Quincy sewerage system, which were advertised by the Sewer Commissioners, were opened by the board Thursday evening.

The bids asked for proposals for furnishing and delivering 28,100 feet, or about five miles, of vitrified, salt-glazed sewer pipe, with necessary bends, branch connections and stoppers.

The engineers estimate of the quantity required was: 1000 feet of five-inch pipe; 1000 feet of six-inch; 22,600 feet of eight-inch; 2,500 feet of ten-inch; 600 feet of twelve-inch and 1000 feet of fifteen-inch.

The bids submitted were in the form of discounts from the Eastern Standard price list of Jan. 20, 1897, and were as follows, the per cent. discounts being for Standard deep and wide socket; and double strength, deep and wide socket:

Waldo Bros., Boston, 77½, 74½, 73½
John Cashman, Quincy, 78, 76, 74.
Calumet Fire Clay Co., Calumet, O., 80½, 79½, 79½
Berry & Ferguson, Boston, 76½, 73, 71.
Portland Stoneware Co., Boston, 79, 71½, 60.
D. W. Lewis, 71, 70, 65
Kennedy, King & Co., Toronto, O., 78, 78, 75.
Mack Mfg. Co., Jersey City, N. J., 80 1-10, 80 1-10, 77 3-5.
A. J. Richards & Co., Quincy, 77½, 74½, 73½.

The Commissioners consider that the prices quoted are very low. They however have not awarded the contract as yet.

The Rev. G. R Alden, D. D.

This eminent minister, a member of the Presbytery of Washington City, will preach in the First Presbyterian church, Water street, this evening. It will interest many to know that it is Mrs. Alden who is the famous author of the "Pansy" books.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY

Take laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. 25c

—Oysters are provided with eyes, but the oyster's eye is not located where public opinion places it. What is called the eye of the oyster is the great muscle which holds the shells together and which is separated by the knife of the operator.

—One the English judges in India is an expert on the typwriter, and it occurred to him to use it for the taking of judicial notes. The machine was conveyed into court, and the judge kept note of the proceedings. The prisoner was found guilty and sentenced, and he promptly appealed on the ground that, instead of listening to the evidence, the judge had whiled away his time by playing on a musical instrument.

Constipation

Causes fully half the sickness in the world. It retains the digested food too long in the bowels and produces biliousness, torpid liver, indigestion, bad taste, coated tongue, sick headache, insomnia, etc. Hood's Pills cure constipation and all its results, easily and thoroughly. 25c. All druggists. Prepared by C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass. The only Pills to take with Hood's Sarsaparilla

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SHORTHAND IN THE SENATE.

Mr. Mason of Illinois the Latest Pothook Expert to Be Elected.

The election of Billy Mason will add another competent shorthand reporter to the membership of the United States senate. Several years ago he was considered one of the best in the country. Judge Withrow of the Rock Island railroad used to say that a first class stenographer was spoiled when Mason went into politics.

It is not generally known that Senator Chandler of New Hampshire is also a proficient stenographer, like Representative Hitt of Illinois. Both of them have been professionals, and both still use the shorthand system in making notes during debates, committee meetings, etc. Although he has not had active practice for 25 or 30 years Mr. Chandler is able to make and transcribe his notes as rapidly as when he was a young man in daily practice as reporter for the supreme court of New Hampshire.

One day in a committee meeting of senators there was a lively dispute between Mr. Chandler and a Democratic colleague. As it grew heated Mr. Chandler, who is always an exasperating antagonist in a controversy, accused his opponent of contradicting himself, which the latter stoutly denied.

"I will tell you exactly what you said," retorted Mr. Chandler. "I thought you were speaking recklessly and would disavow it sooner or later, so I took your words down in shorthand."

Then he began to read from a page covered with pothooks, and the other members of the committee testified to the accuracy of his report.

Several years ago in New Hampshire an important legal case arose which rested upon the accuracy of the translation of the notes of the shorthand reporter who had been employed by an attorney in the case, and Senator Chandler was called upon as an expert. A great deal depended upon whether a certain sign in the notes should be translated "at" or "of." Mr. Chandler took an envelope out of his pocket and on the back of it made two marks with a lead pencil.

"Now," he said to the attorney, "if you can tell me which of those characters was used in the copy I will tell you without looking at it which word it was intended for. The characters used for 'at' and 'of' are generally similar, but any stenographer can distinguish them at a glance."—Chicago Record.

BOMBAY'S STATION

The Plague Stricken City Has the Finest Railroad Terminal In the World.

Bombay has the grandest railroad station in the world and the grandest modern architectural work in India in the Peninsular Railway Victoria Terminal building, which was named on jubilee day in honor of the empress of India. The execution of the work occupied ten years, and the cost is estimated at $18,900,000. The total length of the principal elevation is over 1,500 feet. The style is Venetian Gothic, with oriental modifications. The principal feature of the edifice is the large central octagonal dome of solid cut masonry, which has a very fine effect and may be seen from any part of the city. The figure crowning the apex of the dome is a stone statue of "Progress."

Many other colossal statues, including those of the Empress Victoria, "Commerce," "Science," "Trade," "Engineering," etc., adorn the principal gables. The interior has been most skillfully arranged and is fitted up with marble, granite and fine woods. Much of the interior decoration has been done by native workmen. The statue of Queen Victoria in the station was the one which was covered with tar in December last by natives, who, according to the letter from Bombay published on Friday last, are fleeing from Bombay and the authorities, whom they (the natives) think are anxious to secure the lives of 10,000 people for the recent outrage on the queen's statue. They seriously believe that 10,000 innocents are to be slaughtered and are determined not to be among the number of victims; hence they are hurrying to catch the steamer.—New York Herald.

PROFOUND, BUT UNLEARNED

An Uncultured Boy Lectures on Subjects of Great Depth.

A shock headed boy of 15, whose school days have been limited to three short years and whose life has been passed chiefly in a little country town in Washington, delivered a lecture in San Francisco the other night upon the "Different Religious Systems of the World, Now and In the Past."

Charles Anderson is the boy's name. He was born in Cowlitz county in 1882 and lived there until two months ago. When lecturing, the boy's language and manners seemed to belong to some gray haired old patriarch, and many of his hearers pronounced the discourse a deep and learned dissertation. And yet his conversation reveals a woeful lack of education, and he can scarcely read. His friends claim he is a medium.

Charles says he has been able to produce his condition at will, and, though unable to foretell his subject, he is able to remember a little of his discourse after the trance, but not enough to render him any more intelligent in his everyday life.

A Roman Catholic Statement.

A movement toward the Catholic church, already resembling in its magnitude the Tractarian movement of the thirties and forties, has begun in England. Fifteen thousand people were received into the church during the past 15 months. A great number of these converts are from the ritualistic party in the Anglican communion, and some of the most notable of them have come in since Pope Leo XIII confirmed the decisions of his predecessors against the validity of Anglican orders.—Boston Pilot.

WATER STATEMENT.

Income Now Pays the Interest and Maintenance.

And Has a Surplus Toward the Maturing Debt.

Many Hydrants Put in Without Extra Charge to City for Water.

Superintendent Cavanagh of the Water Department was interviewed by the LEDGER today as to finances. According to the City Treasurer's books, he says, the interest on the water debt for the year 1896 was $29,709.94, and the maintenance of the Water Department for the year 1896 was $14,323 81, making the total running expenses for the department for the year ending Dec. 31, 1896, $44,033.75.

The income for the year 1896 was $52,300 97. This leaves a balance over and above the total running expenses of $8,267 22, as profit to the city. This is a very marked increase since 1892, the first year the city owned the works, when the income was but $28,000.

There are also many other benefits, Mr. Cavanagh says, which the city receives, and for which the department has received no credit. New hydrants to the number of 225 have been set for which no credit has been received. The income from the department each year, not only saves the City Treasurer from borrowing money for which the city would otherwise have to pay interest, but it earns interest for the city. The premium on the sale of water bonds is also goes into the City Treasury, and the department receives no credit.

Here is a summary:

Income,		$52,300 97
Interest on bonds,	$29,709 94	
Maintenance,	14,323 81	
Total running expenses,		$44,033 75
Profit to the city,		$8,267 22
225 new hydrants at $30,		7,650 00
Total profit should be,		$15,917 22

It is a well-known fact that oxen and sheep fatten in company than when kept alone.

Fish through The Ice?

Not when it is cold,
For I can go to the

Cape Cod Fish Market,

and get what I want, whether it is COLD or HOT.

J. L. CIBBS, Proprietor.
Temple St., Quincy.

TO THE PATRONS
OF THE
Wollaston Steam Laundry

January 16, 1897.

In calling your attention to the fact that Mr. Geo. H. Sampson of Amesbury, Mass., has leased the Wollaston Steam Laundry, and will conduct the same on his own account on and after the 18th inst., I would thank you for past patronage, and bespeak a continuance of the same for Mr. Sampson, who is a thorough laundryman, with a reputation for turning out high grade work.

HORACE P. KENT.
Jan. 16. 2w

TRUE'S PIN WORM ELIXIR
Best for Children

DR. RALPH M. FOGG,
DENTIST.
Teeth extracted absolutely without pain by the use of the
"Boston Vegetable Vapor."
It is claimed that, while it has the required properties of ether, chloroform, nitrous oxide gas, it lacks the disagreeable and dangerous qualities of these drugs. It is certainly a boon to suffering humanity to be relieved of the nausea too often following the administering of sedatives of the old school.—Boston Transcript.
Teeth made and repaired on Gold or Rubber base. Teeth Filling a specialty.
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With Its Aid the Strongest Safe Can Be Opened In Ten Minutes.

A few weeks ago I printed in this column a statement made by a Chicago burglar to the effect that electricity could be utilized for opening safes and that the work could be done quickly, quietly and safely.

This hint evidently set the electrical experts to thinking and the safe manufacturers to experimenting, for it has been practically demonstrated in this city within the last ten days that no safe is "burglar proof" providing the burglar can utilize electricity in his work. Several of the best safes in the market, guaranteed to be "burglar proof," have been entered by means of the electric carbon within ten minutes, and those who have watched the experiment are a unit in declaring that the application of electricity to burglary means the practical abolition of heavy safes. It is declared that the safe of the future will be built just heavy enough to protect against fire, and here its mission will end.

Since this matter has attracted so much attention, it may not be amiss to name the man who discovered that it is possible to melt a hole through several inches of solid steel and iron in a few minutes with an ordinary stick of carbon. The credit for this discovery rests with Chicago's own peculiar criminal puzzle, "Sleepy" Burke.

One day in 1893 Burke was going through the Electrical building at the World's fair and saw an experiment there which immediately interested him. An exhibitor was burning holes through various metals by electricity. He explained to the intensely interested Mr. Burke that the heat generated by the electricity almost instantly took the "temper" out of the hardest metals—even case hardened steel—and that the softened metal could then be melted almost as easily as lead. "Sleepy" thanked him and passed on. That little experiment, however, marked a new era in safemaking and in the development of crime.—Frank S. Pixley in Chicago Times-Herald.

AN EIGHT TON MOLLUSK.

The Giant Octopus Cast Up on Florida's Shore Has Been Photographed.

The huge mollusk ashore on the beach of Anastasia island continues to attract the attention of scientists. Dr. De Witt Webb has received instructions to spare no expense in obtaining a series of photographs of the carcass, and with this end in view he engaged four heavy horses, a dozen men, and with three sets of tackle went to South Beach for the purpose of raising the heavy object from its bed in the sand and placing it upon a board platform so that it could be photographed and examined on all sides.

When the party reached the mollusk, the tide was found to be favorable for work, and after several hours of labor the great mass was hauled from the sand in which it was imbedded and placed on a platform of boards. The men at work, who are in the habit of handling heavy weights, state that the carcass weighs fully eight tons. What it weighed when alive must be imagined, but it must have been great, for the mass has been ashore for nearly two months, and if it is true that it floated from the arctic regions it lost its tentacles and shell en route. The shape of that part of the mollusk that was imbedded in the sand is similar to that which was exposed from the time it came ashore, but another series of photographs will be taken, as a view of the entire mass can now be obtained since it has been placed on the platform. These photographs will be sent to the Smithsonian institution and to Yale college for the purpose of classification.—Florida Citizen.

YOUR HAND ON YOUR HEART.

New "Secret Sign" of the Metal Polishers and Buffers' Union.

Though the labor unions are getting tired of the old grips and passwords which used to hold them together, they are still in favor of signs to identify members at meetings. Among the organizations which have abolished grips and passwords and still stick to the signs is the International Union of Metal Polishers, Buffers, Platers and Brass Workers. This organization has established an entirely new sign to be used by members when they are entering union meetings and leaving them. It has issued a statement giving the sign to be used in future. The statement says:

"The proper sign to be made in the future on entering or retiring from a room where there is a meeting is by placing the left hand over the heart and raising the right perpendicularly over the head. The president will answer by placing the left over his heart. All signs made previously will be discontinued."

Nobody is supposed to know anything about these signs except the members of the union, and they are not supposed to give them away. The meetings are secret, and only those who can give the signs will be admitted. Each member is to carry his duebook to the meeting. If they have not their duebooks, they are looked upon as nonunion people, unless they are vouched for by the financial secretary.—New York Sun.

Grand Central to Be Rebuilt.

The Grand Central railroad station at New York is to be practically rebuilt at a cost of $500,000. Plans for the reconstruction are almost completed, and work will be begun as soon as possible. The cramped quarters have forced many important officials to seek rooms in adjacent office buildings. Two new stories will be added to the present structure to give room for all such officers. The arrangement for ticket selling will also be improved. At present each of the three Vanderbilt roads whose terminals are in the Grand Central station has its own waiting rooms and ticket offices. Much confusion is thus caused. A combined general ticket office for all three is planned.

The Midwinter Number
FEBRUARY CENTURY
Ready Saturday, Jan. 30.

Get an early copy. The edition of the January Century was exhausted within a few days of issue.

The serials "Campaigning with Grant," by General Horace Porter, and "Hugh Wynne, Free Quaker," by Dr. S. Weir Mitchell, are the magazine successes of the year.

Ready on Saturday at 11 o'clock.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS.

Advertisements in this column inserted at the following rates:
Four lines, one day ..... 25 cents.
" three days ..... 50 "
" one week ..... 75 "
Additional lines will be charged for pro rata. Seven words equal a line. Long term rates furnished on application.

FOUND.

FOUND—A nice Bull Dog, which the owner can have on paying charges, by calling at 61 Quincy street, between 5 and 6 o'clock P. M.
Quincy, Jan. 28, 3t

WANTED.

WANTED—Pasters and girls to learn shoe stitching. Wanted at once. OLD COLONY BOOT & SHOE CO.
Quincy, Jan. 28—3t 30-1w

TO LET.

TO LET—Newly furnished front room in private family, for gentleman and wife or two gentlemen. First-class table board and all conveniences; five minute's walk from Quincy station. Address B, LEDGER office.
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TO LET—One-half house of nine rooms. Apply to WARREN S. PARKER, No. 5 Hancock court.
Quincy, Jan. 21. tf

TO LET—A pleasant, sunny tenement of three connecting rooms at low rent. Centrally located. Apply at LEDGER office.

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—A Goddard Buggy and Harness, at 22 School street.
Quincy, Jan. 25. 18t

EVERY Thing needed for Fine and Common Furniture at prices and on terms that will please you. GUY'S COLISEUM.

GOT ANYTHING FOR SALE? An advertisement in this column will bring you hundreds of offers. Seventy-five cents for six times.

TO LET.
AT HOTEL GREENLEAF,
One suite of three front rooms on second floor, and one of two rooms, (front parlor and bedroom) on first floor. At very moderate terms.
CHAS. A. HAYDEN.
Jan. 19—1y

Houses, Stables, Land,
ROOMS AND WHARVES
TO LET IN QUINCY, MASS.

Half house, 5 rooms, in perfect repair, on Pond street, 10 minutes' walk from depot and a short distance from electric cars. $10 per month.
Half house, 5 rooms, No. 67 Canal street, now occupied by Daniel Kearns. Also, large stable with six stalls, if wanted.
Five tenements and houses, with stables, at Quincy Neck.
Stable, 4 stalls and carriage house, near the head of Granite street.
Wharves and large building at Brackett's Wharf.
House, 10 rooms, in perfect repair, 18 Coddington street.
House, 12 rooms, with stable and sheds, 16 Cottage street.
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The Painless Dentist.
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TEETH EXTRACTED WITHOUT PAIN.
Fillings the same way. No pain; no danger of any kind; perfectly safe.
I still make teeth for $8.00 per set with no charge for extracting where teeth are to be inserted.
Quincy, Dec. 9. tf

Acorn and Magee Ranges.
A small payment and balance by the month.
GUY'S Coliseum, Quincy.

Remnants of Carpets

Will be sold at big discounts. Call and see them.

GUY'S COLISEUM, - QUINCY.

Quincy & Boston ELECTRIC STREET RAILWAY.

[Subject to change without notice.]

On and after Friday, Jan. 1, 1897, cars will make trips on week days as follows:

Quincy and Neponset.

Leave CITY HALL for Neponset—6.00 A. M., 6.15, 6.30, 6.45, 7.00, and every 15, 30, 45 and 60 minutes past the hour until 7.00 P. M., then every half hour until 10.50 P. M. Cars leaving Quincy on the hour via. Norfolk Downs, except 6.00 P. M.

Leave NEPONSET—6.22 A. M., 6.37, 6.52, 7.07, 7.22, and every 7, 22, 37 and 52 minutes past the hour until 7.00 o'clock, then every half hour until 11 P. M.; last car for Quincy at 11.15 P. M. Cars leaving Neponset 22 minutes past the hour via. Norfolk Downs.

Quincy and East Weymouth.

Leave CITY HALL (10 minutes later from Quincy Point and 22 minutes later from North Weymouth)—5.45, 6.20, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, 11.20, 11.50 A. M.; 12.20, 12.50, 1.20, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20 4.50 5.20 (5.30 to East Weymouth car house), 5.50, 6.20, 6.30, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.50 P. M.

Leave EAST WEYMOUTH (20 minutes later from North Weymouth and 30 minutes later from Quincy Point)—6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11, 11.30 A. M.; 12, 12.30, 1, 1.30, 2, 2.30, 3, 3.30, 4, 4.30, 5, 5.30, 6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11.30 P. M.

Quincy and East Milton.

Leave CITY HALL, 5.55, 6.25, then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 7.55 P. M., then at 9.50 and 10.50 P. M.

Leave EAST MILTON, 6.30, 7.00 A. M., then on the hour and half hour until 9.30 P.M., then at 10.20 and 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and Holbrook.

Leave QUINCY for SOUTH BRAINTREE and HOLBROOK at 6.10 and 6.40 A. M., and every 10 minutes past and 20 minutes of the hour until 10.10 P. M. Last car leaves at 10.50 P. M. On Saturdays the last car leaves Quincy at 11.50 P. M.

Returning cars leave HOLBROOK for SOUTH BRAINTREE and QUINCY at 5.55 and 6.25 A. M., and every 25 minutes past and 5 minutes of the hour until 9.55 P.M. Last car leaves Holbrook at 11.30 P. M.

☞ On Sundays on the Weymouth route cars will leave Quincy on the hour and half hour and East Weymouth at quarter past and quarter of the hour.

☞ Special trips can be arranged on application to the Superintendent.

☞ At Quincy Centre close connection is made with Electric Cars on all the routes.

☞ At Neponset close connection is made with West End Street Cars to and from Boston.

☞ Cars are due at Beale street, Wollaston, ten minutes after leaving Neponset and seven minutes after leaving Quincy.

BENJ. J. WEEKS, Superintendent.

New York, New Haven and Hartford R. R.

OLD COLONY SYSTEM.

On and after Jan. 17, 1897, trains will run as follows: (See note of explanation at bottom.)

TO BOSTON. Leave Quincy.	Stops at	Arrive Boston.	FROM BOSTON. Leave Boston.	Stops at	Arrive Quincy
r 6 12 abc	*	6 30	5 53 ihgfedcba	*	6 20 r
r 6 42 abc		7 00	6 30 cba		6 49 r
r 7 12 abc		7 30	7 30 cba		7 49 r
7 29 a		7 48	8 30 cba		8 49 r
r 7 42 abc		8 00	9 30 cba		9 49 r
r 8 12 abc		8 30	10 30 cba		10 49 r
8 29 a		8 45	11 30 cba		11 49 r
r 8 42 abc		9 00	12 00 (xx)		12 15
r 9 12 abc		9 30	12 30 cba		12 49 r
r 10 12 abc		10 30	1 30 cba		1 49 r
r 11 12 abc		11 30	2 30 cba		2 49 r
r 12 12 abc		12 30	3 30 cba		3 49 r
r 1 12 abc		1 30	4 30 cba		4 49 r
1 46 (xx)		2 00	5 00 cba		5 19 r
r 2 12 abc		2 30	5 15 a		5 32
r 3 12 abc		3 30	5 30 cba		5 49 r
r 4 12 abc		4 30	6 00 cba		6 19 r
r 5 12 abc		5 30	6 15 a		6 32
r 6 12 abc		6 30	6 30 cba		6 49 r
r 7 12 abc		7 30	7 00 cba		7 19 r
r 7 41 abcdefghi		8 07	7 30 cba		7 49 r
r 8 08 abcdef		8 30	8 30 fedcba		8 53 r
r 9 12 abc		9 30	9 30 cba		9 49 r
r 10 08 abcdef		10 30	10 30 fedcba		10 53 r
r 10 34 abcdefghi		11 08	11 00 ihgfedcba		11 27 r
r 11 12 abc		11 30	11 30 cba		11 49 r
SUNDAYS.					
6 38 abcdef		7 00	4 05 fda		4 23
8 46 (xx)		9 00	7 30 fedcba		7 53 r
r 9 12 abc		9 30	8 30 (xx)		8 45 r
r 12 16 (xx)		12 30	9 30 ihgfedcba		9 57 r
1 07 abc		1 25	10 30 ihgfedcba		10 57 r
2 16 (xx)		2 30	11 30 (xx)		11 45
r 3 04 abcdefghi		3 30	12 35 cba		12 54
r 4 04 abcdefghi		4 30	1 30 (xx)		1 45
5 16 (xx)		5 30	4 30 cba		4 49 r
r 6 08 abcdef		6 30	5 00 (xx)		5 15
r 9 08 abcdef		9 30	7 00 fedcba		7 23 r
9 38 adf		9 55	10 30 fedcba		10 53 r

*The letters in the same line as the figures stand for different stations and indicate that trains stop, as follows:

a, Wollaston. g, Savin Hill.
b, Norfolk Downs h, Crescent Avenue.
c, Atlantic. i, South Boston.
d, Neponset.
e, Pope's Hill. r, Quincy Adams.
f, Harrison Square. (xx), Express.

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Our Prices

Will be found, even if we sell on instalments, lower than you will find in some cash stores.

Guy's Coliseum, Quincy.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

NORFOLK, ss. PROBATE COURT.

TO the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin and all other persons interested in the estate of ELIZA A. TOWNSEND,

late of Brookline, in said County, deceased.

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, has been presented to said Court for probate by Frank A. Townsend of said Brookline, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, without giving a surety on his official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Dedham, in said County of Norfolk, on the third day of February, A. D., 1897, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week for three successive weeks, in the QUINCY DAILY LEDGER, a newspaper published in said Quincy, the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, and by mailing, post-paid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, George White, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this thirteenth day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.

3t 15-22-29

The Daily Ledger.

FOR SALE BY NEWSBOYS and at the following places:

BOSTON—Old Colony News Stand after 3.30 P. M.
QUINCY—Ledger Office, 115 Hancock street.
Souther's Periodical Store, 1 Granite street.
McGovern Bros.', Adams building.
C. F. Carlson, near Quincy depot.
Stephen Pierce, corner of Hancock and School streets.
WEST QUINCY—Ceram's Periodical store Copeland Street, and his carriers.
BREWER'S CORNER—Emma Lark, Copeland Street.
WOLLASTON—Ross' news stand and carriers.
NORFOLK DOWNS—Branscheid & Martens and their carriers.
ATLANTIC—Brancheid & Martens News Agency and their carriers.
QUINCY POINT—Miss Freeman's store.
SOUTH QUINCY—Peter Haverly, Water street.
F. J. Pierson, 96 Granite street.
O. D. Chick, 59 Liberty street.
EAST MILTON—William Clark's periodical store and his carriers.
EAST WEYMOUTH—George H. Hunt.
WEYMOUTH LANDING—W. E. Cunningham.
NO. WEYMOUTH—B. F. Thomas.

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MOON'S PHASES.

New Moon	3	1:03 a.m.	Full Moon	18	3:17 p.m.
First Quarter	10	4:46 p.m.	Third Quarter	25	3:08 p.m.

THE WEATHER INDICATIONS.

ALMANAC, FRIDAY, JAN. 29.

Sun rises—7; sun sets, 4:55.
Length of day—9h. 55m.
Moon rises—4:47 a. m.
Full sea—8 a. m., 8:45 p. m.

Forecast for New England: Fair in southern portion and snow, followed by clearing weather in northern portion; brisk and high northwesterly winds; slightly colder tonight.

The Man For Her.

"Some girls ask for men who are wealthy,"
A maid who was sensible said,
"And some want men who are handsome,
While others prefer them well bred.

"There is Kate wants a man who's an artist,
And Sue sighs for one who can write—
Write sonnets concerning her beauty
To fill the wide world with delight.

"Fair Eunice would marry an actor.
A title sweet Alice prefers.
An athlete alone may ever claim her,
The gentle Gwendoline avers.

"Fair Frances declares that she never
Will marry unless she is wooed
By a man who regards as abhorrent
The silly and simpering dude.

"A statesman for Grace, while Georgiana
Upon the militiaman dotes.
As for me—well, all that I want is
A man who has sown his wild oats."

The trees that lift their leafless limbs in March
Are like the specters that our dreams invade.
Let one May morning kiss the sky's blue arch,
And, lo, the ghosts are laid!

—Clinton Scollard.

Police Court.



—New York Journal.

Pingree Personally Pardons.

Lansing, Mich., Jan. 29.—Governor Pingree added another chapter to his dramatic career by going to the Jackson prison and in person delivering pardons to August Fuhrman, Carl Voegler, August Grosman and Henry Jacobs, who were convicted four years ago of the crime of murdering Albert Moliter at Rogers City, Presque Isle county, in 1873. Moliter was a dictator among his German countrymen, whom he had induced to settle in the wilderness. His reign became so despotic and cruel that a secret oath was taken by his subjects that they would take his life, and that, should any of the conspirators reveal the secret crime, it should be fastened upon him. The deed was accomplished as Moliter was working in his store one August night. No clue to the perpetrators was had until 1893, when one Repeke confessed to the participation in it, and implicated the men who were pardoned, and they were all convicted and sentenced to life imprisonment. Subsequently, Repeke made affidavit that his testimony was perjury. The case was taken up by the state board of pardons, who, after two years, expressed the belief that the men were innocent, and that the real perpetrators of the crime were dead or beyond reach of the law. The board recommended pardons, which resulted in the action of Governor Pingree.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY.

Take laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. 25c.

SIX DECIDED UPON.

President-Elect M'Kinley's Cabinet Nearly Completed.

Two Formal Acceptances Are Made Known.

Sherman, Gage, Long, Alger, McKenna and Wilson Selected.

Washington, Jan. 29.—With the acceptance of the treasury by Mr. Gage, Major McKinley can almost say that his cabinet is completed.

Formal tenders have been made to only two—Senator Sherman and Lyman J. Gage—but Major McKinley has decided upon four others. The progress so far made in the construction of the cabinet is as follows:

Secretary of state—John Sherman of Ohio.

Secretary of the treasury—Lyman J Gage of Illinois.

Secretary of the navy—John D. Long of Massachusetts.

Secretary of war—Russell A. Alger of Michigan.

Secretary of the interior—Joseph McKenna of California.

Secretary of agriculture—James A Wilson of Iowa.

The president-elect has not as yet decided fully upon his attorney general or his postmaster general.

For the former post, Judge Goff of West Virginia is almost a certainty Judge Goff will be in the cabinet in one post or another, but, till the New York situation is settled, or the postmaster generalship is decided upon, Judge Goff's precise place in the ministry will not be determined. He is subject to shift.

Gage Announces Acceptance.

Canton, O., Jan. 29.—Lyman J. Gage, president of the First National bank of Chicago, will be secretary of the treasury in Mr. McKinley's cabinet. He made this announcement after a conference with Major McKinley lasting one hour. He said:

"Mr. McKinley offered me the treasury portfolio. I told him I would accept the honor and fill the position to the best of my ability." Beyond this, he had little to say. He declined to discuss any feature of the policy of the incoming administration or any matter other than that relating to himself. He said there was no ground for the publication that he was a gold Democrat during the campaign. His only affiliation with the Democratic party, he said, was in 1884 when he voted for Cleveland. He also said that he and Major McKinley substantially agree on the tariff question.

Lyman J. Gage was born at Deruyter Madison county, N. Y., June 28, 1836. His parents, who were both born in the state of New York, were of English stock. When Lyman J. Gage was 11 years of age, his parents moved to Rome N. Y., where he entered the Rome academy, where he remained four years, the term he spent in that school practically constituting his entire school education. In 1854 he secured a position in the Oneida Central bank of Rome at a salary of $100 per year, and remained with the bank 18 months. He came to Chicago in the fall of 1855, and was engaged as a bookkeeper by a lumber firm. His duties as bookkeeper, however, comprised the driving of one of the teams belonging to the firm and loading and unloading lumber. He also acted for a time as night watchman While he was thus engaged, he was offered the position of bookkeeper of the Merchants' Savings Loan and Trust company, and this was the actual beginning of his career as a banker.

In the spring of 1860 he had worked his way up to the position of assistant cashier, and later to that of cashier which he held until 1863, when he left the Merchants' Loan and Trust company to accept a similar position with the First National bank, with which institution he has been identified until the present time.

The old charter of the bank expired in 1882, and, upon its reorganization, he was chosen vice president and general manager. About this time his financial ability was paid a high compliment by his election to the presidency of the American Bankers' association. On Jan. 24, 1891, he was elected president of the First National bank, and still holds that position. He was prominent in all of the work that made the World's fair a great success, and was one of the four men, J. J. P. Odell, Wirt Dexter and J. W. Doane being the others, who practically guaranteed that Chicago would carry out its pledge of raising $10,000,000 for the building of the fair.

Mr. Gage has been twice married, his first wife being Miss Sarah Etheridge of Little Falls, N. Y., whom he married in 1864. She died in 1874, and in 1877 he married Cornelia Gage of Denver.

He is domestic in his manners, pleasant and affable, and is easy of approach at all times.

National Board of Trade Adjourns.

Washington, Jan. 29.—The national board of trade yesterday completed the consideration of the various matters that has engaged its attention, and adjourned, to meet in this city again in December next. During the three days in which the meeting has lasted, many matters of great importance to the financial, mercantile and maritime interests have been fully and freely discussed by representative business men from all parts of the country, and information respecting the needs of individual interests were gained. The board took favorable action on a number of propositions that had been advanced by boards of trade throughout the country.

Washington Deadlock Broken.

Olympia, Wash., Jan. 29.—George E. Turner of Spokane was last night nominated for United States senator in a caucus of Populist and free silver Republicans. He received 54 votes. Judge Turner has been a Republican, but in the late election he supported Bryan. He is considered one of the ablest lawyers in the state of Washington. From 1884 to 1888 he was territorial governor.

Governor Murray Summoned to England.

St. John's N. F., Jan. 29.—Governor Murray has been summoned to England on important public business. He expects to leave next week. It is believed that his mission is connected with the fortifying of St. John's.

FOUGHT A DRAW.

Eddie Connolly Puts Up a Desperate Fight Against Dick Burge.

Birmingham, Eng., Jan. 29.—The fight between Dick Burge and Eddie Connolly, for $5000, which took place at the Olympic club here last night, and was declared a draw in the 11th round, caused unusual excitement, extra police being necessary to preserve order. Dick Burge was the favorite. He weighed 143 pounds, while Connolly weighed only 138 pounds. Connolly was the first to reach the ringside, and he was accorded a feeble reception. Burge was given an ovation. This caused the manager of the club to step to the front and announce that any expressions indicative of favoritism would be followed by the expulsion of persons expressing them.

The first two rounds were decidedly in Burge's favor. Then the excitement became intense, for it was seen that a stubborn fight was intended. In the third round Connolly drew the first blood. He landed a succession of heavy half arm blows on Burge's chest, and neck. This caused Burge's trainer to shout: "Do the Yankee, Dick."

For this interference in the fight, Burge's trainer was severely rebuked by the referee.

The fourth round favored Connolly, who landed heavily on his opponent's face, causing Burge to bleed profusely. After several clinches, Connolly displayed considerable agility. There was little change in the fifth round, Connolly's tactics, however, seeming to produce some effect upon his opponent's wind. In the sixth round, Burge forced the fighting and rushed Connolly to the ropes. The latter, feinting, slipped and nearly fell down, and Burge landed with terrific force on his opponent's face. For a moment, the fight seemed nearly over, but Connolly gamely recovered, and the round ended with terrible punishment for both.

The seventh round proved to be a repetition of this savage fighting. Excitement was at fever heat, many of the members of the club jumping up in their seats and shouting: "Stop the fight" and "Call the police." Connolly's face could scarcely be recognized during this round. Still, he seemed to have a slight advantage, though Burge's body blows left him almost winded.

Both responded gamely when time was called at the beginning of the 11th round. The fighting was of the most terrific order. The referee enterede the ring and signalled for silence. He then said: "We must stop this fighting." Instantly pandemonium reigned throughout the clubroom. Three hundred men sprang to their feet, positively mad with the excitement of the moment as the referee declared the fight a draw. Connolly's seconds helped him to his dressing room. Burge became furious, and fought his own seconds, raved and tried to get at Connolly's trainer, Kelly Burge's friends finally succeded in getting him away from the clubroom, his head enveloped in a coat. The police formed a line, and compelled the unwilling members of the club to retire. The crowd outside joined with those who had witnessed the contest in cursing the decision of the referee. After the fight and the excitement was over, a correspondent succeeded in obtaining an interview with Connolly. Connolly's head was terribly battered. Apart from this, he said he had felt no ill effects from the fight. Asked his opinion concerning the contest, Cononlly replied:

"It really was such hot work that I do not know what happened. I hope my Boston friends will understand that it was a great battle."

Campaign Plans of Suffragists.

Des Moines, Jan. 29.—The National Woman Suffrage association indulged in a heated debate yesterday on the proposition for a plan of work, led by Clara B. Colby of Nebraska, to add the chairmen of standing committees to the business committee of the association, thereby enlarging it to four members. Mrs. McCulloch of Illinois, Addison of Kansas, Atwater of Montana, Nelson of Minnesota, Devere of Indiana favored enlargement to give all the branches of suffrage work better representation on the managing committee It was opposed by Susan B. Anthony Rachael Foster Avery of Pennsylvania, Carrie S. Chapman Catt of New York, Anna Howard Shaw of Pennsylvania, Mrs. Bradford of Colorado, Henry B Blackwell of Massachusetts and others on the ground that enlargement would make a cumbersome committee and impossible to get together, and would interfere with the efficiency of the work The proposition was defeated, 35 to 19 It was decided to insist that the national organization should control state campaigns where the national association gives aid. National workers say that state workers in the new states who have not had experience do not know how to run a campaign as well as the national workers who have been through it in other states. Miss Anthony declared she would never take hard-earned money, contributed for this purpose, into state campaigns, unless she could control the campaign. The person who contributed money controls the campaign nowadays, she said. The following officers were re-elected: President, Susan B. Anthony; vice president at large, Rev. Anna H. Shaw, Philadelphia; corresponding secretary Mrs. Rachael F. Avery, Philadelphia.

Weyler to Be Deposed.

Madrid, Jan. 29.—It has been decided by the cabinet to depose General Weyler and in his stead appoint General Azcarraga, the present minister of war Weyler will be continued, for the present at least, as commander of the military forces, and will therefore by subordinate to Azcarraga, whose title will be the governor of Cuba.

The Storm King's Visit.

Boston, Jan. 29.—The severest snow storm of the winter visited New England yesterday. Trains were stalled at many points, and the street car lines in nearly all the cities were blocked. The same conditions prevailed in New York. No casualties have been reported.

West Point Appointments.

Washington, Jan. 29.—The following cadet appointments to the military academy have been made: Arthur H Bryant (alternate), East Hartford, Conn.; Joseph B. Bancroft, Hopedale, Mass.

Burke Guilty.

Portland, Me., Jan. 29.—The jury in the case of George W. Murray, alias "Ullie" Burke, who has been on trial here for burglary, brought in a verdict of guilty.

WASHINGTON BUDGET.

Matters of Public Interest Considered by National Legislature.

New Plan to Settle the Pacific Railroad Debts.

Removal of Objection of Northwestern Senators to Arbitration Treaty.

Washington, Jan. 29.—Nearly all of yesterday was devoted to executive session by the senate.

During the open session, the bill for an International monetary conference was debated, Mr. Chander speaking in favor of it and Mr. Stewart of Nevada against. It is expected that a vote will be reached today, although Mr. Pettigrew of South Dakota announced a speech which may lead to further delay.

The Nicaragua canal bill and the bankruptcy bill were before the senate for a brief time, but no progress was made on either of them. Early in the day a lively debate occurred over Mr. Allison's resolution questioning the president's right to foreclose against the Pacific railroads. The resolution went over for a speech by Mr. Thurston of Nebraska today.

The house passed the Indian appropriation bill, and entered upon the consideration of the agricultural appropriation bill, but all interest in these two measures was overshadowed by the very remarkable speeches, one made by Mr. Grosvenor of Ohio, attacking ex-Governor Altgeld of Illinois, and the other by Mr. DeArmond of Missouri, heaping ridicule on Secretary Morton for the recent issue of a pamphlet entitled "The Farmers' Interest In Finance." Mr. Grosvenor was very personal in his allusions to Mr. Altgeld, laying at his door much grave responsibility for the result of the election.

Mr. DeArmond replied very briefly to Mr. Grosvenor, but it was his subsequent attack on Secretary Morton which created the sensation. Mr. DeArmond is a Democrat and an ardent advocate of silver, and therefore his attack on a Democratic cabinet official who has been most active on the gold side of the controversy excited less surprise than it otherwise would have done.

One Obstacle Obviated.

Washington, Jan. 29.—One of the obstacles to the ratification by the senate of the general arbitration treaty has been removed in the arrangement by negotiation of a plan for the settlement of the Alaskan boundary question. In the course of a day or two, a treaty will be laid before the senate for its action, which, ratified, will provide the means for the final settlement of the long-standing boundary question.

Certain of the northwestern senators have secretly opposed the general arbitration treaty, because of a determination on their part not to have this boundary question submitted to arbitration. They felt that the territory was too valuable, since the discovery of the great gold deposits there, to chance its loss through any such accident as the appointment of an European umpire, and their objections were not overcome by repeated representations to the effect that such disputes might be easily excepted from the operations of the general treaty. Now, however, by the treatment of the Alaskan boundary in a separate treaty, the whole subject can be easily removed from the path of the general treaty and disposed of in advance, if necessary. This special treaty is similar in terms to the usual run of such treaties, and provides for the appointment of a commission to visit the country and fix definitely the 110th meridian, which, under the treaty of cession to the United States, forms the boundary between that territory and the British northwest territory.

To Settle Pacific Railroad Debts.

Washington, Jan. 29.—A step toward reopening the Pacific railroad legislation in congress was taken yesterday by the sub-committee of the house committee on Pacific railroads, which was appointed to consider the bill for a commission to settle the indebtedness of the roads to the government. It was decided to recommend to the full committee the bill introduced in the senate by Senator Gear, with amendments, which is practically Mr. Harrison's plan, and the bill will be reported to the house if it is agreed upon by the full committee, at the meeting which Chairman Powers has called for tomorrow.

The commission provided by the bill is to consist of the secretaries of the treasury and interior, and the attorney general and their successors in office. The commission is to be empowered to take sworn testimony and summon persons and papers. In any settlement it makes it must reserve to congress the right to regulate freight and passenger rates. Two amendments were adopted by the sub-committee one requiring the commission to report to congress one year after the passage of the bill, the other providing that the act shall be subject to amendment or repeal at any time; shall not impair any rights now existing in favor of the United States or interfere with or supersede any pending proceedings in behalf of the United States or any other that the president may elect to prosecute.

The second amendment was proposed by Representative Patterson (Tenn.) Representative Hubbard (Mo.), offered as a substitute a bill for a separate settlemen of the Souix City and Pacific debts.

Populist Succeeds Dubois.

Boise, Ia., Jan. 29.—Henry Heitfeld is elected United States senator, to succeed Dubois. The senator-elect is a Populist. He is a farmer, and represents Nez Perce county in the state senate. His age is 40. His education is apparently only of a rudimentary character. The decisive ballot was: Heitfeld, 39, Dubois, 30; T. F. Nelson, 1. Heitfeld got 13 Democratic votes and one Republican.

Senator Platt Ill.

New York, Jan. 29.—Senator-elect Thomas C. Platt will leave here tomorrow for a three weeks' vacation in Florida. The senator-elect returned to this city on Wednesday from Albany a sick man, having contracted a severe cold, which confines him to his rooms.

Collision on the Elevated.

New York, Jan. 29.—A collision on the Lexington avenue branch of the elevated occurred last night. Eight persons were badly injured. Engineer Thomas Gaffney died from his wounds.

The Key To the Land of Nod.



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Never did the parlor of the The Greenleaf look handsomer than on Wednesday evening when Adams Chapter, Daughters of the Revolution gave a reception to celebrate the first anniversary of their organization in Quincy. The stairway was draped with a large flag and the entrance to the parlor was hung with flags, while about the room were butterfly knots of red, white and blue, and potted plants. A dainty lunch was served in Miss Potter's private parlor which leads off from the main parlor. The decorations here were very attractive. The D. R. colors buff and blue were draped from the chandelier while the table looked more than pretty with a mound of red, white and blue flowers in the centre surrounded by candelabras with red, white and blue candles and butterfly decorations of red, white and blue on the corners.

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Mrs. Eben W. Sheppard has issued invitations for matinee whist on Monday, February 8th.

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Now that Mrs. Charles Dana Gibson has taken to wearing the scarf as a head-dress it will doubtless jump into popularity. A scarf of thin, soft material is graceful and becoming to a woman of style and grace.

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It was a flying visit which Col. Parker made to this city this week, coming and going the same evening. A brief reception was held at the High school after his lecture, and many were pleased to shake hands with him.

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Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Willis, Mrs. Hubert Jennings and Miss Hattie Ellis of Braintree, attended the 3d and last "at home" of Mr. and Mrs. G. O. Wales on Wednesday night.

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At the meeting of the Friday club with Miss Flint, the subjects treated were: the Russian army, the police system, the press establishment and censorship. Mrs. Wason and Mrs. Alden had charge of the exercises. An elegant tea concluded the afternoon.

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There seems to be every reason to believe that smooth plain cloths will be the favorites for spring costumes. All the wood colors, shades of gray, currant red and bright blues will be the fashionable colors.

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Miss Ruth Randall of Adams street leaves today for Bryn Mawr where she expects to enjoy college life for the next few years. She will be much missed by the young people who have always found the door of the Randall homestead hospitably open and have enjoyed many pleasant times in Miss Randall's company.

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The young ladies to act as ushers at the musical medley entertainment, to be given for the benefit of the Episcopal society, at Hancock hall next Friday and Saturday are: Miss Florence Arnold, Miss Mary D. Brewer, Miss Grace Burke, Miss Anne Chamberlain, Miss Bertha Cote, Miss Edith Cote, Miss Susan Packard, Miss Pauline Wilkins and Miss Frances Wilson.

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Miss Rosetta Key of Winthrop, whose singing was so much enjoyed at the D. R. reception at The Greenleaf on Wednesday evening, at one time lived at Wollaston, her father being pastor over the Unitarian church. Miss Key has many friends in Wollaston and Quincy.

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Miss Mazie Hastings one of Wollaston's popular young soloists sang several selections at the reception given by Adams Chapter at the Greenleaf on Wednesday evening.

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Several Atlantic people took part in the musical programme at the reception given at Hotel Greenleaf on Wednesday evening by the Daughters of the Revolution of Quincy. Mrs. W. F. Cummings and Miss Alice Coe sang a duet, and each a solo, Mrs. Charles L. Coe acting as accompanist. Capt. and Mrs. B. R. Redman, Miss Mary L. Hinkley and Mr. Coe attended the reception.

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Mr. and Mrs. Horace Burgess, of Hancock street, Braintree, celebrated the 10th anniversary of their marriage last Saturday night.

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Six to ten dance by the Bachelor Club at Braintree tonight.

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Yesterday the Friday club met at Mrs. Arnold's, Coddington street, and was under the direction of Mrs. Welch. "Siberia, the physical aspects of the country and the exile system of Russia," were taken for the afternoon's work. The usual tea, embracing articles served in Russia, but prepared in American fashion, was served at the close of the exercises.

The patronesses of the Episcopal entertainment at Hancock hall next week are: Miss Elizabeth C. Adams, Mrs. E. Watson Arnold, Mrs. Zenas S. Arnold, Mrs. Walter R. Breed, Mrs. Frank Brewer, Mrs. John J. Crawford, Mrs. J. L. Drake, Mrs. Gregg, Mrs. Theodore Hardwick, Miss Flora Howe, Mrs. D. L. Jewell, Mrs. Leigh, Mrs. Elisha Packard and Mrs. Hazen E. Ricker.

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The South Braintree whist club met at the home of Miss Ethel Brooks on Franklin street Friday evening. The booby prize was won by Miss Bessie Leonard and the first by Miss Mabel Mullen. The club will meet next with H. Parker Hobart on Washington street.

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Mr. and Mrs. A. Q. Miller of Brockton, Mr. and Mrs. W. Dickinson of Norfolk Downs, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Tirrell, and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Dennen of Quincy attended the Odd Fellows party at East Weymouth Friday evening and were guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. K. Cushing.

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Many who have read the bright Irish stories by Mrs. Margaret Hungerford, better known as "The Duchess" are sorry to learn of her death on Sunday at Bandon, Ireland.

The Theatricals.

The entertainment for the Woman's Alliance of the First church was well attended last evening. Each part in "Poor Pillicoddy" was extremely well taken, and under Mr. Dewson's charge this bright old English comedy, which was given last winter, also, is sufficiently enjoyable to be repeated each season. The parts taken were by Mr. Crane, Mr. Dewson, Mrs. Hunting, Miss Kendall and Miss Randall.

Miss Randall has also made a success of the comic operetta, "The Grasshoppers," taken by Mr. Harlow, Mr. Arnold, Mr. Sibley, Mr. Porter, Mrs. Hunting and Mrs. Drake as soloists, and a chorus of our young people as butterflies and grasshoppers, with one inimitable turkey gobbler. The make-up of these parts is extremely funny, Mr. Harlow taking off the palm as "leading gentleman."

The work for which the proceeds of this will be used is denominational in a way, reaching out to the South and West, and at Christmas time including some home charity. Study, correspondence, original papers and lectures make alliance work valuable. All Quincy ladies are welcome at their sessions.

A New Yacht Club.

A new yacht club has had its birth in Wollaston. About two weeks ago a call was issued to parties who enjoy yachting and who might be interested in forming a club. The response was gratifying and earnest, a goodly number being present.

The matter of a club was discussed and being favored by all present the initiatory steps were taken in its organization.

At this time the club has held its third meeting and the organization is being rapidly perfected. The club will be an incorporated body known as the Wollaston Yacht club. The officers elected for the present year are as follows:

Commodore,—Mr. Frank Burgess.
Vice Commodore,—Mr. A. T. Barstow.
Rear Commodore,—Mr. E. Hardy.
Fleet Captain,—Mr. Henry Nelson.
Treasurer,—Mr. Charles F. Marr.
Secretary,—Mr. S. L. Willis.
Financial Secretary,—Mr. C. W. Page.
Measurer,—Mr. F. W. Green.

Quarters for the club have been secured of Messrs. Stewart & Garvin in the new building now in process of construction on Quincy bay near the foot of Beach street, Norfolk Downs. Quarters will consist of locker room on first floor. On second floor will be a hall, reading room, toilet room, with city water and good sanitary regulations. Piazza overlooking the bay, forty feet long. A good float for landing is to be provided with run 200 feet long with every thing in good order for boats.

The club at present time has forty-one members, and really has reason, to congratulate itself on its success so far in securing good comfortable quarters and rapid acquisition of members.

Mr. Frank Burgess the commodore is a wide awake business man, a very enthusiastic yachtsman and with the efficient aid he is sure to receive from both officers and members it looks safe to say the prospects of the new club are good and they will soon have a name among the leading clubs of the day.

—The Quincy Patriot, one of the oldest and best of our exchanges, has entered upon its 61st volume, and we congratulate Bro. Prescott on the apparent success that attends his efforts to keep the old paper in the front rank of weekly journalism. In spite of the hard times and general depression in business its advertising columns are well patronized, and we have no doubt its list of subscribers are kept up, for its old friends wouldn't think of getting along without it. —*Worcester West Chronicle.*

—Congressman Morse has introduced a bill for a $50,000 bronze statue to L'Enfant, the architect who designed the Capital at Washington.

TERRIBLE DEATH.

Injured and Alone and Freezing by Degrees.

Such the Fate of a Quincy Man During the Storm.

Exposed Over Twenty-Five Hours to the Tough Weather.

The death of John DeForrest Williams who passed away at the City Hospital Friday afternoon the result of exposure during Thursdays storm is particularly sad.

Mr. William's home is in Boston, but he has been in Quincy for some months acting as agent for the Adams Shore Land Co., which recently developed a large tract of land bordering on the shore of Quincy bay on the road to Houghs Neck.

The company are erecting some houses on the property and Mr. Williams has of late been living in one of the newly erected houses and had several men employed under him.

Thursday morning he was all alone about the place when in some way unknown he fell and fractured his hip. The nearest house was a mile distant and realizing his helpless condition he made a human effort to reach one of the shanties that had been erected last summer for the Italians near Mosquito woods. He crawled along the snow, his fractured hip making his progress slow so that when he reached the shanty he was exhausted.

He got this head and shoulders through the door, his feet and legs remaining ing outside. He was in a completely helpless condition and he remained there suffering untold agony during the storm of Thursday and the cold that night.

Morning at last dawned but help had not arrived and it was nearly noon Friday before he was found by John O'Connell, one of his men, who had waded slowly through the deep snowdrifts to see Williams to get some wages due him.

O'Connell left Boston Thursday night but was arrested in Quincy for drunkenness and was not released from court until 9 o'clock Friday morning. He immediately started for the property being the first to break through the drifts.

As he neared the half open door of the shanty he was shocked to see Williams lying helpless nearly covered with snow, his feet frozen, and so far gone that he was unable to speak.

O'Connell drew him inside and did what he could to relieve his suffering and then started back through the big drifts and notified the police.

Chief of Police Hayden sent Inspector McKay down to the poor farm where a pung was obtained and an attempt made to reach the unfortunate man. The progress was slow and it was nearly 1 o'clock before the temporary ambulance arrived.

On the way back the pung broke down and Hall's ambulance was called and Williams was finally taken to the Hospital where in whispers he told the story of his suffering. How at times he had shouted for help that did not come and finally giving up all hope had patiently awaited the end.

Travel in winter is very infrequent on this road and Thursday during the storm there was no passing, and it was impossible for anyone to hear his cries.

At the hospital it was found that his feet were frozen and that his body was almost like a corpse, and it was a wonder that any life was left in it at all.

All possible was done for him but the terrible ordeal through which he had passed was too severe, and he passed away at five o'clock.

This morning the Police ascertained that Williams had a daughter who resides at Clinton, and Inspector McKay was sent to notify her and make arrangements for his burial.

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A PRISONER'S WORK.

He had passed his first ten years in prison without doing anything, settling himself and fitting himself to the habits of the place.

Then, as there were yet 20 years of prison life before him, he said one fine morning that it was shameful to lead so idle a life, and that he must create for himself some occupation worthy not of a freeman, since he was a prisoner, but worthy simply of a man.

He devoted a year to reflection, to weighing the different ideas which presented themselves, to seeking a definite aim for his existence.

"I must," said he, "find something at the same time novel, useful and defying. I must invent a task which shall occupy my time, which shall be productive of some good and which shall have the value of a protest."

Another year was employed in this search, and at last success crowned his efforts.

It was a veritable dungeon, that in which the prisoner lived, which the sun entered but for one short half hour daily, and then by a single ray, which was a mere thread of light.

The bed on which the unhappy man stretched his aching limbs was a pile of wet straw.

"The very thing," he cried with energy. "Now, I shall defy my jailers and cheat the courts."

First he counted the separate straws that made up his bundle. There were 1,307 straws, a meager bundle.

Then he made an experiment to find out how long it would take to dry a single straw.

Three quarters of an hour! It would require for them all, for the 1,307 straws, a total of 980 hours and 15 minutes, with a half hour of sunshine a day, 1,961 days.

Calculating that the sun would not shine at least one day out of three, it would require 16 years, 1 month, 1 week and 6 days.

He set to work at once.

Every day that the sun shone the prisoner carried a straw and put it in the sunshine, busying himself thus whenever there was sun. For the rest of the time he kept warm under his clothes the straws which he had been able to dry.

Thus ten years passed. The prisoner slept on only a third of the bundle of the damp straw, and he had stuffed in the bosom of his blouse the other two-thirds which, one by one, he had dried.

Fifteen years passed. Happiness unspeakable! Only 126 damp straws remained.

Eighty-four days more, and the prisoner could scarcely contain himself. Proud of his work, victory over circumstances, he cried, with the voice of an avenger, with a mocking, rebellious laugh:

"Ah, ah, you condemned me to the wet straw of a dungeon! Well, weep with rage! I sleep on dry straw."

Alas, a cruel destiny was watching for its prey.

One night, while the prisoner dreamed of the happiness in store for him, in his wild joy he threw out his hands in speechless exultation, overset his water jug, and the water ran trickling down his breast.

All of the straws were wet.

What to do now? To begin again the toil of Sisyphus? To pass 15 years more putting straws to dry in the slender ray?

Oh, the discouragement of it!

But, you say, he had only 1 1-2 years more in prison.

And do you count as nothing wounded pride, fallen hope? Think! This man would have worked 15 years to sleep on a bundle of dry straw and should he consent to quit his prison with wet straws clinging to his hair? Never!

Eight days and nights he writhed in agony.

He finished by acknowledging defeat.

One evening he fell on his knees, despairing, broken.

"O God," he cried in his tears, "pardon me that I have lost courage today!

"I have suffered for 30 years.

"I have felt my limbs waste, my skin mortify, my eyes grow dim and my hair and teeth fail me.

"I have resisted hunger, thirst, cold and solitude.

"I had a hope which sustained my efforts.

"I had an aim in my life.

"Now it is impossible to satisfy my hope.

"Now the aim is gone forever.

"Pardon me that I desert my post; that I quit the field of battle; that I flee like a coward. I can bear it no longer."

Then in a sudden access of indignation he cried:

"No, no, a thousand times no! It shall not be said that I have lost my life for nothing. I will not desert. I am not a coward.

"No, I will not sleep for a minute more on the damp straw of the dungeon. No, they shall not defeat me."

And the prisoner died during the night, conquered, like Brutus; grand, like Cato.

He died of a heroic indigestion. He had eaten all his straw.—From the French.

Don't Wet Your Fingers.

Don't wet the fingers to turn the leaves of circulating library books. The authorities among the circulating libraries of Dresden have been conducting a series of experiments to determine if books in general use become a medium for the communication of infection. Soiled leaves were rubbed first with dry fingers and then with wet ones and the results microscopically examined. No microbes, or few, were found on the dry fingers, but many on the others.

One Reason.

"Now, Violet, can you give me any reason why I should not punish you for being naughty?"

Violet—Yes, ma. The doctor said you weren't to take any vi'lent ex'cise.—Boston Guardian.

DUTCH COLONIAL STYLE.

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Location and general surroundings have much to do with the planning of a private stable; also the taste and measure of the owner's thought of the welfare of the animals he possesses or desires to shelter. The horse is the most serviceable beast that mankind have for use. It is faithful, docile and gentle, ever ready at a word to do its owner's bidding, and as such be-

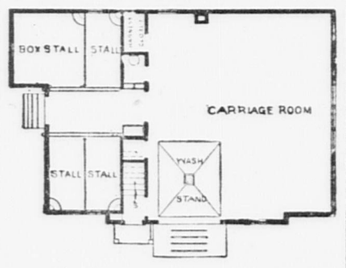


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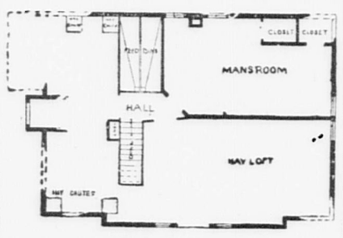
Any man who loves a good horse will be very solicitous about its welfare and will provide a good home and shelter for it. Care and proper attention are half its existence and are of more importance to its longevity than anything else. The horse is a complicated piece of mechanism, and if the machinery is not kept in order it will run down or give out.

The erection of a good stable is therefore to the advantage of the animal, just as the house is to man. The comforts and conveniences provided for its use are good investments, which enable it to do more work, to live longer and to serve its master better and more faithfully. Every one who needs the services of a horse will do by it as he would be done by, and the investment thus made will be for the good of both animal and owner, their interests being entirely mutual.



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of fixing a floor will pay for itself ten times a year by the bedding it saves. Other points to be carefully seen to are good light and ventilation, freedom from drafts and a tight, warm building in every way. The carriage room must be well separated from the stable part. A good supply of water is one of the principal accessories to cleanliness as well as to healthfulness.

This design contains all the elements of a healthful, first class stable for private uses and is planned on lines of common sense and utility. It is roomy and yet economical to build and was erected to match a country house in the state of Connecticut.

Passing of Pine.

Time was when pine was freely used, but it was always grained to imitate the various hard woods, the art of the grainer being wonderfully perfected. Many panels in the doors of the old time houses are marvels of misdirected art—the height of Philistinism—which has happily fallen into desuetude. After graining came the return to the painting of woodwork in solid colors, and in some few cases this is not to be condemned at present. Houses that from their situation are bound to be dark sometimes gain from the woodwork painted in light, warm tones. But paint will not long remain fresh, becoming scratched and grimy, and then nothing can be done save to paint it all over again at considerable cost. On the contrary, wood that is oiled, waxed, shellacked or varnished can be touched up in spots whenever it is needed and at comparatively small expense.—Exchange.

Electricity In the Household.

Scarcely a day goes by that does not witness some new application of electricity to the needs of mankind. By common consent the present is called the "age of electricity," and so it may not be too much to expect that very shortly this most powerful but still least understood of natural forces will be utilized to heat our houses as well as to light them. There has already been a limited application of electricity to heating purposes in some trolley cars, and electric cooking stoves have been made and used. But all of this has not yet passed the experimental stage.

Finish For Woodwork.

In finishing woodwork, care should be taken that cheap dark filler and varnish is not used, as it covers up the grain to a certain extent and in time will give a painted or grained appearance. To make a perfect finish the final coat should be rubbed down with pumice stone and afterward finished with oil and rotten stone.—Selected.

THE HOUSEHOLD.

The Homelike and Attractive Dining Room—Napery of the Kitchen. Recipe For Lemon Pies.

It is by no means going too far to say that a pleasant, well appointed dining room is a means of grace to the average family. It is there that the various members of the family congregate together most often, not only to partake of creature comforts, but under favorable conditions to also enjoy "a feast of reason and a flow of soul," and it goes without saying that such a rendezvous should be the subject of much careful study on the part of the mistress of the house, especially in homes where one room often serves the double purpose of dining room and sitting room.

An open fireplace in a dining room is always desirable, and a sunny window with blossoming plants and running vines adds much to its cheerfulness. The finishing should be of hard wood, oiled; the floor of the same material, with a large rug in the center. The dining table should also be of hard wood, solid and substantial.

The walls and ceiling should be painted or tinted in some soft, light shade, and pictures—not the agonizing spectacle of dead birds, animals or fishes that are likely to shock the sensibilities of many people, but a few choice etchings and sunny landscapes—a mantel, with a clock and a few pieces of bric-a-brac are all pleasant accessions. But if there is one piece of extravagance that may be pardoned a housewifely soul it is the gathering together of a store of fine table linen and rare, quaint pieces of china, glass and silver with which to decorate her table. And it is poor policy to relegate those cherished belongings to the china closet, to be brought forth only on state occasions, for there is no more efficient promoter of refinement or well bred social intercourse in the family than an attractive, well appointed dining table.

Even in the most humble home, where strict economy is a necessity, a few pieces of glass and china can generally be managed, which, with a spotless tablecloth and a simple bunch of flowers, will give a cheerful, festive air to the most frugal repast.

Oftentimes in the best regulated families some little hitch in the domestic service will cause a few moments' delay in serving the meal. Then it is that a comfortable couch, a few easy chairs and a table well filled with the latest newspapers and magazines will be found a means of grace which no wise housewife can afford to ignore, for with these and a little womanly tact the wheels of domestic machinery may be so cleverly oiled that no friction will ever occur, says Good Housekeeping in discoursing on the dining room.

Kitchen Napery.

The kitchen napery is generally left to take care of itself, more or less, by untidy housewives, which, as The Standard Designer observes, is a great mistake, for the china will never feel smooth and clean to the touch or the glasses look clear and sparkling unless the towels with which they are wiped are in perfect condition. Linen is the only substance on which to wipe glass, for cotton, no matter how fine and soft, is certain to leave a fuzz. The glass towels are nicest of the blue and white or red and white plaid linen, which always looks clean and does not fade.

The china towels can be of cotton if one does not wish to go to the expense of linen, but in the end the linen will be found to pay the best. The kitchen linen should be as carefully ironed and counted as that of the dining room, and on no account should ever be put away damp, as it is certain to give a musty odor to the china or glass which is afterward wiped on it.

When washing the china towels, a little ammonia should be dropped in the water, which will effectually remove all grease and make the towels much better to wipe with than if a large amount of soap is used. The soap should be thoroughly rinsed out of the glass towels or it will leave streaks on the glistening surface. If the china is rinsed in hot water before it is washed, the dish towels need never grow grimy or stained. It is a good plan to give the towels a weekly boil in weak soda or ammonia water.

Recipe For Lemon Pies.

A good lemon pie is food for a queen. Here is a recipe from Good Housekeeping which can hardly fail to furnish satisfactory results:

For 2 pies take 3 lemons, 2 cupfuls of hot water, 2 tablespoonfuls of cornstarch, 2 cupfuls of white sugar and 4 eggs. Grate the rind into the water and, together with the cornstarch, boil for 15 minutes. Add the sugar and, when cold, the yolks of the eggs and lemon juice, stirring well together. Line 2 dishes with paste, pour in the material and bake. Beat the whites stiff with 6 teaspoonfuls of white sugar, pour over the pies while hot, return to the oven and bake a delicate brown.

Washing Silk Underwear.

Never rub soap directly on the garment, but make a strong suds of warm water and a white soap. Squeeze the garment in this water, and then, if the garment is very much soiled, pass it through another warm suds and then rinse in a lukewarm water. Press between the hands to get out the water, shake well and pull into shape and, when the garment is nearly dry, press it on the wrong side with a moderately hot iron.

A Potato Casserole.

Boil 8 large potatoes in salted water. When done, drain and mash until fine and light. Add 2 tablespoonfuls of butter and 1 1-2 teaspoonfuls of salt, with a half cupful of milk. Heat thoroughly, pack into a buttered mold, let stand for 5 minutes, turn out on a platter, brush with beaten egg and brown in the oven. Serve birds or chops, broiled, standing around the casserole.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR.

Topic For the Week Beginning Jan. 31. Comment by Rev. S. H. Doyle.

TOPIC.—Endeavorers loyal to Christ. What will they do?—John xiii, 31-38; viii, 31. (Christian Endeavor day.)

Another year has rolled round. Another anniversary is upon us. The hosts are still increasing. The stakes are being strengthened and the lines advancing. It is, however, no time to pause or to falter. The higher the position reached the greater the responsibility and the greater the need of increased loyalty to Christ. Loyalty to Christ is to be emphasized this Endeavor day, not loyalty to Christian Endeavor. Happy thought! After all, loyalty to Christ is the main thing, and the Endeavorer who is loyal to Christ will not be disloyal to Christian Endeavor. What will the Endeavorers who are loyal to Christ do? The references suggest that:

1. Loyal Endeavorers will love one another as Christ loved them. "A new commandment I give unto you, that ye love one another; as I have loved you that you also love one another." How did Christ love His disciples? 1. He loved all of them. So we should love all Christians, not simply those of our own church or denomination, but all who love Christ—interdenominational love. 2. Christ loved His disciples when they were aliens and strangers to Him and sinners against Him. In doing this Christ loved His enemies. He loved all men. Following Christ's example, we should love all men. 3. Christ manifested His love for His disciples by dying to save them. We should manifest our love for all men by doing what we can to save them. We cannot die for men, but we can direct them to Him who did or send Him to them if they dwell in heathen lands. Practical love seeks to save. Christ loved men practically. So should we.

2. Loyal Endeavorers will live for Christ. Christ told His disciples that He was going where they could not go, but where in time they could follow Him. Peter thought he could go, no matter where it was, even if going cost him his life. But Peter made a poor stagger at dying for Christ. He failed to live for Him for 24 hours. We hear a great deal of sanctimonious gush about dying for Christ. Christ is not asking us to die for Him, but to live for Him. Are we doing that? Do we show by our lives that we stand for Christ, and are we willing to testify that we are His even in the presence of those who are not His? Christ wants our lives just now. Has He got them? We cannot be loyal to Him unless He has.

3. Loyal Endeavorers will continue in Christ's word. They will be steadfast in believing what He has told them to believe and in doing what He has told them to do. Steadfastness in thought, word and deed is certain proof of loyalty.

Bible Readings.—Math. v, 13-16, 43-48; xxviii, 19, 20; Rom. xii, 1-21; xv, 1-8; I Cor. x, 31; xv, 58; Gal. vi, 1-9; Eph. v, 1, 2; Phil. ii, 1-11; iv, 1; Col. ii, 1-17; II Thess. iii, 12, 13; II Tim. iv, 7, 8; Heb. xii, 1, 2; I Pet. iv, 7-11; Rev. ii, 10.

The Church the Working Power.

While the personality of Christ and the life He lived contain the real working power of Christian truth, yet the church is the instrument through which this truth is to be held up for the guidance of men. The church may be wrong in its interpretation of theological dogmas, but there is no earthly organization so likely to be right in teaching the essential truths of life. The church is the working harness of true religion, and while it asks loyalty to the organization for the purpose of advancing the fundamentals of religion it should permit a wide margin for individual growth and interpretation. Be strong in the advocacy of the fundamentals, but liberal in the matter of individual opinions on matters of dogma.—Universalist.

A Silhouette Social.

Much amusement may be excited at a social by silhouettes, suggests The Golden Rule. Hang up a sheet, divide the company into two parts, let light be on one side of the sheet only, and let the part of the company who are in the dark guess from the "shadow picture" who is casting it. Let each side take turns in guessing, winning the person as the result of each successful guess.

Better and Happier.

Each one of us is bound to make the little circle in which he lives better and happier. Each one of us is bound to see that out of that small circle the widest good may flow. Each one of us may have fixed in his mind the thought that out of a single household may flow the influences that shall stimulate the whole commonwealth and the whole civilized world.—Dean Stanley.

Not Open to Other Eyes.

Faith sees worlds that are not open to any other eye. It has been well said, "The Holy Spirit can put an eye of faith into the soul and thus make the things of God manifest to it, as He did to the Old Testament saints, who saw things afar off."—English Churchman.

What Education Means.

Education does not mean teaching the people to know what they do not know. It means teaching them to behave as they do not behave.—Christian Leader.

A Timely Suggestion.

The saddest hour in the life of a youth is when he thinks he can get a dollar in some other way than by squarely earning it.—Greeley.

Our Christ.

Holding His hand, my steadied feet
May walk the air, the seas.
On life and death His smile falls sweet—
Lights up all mysteries.
Stranger nor exile can I be
In new worlds where He leadeth me.

Not my Christ only—He is ours,
Humanity's close bond,
Key to its vast, unopened powers,
Dream of our dreams beyond.
What yet we shall be none can tell.
Now are we His, and all is well.
—Lucy Larcom.

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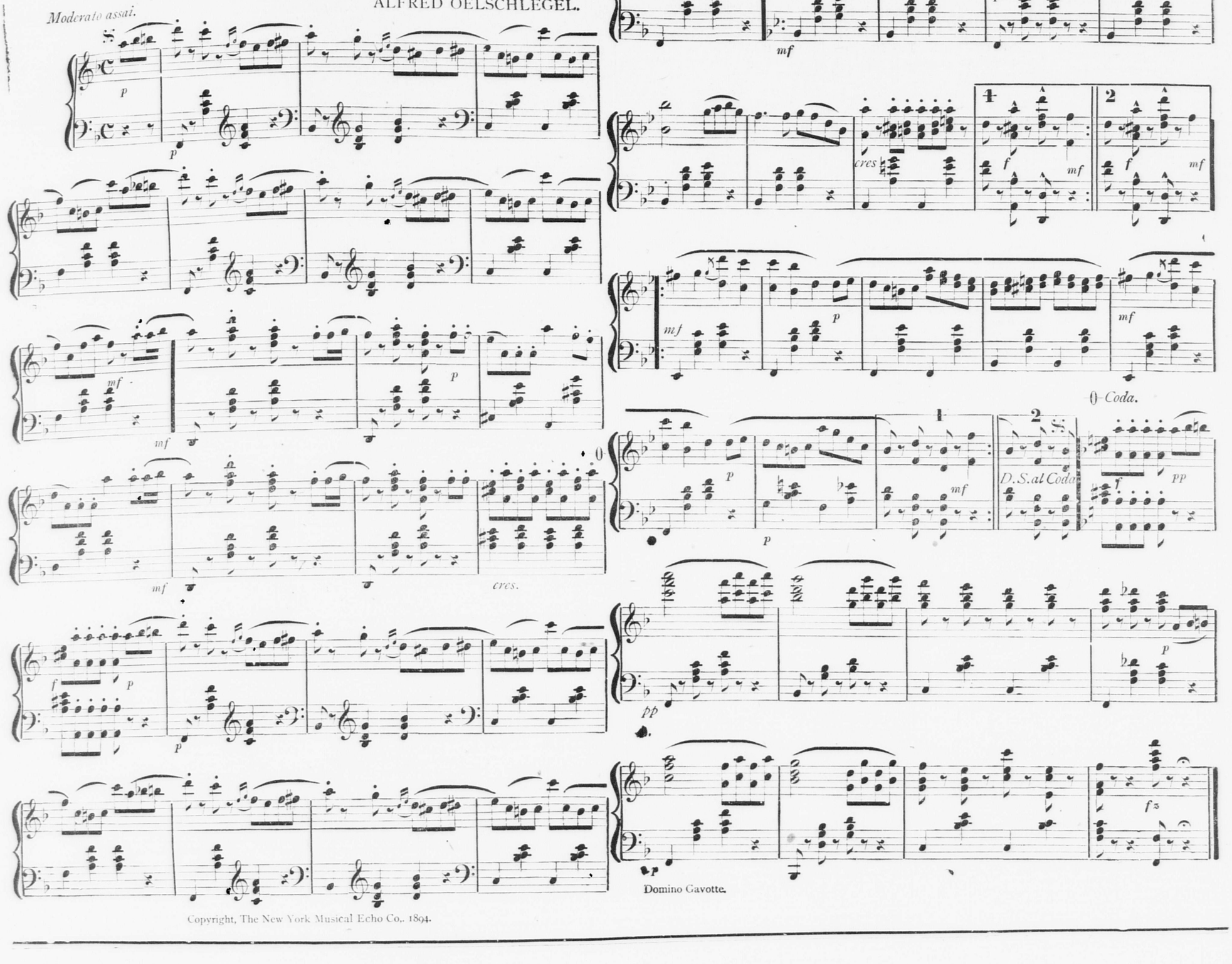
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Quincy Temperature at Noon.

	This Week.	Last Week
Sunday	25	37
Monday	11	45
Tuesday	35	10
Wednesday	35	22
Thursday	27	45
Friday	30	40
Saturday	26	38

THE STATEMENT of the water department is of interest, and the showing is as satisfactory as could be expected, yet the people should not be misled. In one sense the works are self supporting, as they pay maintenance and interest, yet the income is not sufficient to meet the maturing debt which must be paid, and there can be no profit until this is possible. In 1896 the water debt falling due was $26,500. If this was offset by the actual income of $8,267.22 over interest and maintenance, there would still be left the sum of $18,232.78 to be met by taxation, and it is a fact that over $1 of the tax rate last year went for the payment of the water debt. For some years the maturing debt will not decrease as the appropriations for extensions exceed the debt payments, and the Metropolitan assesments which begin in 1898 will increase the burden. With the introduction of Metropolitan water the maintenance account should drop some, for the expenses of the pumping station are about $5,000 annually, and the maintenance of the reservoir will not be necessary. In 1901 the income of the water department may be sufficient to fully meet the maintenance, interest, maturing debt and Metropolitan assessment, unless there are some uncalled for expenditures, but until that year it will be necessary for Quincy to raise quite a sum by taxation annually, and it will fall heavily in 1898 and 1899.

APROPOS THE sewer question it may be well for the city to keep its eye on the State House. The LEDGER has already called attention to the fact that somebody wants to get Quincy into the Metropolitan system. Whether it is a wise thing to do is not the issue, but whether the city will meekly allow itself to be put here or there. It is a matter for the City Council to look into. The following paragraph from a Legislative letter will explain what is proposed :

"The selectmen of Milton have asked the extension of the Neponset valley into that town. Meanwhile, Mr. Jones, of Melrose, has introduced a new measure, designed to complete the system of sewage disposal for the Charles river valley, Neponset river valley and the city of Quincy. By it they are authorized to take and use the main sewer of Boston from its junction with the Charles river metropolitan sewer, and the Dorchester intercepting sewer. All the property of Boston about Moon island and Squantum neck is included. Five millions are to be raised to pay the bills and eventually assessed on the towns and cities benefited. Quincy will be lucky to be let into this system, and she doubtless needs the sewers."

Will Quincy be lucky? Does it want to help pay this large expenditure of five million? Will Quincy be forced into Metropolitan system within a few years? Where are we at?

THE RECENT severe storm has been a blessing to many a poor laboring man in this city. It has given Mr. Knowlton, the Commissioner of Public Works, a chance to give many a poor man several days' work, which he was much in need of. The large army of snow shovelers seen in the several parts of the city found enough to do, as the snow was from one to three feet deep on many of the sidewalks. It was only last week that prayers were offered for the poor in our city who had no work or money, and were in much need of help. And it would almost seem as if those prayers were answered by this big storm.

THERE IS opposition in the Senate to the increase in appropriation for the Civil Service Commission, and the appropriation for the fire marshal's office is tied up in the House which has already refused to increase the Gypsy Moth appropriation. These are encouraging signs of retrenchment.

HE IS a public benefactor, who causes a good sidewalk to be shovelled in front of his estate or store after a storm. The more prompt he is, the better it is appreciated.

WONDER IF the State board of Lunacy and Charity has a good word for any of the almshouses in the State. It seems over critical in its report.

OVER $20,000 UNPAID.

Norfolk County Finances Exposed by Estimates.

Large Sums Expended in Excess of Appropriations.

The Total Wanted This Year Large and Includes Unpaid Bills.

The recent report of the receipts and expenditures of Norfolk county presents the county finances in a false light, and the estimates for 1897 add fuel to the disclosures already brought out in the investigations.

The report shows a balance in the county treasury but now it appears that the unpaid bills of 1896 amount to $21,888.05, and more investigations may follow.

The total estimates for 1897 are $170,000, which are $50,000 in excess of the amount authorized to be levied last year. The estimates are as follows, the second sum under each item being the amount authorized in 1896 :

Interest on county debt, $7,600; $7,300.

Reduction of county debt, $10,000; $10,000.

Salaries of county officers and assistants, fixed by law, $17,000; $10,200.

Clerical assistance in county offices, in in excess of receipts, $5,500 ; $8,800.

Salaries and expenses, district and police courts, in excess of receipts, $13,000; $13,000

Salaries of jailers, masters and assistants, and support of prisoners in jails and houses of correction, in excess of receipts, $19,500; $16,000.

Criminal costs in superior court, in excess of receipts, $12,000 ; $8,500.

Civil expenses in supreme and superior courts, $10,500; $11,000.

Trial justices, $5,000; $5,000.

Transportation expenses of county and special commissioners, $400; $300.

Medical examiners, inquests and commitments of the insane, $3,500; $2,700.

Auditors, masters and referees, $2,500; $2,500.

Repairing, furnishing and improving county buildings, $2,500; $3,500.

Care, fuel, lights and supplies in county buildings, other than jails and houses of correction, $11,000; $10,200.

Highways, bridges and land damages, in excess of receipts, $35,500; $5,000.

Law libraries $1,000; $500.

Truant schools, in excess of receipts, $3,000; $3,000.

Miscellaneous and contingent expenses, in excess of receipts, $10,500; $2,500.

A grand total of $170,000.

Last year the tax was $120,000; the additional receipts were $19,356.44, the expenditures $142,907.60, and the amounts due and unpaid $21,888 05. Of the amounts unpaid, $11,984.70 is for highways, bridges and land damages, and $7460.31 for miscellaneous and contingent expenses.

The debt of the county consists of two notes of $10,000 each, and six notes of $15,000 each. Of the original loan of $125,000, the sum of $110,000 remains unpaid.

Obituary.

We learned this morning of the death of Mr. John W. Russell, at Medford, on Thursday, at the age of 49. Mr. Russell resided for many years in Quincy; part of the time on Coddington street, and just previous to his moving to his new residence, at Medford, he lived on Arnold street. He married a daughter of the late Nathaniel Bent, and was a clerk in a store No. 16 Bedford street, Boston.

He was a native of Medford, and about three years ago built a pretty house near his mother's in that city, and took his family there. He was a genial, pleasant gentleman, who made friends with all whom he came in company with. For kind acts and deeds he will long be remembered by relatives and neighbors.

Mr. Russell had been suffering for the last six months from Brights disease. He leaves a wife and son.

His funeral will be at his late residence, No. 2 Franklin street, Medford, on Sunday at 2 o'clock.

Studies Elective.

The Quincy High school debating society met Wednesday. Miss Joss, president, took the chair. Mr. Lewis, secretary, read his report which was adopted.

Under the head of unfinished business, Miss Briggs, 97, read an interesting essay on "Concord." Miss Johnson, '97, recited "Lasca" very acceptably.

Then came the debate. "Resolved, That All the Studies of the High School Ought to be Elective.

The affirmative was taken by Miss Barry, Miss Bemis, Miss Briggs, Miss Cook and Miss Curtin.

The negative was supported by Miss Duffield, Miss Gill and Miss B. Hayden.

Mr. Lewis, Miss Beckwith, Mr. Lyons and Miss Barry took part in the general debate.

Miss Chamberlin, the critic, presented an excellent report.

The board of decision decided in favor of the affirmative.

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BRAINTREE.

The auditors are busy looking over the accounts of the Town Fathers.

The Pine Tree club will hold their meeting in G. A. R. hall next Thursday night. An interesting musical programme is being prepared.

Miss Mabel Boyer celebrated her fifteenth birthday Monday night by entertaining several of her young friends at her home on Hancock street.

There is a case of diphtheria in the family of Russell Waite, on Washington street. Dr. H. L. Dearing administered antitoxine yesterday.

The Red Men have changed their headquarters from Pearl street to Rosenfeld's block on Washington street. They will hold their first meeting there next Friday night.

The G. A. R. social dance that was to have taken place Thursday night was postponed indefinitely.

D. D. G. C. Will Morrison and suite installed the officers of Norfolk lodge, K of P., at Holbrook, Wednesday night. The installations were public after which a collation and dance took place.

Rev. Mr. Boynton closed his services at the Baptist church Wednesday evening. The services have been interesting to all and have been well attended, and it is hoped good will result from them.

A movement is on foot to interest the boys and young men of the community in forming a boys military brigade. All interested are invited to meet in lower Town hall, Tuesday evening, at eight o'clock. Ages to be between 12 and 20. The organization will be formed under military rules and special attention will be paid to ethical training.

Col. A. C. Drinkwater is mentioned for chairman of the silver forces in Massachusetts.

Mr. E. Stanwood Hollis was riding on the car tracks near Capen's bridge last evening when he was overtaken by an electric and his sleigh demolished. Fortunately no one was hurt.

Deacon Atherton T. Wilde, now residing in Braintree, taught school in Dedham in the years 1837 and 1838. What wonders have been discovered since then.

A surprise party was given to Mr. and Mrs. John O'Rouke at their residence Hobart street on Wednesday evening. They were presented with a parlor lamp by about twenty-five friends. After a musical entertainment and collation the party left after spending a very enjoyable evening.

Mr. George Lambert was found dead in his bed Tuesday morning. He was a shoemaker by trade, a member of the A. O. H., and a quiet well disposed citizen. He leaves a widow and four children. The funeral took place from the Catholic church, Weymouth, Thursday morning.

Miss Josie Colbert, teacher in the Monatiquot school, was given a grand party by her pupils in the Town hall last evening.

The Union Choral Society received four new members at its meeting Wednesday night. The new music taken up was the "Rebekah."

The Republican town committee held a meeting Tuesday night. Charles C. Mullen was elected chairman, Henry M. Storm secretary, Will W. Mayhew, treasurer.

The committee discussed the merits of party caucuses and precinct voting after which they adjourned to next Wednesday night. Republicans are urged to express themselves upon these subjects.

Bethiah Ward, wife of Whitefield Witherell, of South Braintree, died suddenly Saturday evening, Jan. 23d, aged 62 years. Funeral services were held at residence, Wednesday, Jan. 27, at 2 P. M. Rev. Mr. Ellsworth officiating. Interment in Plain street cemetery.

Civil Trial List.

The following cases are marked for trial at the civil session of the District court next Tuesday :

19—Burgess vs. Colligan.
4667—Patriaca vs. Quincy Quarry Co.
4668—Schatzl vs. Quincy Quarry Co.
4669—Amet vs. Quincy Quarry Co.
4670—Bowton vs. Quincy Quarry Co.
4787—Dow vs. Weymouth and Braintree Street Railway Co.

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Quincy Needed Only a Small Score to Win.

The Quincy's failed to come up to the scratch last evening in the City League. A fair score was all that was needed but it was a very weak one which was rolled; not so low by many pins as the Rexfords yet two small to win a league match. The full score:

COLUMBIA.

Bowlers.	1	2	3	Totals.
Marden,	131	186	187	504
Woodward,	125	180	148	453
Fish,	132	139	112	383
Gray,	142	135	119	396
Moorhouse,	135	104	117	356
Team totals,	665	744	683	2092

QUINCY.

Fratus,	139	148	120	407
Jones,	97	135	154	386
Ross,	145	143	141	429
Garbet,	131	125	144	400
Peverley,	124	118	154	396
Team totals,	636	669	713	2018

The Meyers defeated the Roxburys, 2409 to 2037; the South Bostons won from the Shawmuts, 2444 to 2283; the Boylstons beat the McCarthys, 2418 to 2108; the Shermans won from the Prospects 2488 to 2216, and the Murray & Irwins had a picnic with the Rexfords, 2231 to 1900. It will be noticed that four of the winning teams scored over 2400 points.

This week the Carruths surrendered first place to the Boylstons, and the Quincys allowed the South Bostons to get ahead. Instead of being tied for fifth place the Quincys are now tied with three for the sixth place.

The team standing :

	Won.	Lost.
Carruth,	12	2
Boylston,	13	2
Sherman,	12	3
Meyers,	11	4
South Boston,	8	7
Quincy,	7	8
Prospect,	7	8
Rexford,	6	9
Shawmut	5	9
Murray & Irwin,	7	8
Jamesons,	6	9
Roxbury,	4	11
Columbia,	4	11
McCarthy,	1	13

The Readville Camp.

The petition of S. T. Elliott, accompanied by the resolve providing for the erection of a monument in bronze in commemoration of the camp ground at Readville, Mass., will strike a responsive chord in the hearts of all members of the G. A. R. It will be remembered that during the war many Massachusetts regiments were enlisted, drilled and finally disbanded at Camp Meigs, which was the name of the camping ground at Readville. A portion of this camp ground has already been set aside as a public park, and it is known as Hamilton park. We hope that this resolve will prevail, and that sufficient money will be appropriated for this purpose.—Boston Traveler.

Moody and Meyer.

Dr. F. B. Meyer of London, who comes to America for a ten days' campaign at the request of Mr. Moody, is one of the foremost evangelical preachers and writers of the present day. His writings are on the same plans as Rev. Andrew Murray's of South Africa. Dr. Meyer is the successor of Newman Hall, and his church is noted for its wonderful activities in all lines of charitable and philanthropic work.

Dr. Meyer will speak at the regular services Thursday and Friday and special services will be held Thursday evening and Saturday morning and afternoon.

Sunday he will speak in the Clarendon Street church. Dr. Meyers subject will be "Deepening of Spiritual Life," and to receive the greatest benefit one should follow him step by step in each service or through the printed reports.

Tickets can be secured for any of the services except Sunday by applying at the Y. M. C. A. rooms.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

STATE HOUSE, BOSTON, Jan. 28, 1897.

THE COMMITTEE ON THE JUDICIARY will give a hearing to parties interested in a bill that certain claims shall be preferred in settlement by receivers, (H. No. 198) at 10.30 o'clock A. M., and a bill that assistant clerks may take bail in certain cases, (H. No. 191) at 11 o'clock A. M., and a bill to amend Chap. 162, Public Statutes, as to mesne process, (H. No.192) at 12 o'clock M., at Room No. 254 State House, on TUESDAY, Feb. 2d.

JAMES J. MYERS, Chairman.
HENRY C. ATTWILL,
Clerk of the Committee. 30-2t

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

STATE HOUSE, BOSTON, Jan. 26, 1897.

THE COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION will give a hearing to parties interested in the subject of compulsory supervision for the public schools throughout the Commonwealth, at Room No. 441, State House, on TUESDAY, Feb. 2, at 10 o'clock A. M.

ALFRED S. ROE, Chairman.
ALMAN E. HALL,
Clerk of the Committee. 28-3t

TO THE PATRONS

OF THE

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January 16, 1897.

In calling your attention to the fact that Mr. Geo. H. Sampson of Amesbury, Mass., has leased the Wollaston Steam Laundry, and will conduct the same on his own account on and after the 18th inst., I would thank you for past patronage, and bespeak a continuance of the same for Mr. Sampson, who is a thorough laundryman, with a reputation for turning out high grade work.

HORACE P. KENT.

Jan. 16. 2w

OUR NEW YORK LETTER.

Richard Mansfield's Eccentricities—Unpopular Despite His Great Talent—His Odd Jokes.

[Special Correspondence.]

If 100 habitual theater goers of this city were asked to name the best actor in this country, it is likely that at least 90 of them would select Richard Mansfield. To any person who is a discriminating and unbiased critic this conclusion would seem an eminently just one. And yet it is a fact that when Mansfield plays here there is not nearly the rush to see him that there should be when his position in the dramatic world is considered. Mr. Mansfield realizes this fact and is sorely puzzled thereby. He cannot understand why things should be as they are, and those who are sufficiently near to him to explain the trouble either are afraid or unwilling to do so. The cause of Mansfield's tremendous personal unpopularity, which has got to such a point as to interfere seriously with his professional reputation, is well known to everybody remotely connected with theatricals, excepting only Mansfield himself.

His Craze For Notoriety.

There are many things which have conspired to bring about this condition of affairs, but the most potent, without a doubt, is the great actor's inability to distinguish notoriety from publicity. He loathes oblivion, so far as the newspapers are concerned. He must see his name in them constantly. No matter how it may get in, it must be there. He is also possessed with a mania for saying and doing things which he fondly imagines will cause talk. At first his odd conduct had this effect, but latterly it has got so that no one pays any attention to it, no matter how strange it may be. But Mansfield is very fertile in expedients for at least arousing anger, if nothing else. The Rialto of this city, for instance, is just now all torn up by the discussion of an interview which Mansfield is said to have had with a reporter of another city. On this occasion it appears that he was asked to give the true significance of his extraordinary and frequent speeches before the curtain and of his queer comments on the achievements of contemporaneous actors. Here was an opportunity which an artist of good judgment would have put to one side. But, if the interviewer is to be believed, Mansfield rushed at it like a trout at a fly, and then follows the most absurd of all the fulminations of this very fulminating gentleman.

He Loves to Chaff People.

"I have been a joker all my life," he said, "and I suppose I shall continue to have my joke until the final curtain falls. That is why I begin to chaff a man when he comes and asks me, 'Mr. Mansfield, what do you think of art?' I see he can be gulled and wants to be gulled, so I say that since the days of Garrick there have been no actors except myself. It's all pure chaff, you know. I am simply having fun at his expense. But he doesn't see it. Then he says to me, 'Mr. Mansfield, what do you think of Irving?' Now, it is never courteous in our profession for one actor to comment on another, and I do not want to be guilty of a breach of manners. So I give him a grandiloquent wave of my hand and say in deep, impressive tones, 'Oh, we never speak of Irving, you know!' And this ass absolutely swallows every bit of it."

Why He Makes Speeches.

As regards the curtain speeches Mr. Mansfield said: "I do not see why I should not be allowed to make pleasantries with my audience when their number is not large. It seems to me that the joke is on me, because the people will not pay to come and see me, and not an intimation that the people of that particular city do not appreciate dramatic art. Yet, when I made some such light remark in a speech before the curtain at Atlanta, it was announced to the world that Mr. Mansfield had insulted the intelligence of Atlanta in a most intemperate and uncalled for speech. That was another of my jokes which was taken seriously.

"There are many dramatic critics who are enemies of mine, for what reason I know not, unless they are the friends of some person or other who has been discharged from my company for incompetency or disagreeableness or unless they have been told, and are willing to believe without meeting me, that Mr. Mansfield is a snob, a brute and a villain. Men of this type take these jesting statements of mine and twist them until they are positively appalling."

How Mansfield Could Win.

The theatrical writers, it would appear to me, should take Mr. Mansfield at his word and assume that everything he says is a joke. They would thereby be doing the actor a genuine service. Mr. Mansfield does not consider New York a city. It is only a provincial village in a formative condition. The people have no appreciation of art, and he would much prefer to be off the stage, or at least away from America. And this is not hearsay. I have had it all from his own lips. Still, in spite of much that he does and says that is in bad taste, I venture to say that if Mr. Mansfield would come to New York with a new repertory of plays exactly adapted to his personality and ability he could remain here profitably throughout the season. But he will persist in doing the same old things over and over again until even the delightful "Beau Brummel" has been almost worn threadbare. The few new plays that Mansfield has produced have scarcely been worthy of consideration and are only used in a desultory manner.

New York longs for the opportunity to lavish its dollars upon Mansfield and to take him to its heart of hearts, but he repels them by his inexplicable conduct and speeches. What is true of New York is true of many other important cities. The interview given above could not well be more offensive, especially in its reference to newspaper men.

And yet Mansfield wonders.

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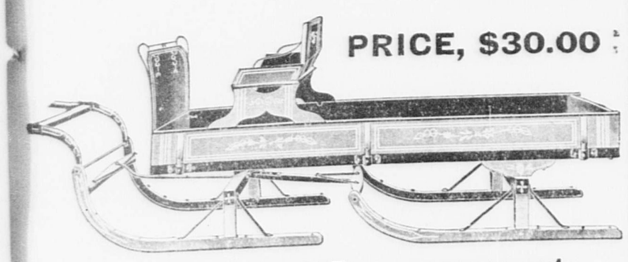
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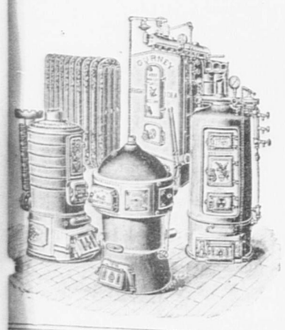
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Fair Sunday.

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Snow or rain Sunday night.

The police station has been provided with some new high back chairs.

Today it is colder than it seems. The other day it seemed colder than it was.

The reception at the Wollaston Branch of Y. M. C. A. was postponed for one week.

The Granite City Club are moving into their new quarters in the Savings Bank building today.

The current for electric lights will be turned onto the new Savings' Bank building for the first time tonight.

Rev. W. W. Dornan of the United Presbyterian church will speak on the "Ideal Life" Sunday, at Y. M. C. A.

The ward One Democratic committee has organized with F. F. Green as chairman and Philip D. Cook as secretary.

Dr. E. R. Johnson will give the third talk on Physiology at the men's meeting of Y. M. C. A., Monday evening, at 7 o'clock.

John O. Hall, D. D. G. H P, of the seventh capitular district has arranged for a chapter of instruction at Abington in February.

The central station chemical has been temporily placed with a large pung which has been loaded with hose and provided with three horses.

The Braintree street railway which is operated by the Quincy & Boston road, has asked for legislation enabling it to lease or purchase the Braintree & Randolph road.

The ladies of the Atlantic Methodist church will have a turkey supper in the vestry of the church next Wednesday evening. This supper will be in place of the one postponed from their last fair.

Someone in authority should level off the snow at the corner of Hancock and School streets. Two sleighs were capsized there this morning and the occupants thrown out, but fortunately they were not injured.

The first grand concert under the auspices of the Young Ladies' Charitable association will be held at St. John's hall Monday evening, February 1. Excellent talent has been procured, among the number being the humorists, Mr. John Rose, late of the Cotton King Co., and Mr. Charles Chapman of Somerville; Miss Tula Rice, Quincy's favorite child dancer, and Miss Mary McGoldrick of Boston.

Revival meetings will be continued at the Methodist Atlantic church every night next week, excepting Monday and Saturday. These meetings have been going on for the past four weeks and have resulted in such a revival as Atlantic has never before experienced. A larger part of the converts are among the young men, some of whom were deep down in sin. The meetings have been of great interest and have been largely attended.

The best audience of the week was present last evening in St. John's hall to witness the presentation of "Capt. Jack." The piece was played with the usual vim, and all were much satisfied. Mr. John J. Cronne, of Neponset, gave two very pleasing and clever impersonations. Dancing followed the play until 2 o'clock. The opening piece, "The Blind Beggars," by W. A. Kingstree and A. McKee, was a humorous production and well acted.

Business Men Will Exercise.

By request of several of the young business men the Young Men's Christian association will on Monday at five o'clock start a business men's gymnasium class. The class will meet two afternoons a week, to suit the majority of the members. Dr. E. R. Johnson will make the physical examinations and prescribe the exercises. In past years the class has been composed of leading business and professional men.

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SNAIL.
"You mind your business, little boy,
And don't you come here teasing me.
If you disturb my nap again,
I'll let you see what you shall see!"

JACK.
"Well, Mr. Snail, I am surprised,
And I am sure I never meant
To hurt your feelings in the least
Or rouse your ire to that extent.
I merely wanted just to know
How ever you got in that shell,
If some one put you there or no,
And if you like it pretty well."

SNAIL.
"Will you be quiet and go away?
A likely thing that I'm to be
Roused from my sleep to gratify
Your vulgar curiosity!"

JACK.
"But, please, do tell me, Mr. Snail,
For though we know that there you dwell,
Yet nobody can understand
How ever you got in that shell."

SNAIL.
"Now, will you go away, I say?
You know I can't abide a noise.
I wish the world was full of snails
Instead of tiresome little boys.
Now, don't make faces, sir, at me!
How dare you dance like that and shout?
If you don't mind me, I'll get out
And soon set you to right about!"

JACK.
"Dear Mr. Snail, I really will
Be quiet and go if you'll but tell—
What everybody wants to know—
How ever you got in that shell."

SNAIL.
"I never in my snaily life
Was worried by so rude an elf.
I'll not tell you how I got here
Because—I do not know myself."

Jacob, the Secretary Bird.

An English magazine tells of one of the queer pets of a lady who, when she settled on an ostrich farm in South Africa, began to gather around her a number of pet animals. One of the earliest and most prized members of this company was a secretary bird, upon which she bestowed the name of Jacob. This creature had an enormous appetite, which he satisfied by freeing the house and gardens from all sorts of animals—lizards, rats, toads, frogs, young chickens and even some of the smaller of his fellow pets. Kittens were his tidbits, however, which he bolted whole. When the neighbors got to know of his particular "wanity," as Sam Weller might have called it, they played up to it as fast as they could and thus kept under the number of catlings, which so abounded that they threatened to become a nuisance until Jacob's weakness was discovered. It should be said that the kittens were knocked on the head before being offered to Mr. Secretary. Once, however, this merciful care was forgotten, and Jacob swallowed a kitten alive. For some minutes they could actually hear the poor thing mewing in Jacob's inside, the bird himself looking all around him with the most puzzled expression to see where the noise came from. He seemed to think there was a kitten about somewhere and was much annoyed at not being able to find it.

Giants and Dwarfs.

How tall is a giant? In order to be able to answer this question in a general way somebody has examined 27 recorded cases of giants ranging from one at 6 feet 10 inches to one at 9 feet 9 inches. Taking an average, we find that 8 feet is the height of a giant. No giantess figured in the calculation. It is curious, by the by, to notice how many of these giants were Irish, as if the soil and climate of the Emerald Isle were well fitted for the rearing of great men.

How small is a dwarf? It would hardly be fair to the miniature specimens of humanity to ignore their claims also to proper measurement. Well, 17 cases of dwarfs have been dealt with, including two or three examples of the fair and gentle sex, from which it seems that the average dwarf is, as nearly as may be, only 2 feet 9 inches high. The range was from 18 inches, the smallest, to 3 feet 10 inches, the tallest.

The Ghost.

A German clergyman was sitting in his study and was working at the sermon for the following Sunday. Suddenly the door opened and a peasant entered with a startled countenance. "Ah, your reverence," cried the peasant, "I am a dead man! I have seen a ghost!" "Pray do not speak so stupidly," said the clergyman; "there are no ghosts." "There certainly are ghosts," said the peasant. "I have truly seen one with my own eyes." "When did you see it?" "Two minutes ago." "Where?" "On the church wall." "What did it look like?" "Like a big donkey." The clergyman smiled and said: "Now, I understand the business. You must have seen your own shadow on the church wall and taken it for a ghost. Compose yourself and go home. But be sure to say nothing about it."

Balloon Ball.

"Balloon ball" is played with bats and bouncing india rubber balls within a large circle chalked on the ground. The moment the ball bounds outside this line it may be seized on by any onlooker, and the player must instantly give up the bat and take turn outside the ring, into which her playmate steps, keeping a sharp lookout in case the ball should bound or roll her way.

Dolly Gets a Bath.

This is the birthday of sister Polly.
Come, let us give her a nice surprise.
Suppose we wash her dear old dolly?
But don't let the soap get into its eyes.

The precious dolly, the dear old dolly—
Fill the basin and in she goes.
Rub away, scrub away. Isn't it jolly?
Now for her cheeks and the tip of her nose.

What is the matter? Her cheeks were painted.
Where are the eyebrows she had before
Whiter and whiter! The doll has fainted,
And the glue is gone, and the wig she wore.

Forgive us, forgive us, sister Polly!
We have dried her and dressed her, but
what will you say?
You hardly will know your own old dolly
When half of her beauty is washed away

THE CITY WINS.

To be Reimbursed for the Money Paid on Neagle Claim.

In the case of the city of Quincy against the Quincy and Boston street railway a verdict was returned at Dedham yesterday for the plaintiff for $2,365.19.

This case dates back to Feb. 17, 1894, on which day Stephen Neagle, while driving on Washington street, was thrown from his team and injured, the accident being caused by a pile of snow thrown up by the street railway.

Mr. Neagle entered a suit against the city but before the case came to trial his counsel offered to settle for $1000. No settlement was made and the case was marked for trial. City Solicitor Blackmur applied to the counsel of the street railway for aid in the way of witnesses but this aid was flatly refused, which left the city handicapped, as Neagle had a number of reputable citizens as witnesses which the city was unable to meet.

As a result the city lost its case and Neagle was given a verdict for $2181 80.

The testimony at that time was that there was a high ridge on the side of the street caused by snow that had been thrown off the tracks by the railway.

The next move in this case was when the city turned and entered suit against the Street Railway Company to recover damages.

The case was heard last week at Dedham at a waived jury session, and a verdict was returned as noted above, the amount including costs and interest.

This case has caused an unusual amount of interest in the city. More so, perhaps, than usual on account of the action of the railway at that time. The result has been anxiously awaited.

Headache! Glasses relieve many. Consult Williams, practical optician, 104 Hancock street. Scientific test free. tf

BORN.

TONNER—In Braintree, Jan. 24, twin sons to Mr. and Mrs. John Tonner.
WILET—In Braintree, Jan. 25, a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Wilet.

DIED.

WILLIAMS—In Quincy, Jan. 29, Mr. John DeForrest Williams, aged 58 years.
SPOONER—In Quincy, Jan. 29, Lucretia A., daughter of Mr. George F. and Mrs. Mary E. Spooner, aged 3 years, 9 months and 29 days.

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FOUND—A nice Bull Dog, which the owner can have on paying charges, by calling at 61 Quincy street, between 5 and 6 o'clock P. M.
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WANTED.

WANTED—Pasters and girls to learn shoe stitching. Wanted at once. OLD COLONY BOOT & SHOE CO.
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FOR SALE—A Goddard Buggy and Harness, at 22 School street.
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Jan. 19—1y

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HENRY H. FAXON.
Jan. 18. 12t

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Oct. 26. tf

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NOTICE TO PARENTS.

CITY OF QUINCY.

CITY CLERK'S OFFICE, Dec. 14, 1896.

THE Record of births in any city or town is always more or less unsatisfactory, owing to the fact that the canvasser finds difficulty in getting the necessary information. Names and dates are frequently given incorrectly. The importance of accuracy is shown in many cases where there is a question of descent, or inheritance of property, or collection of life insurance or pensions. The City Clerk's copy of the record is accepted as conclusive evidence in a court of law. While great pains are taken by this office to have the record correct, experience shows that it is necessary that parents themselves should lend their assistance. In fact the law requires that parents shall give notice to the City Clerk of the birth of their children, and provides a penalty for neglect to give such notice for the space of six months.

It often happens that only children or servants are at home when the canvasser makes his call, and the answers to his questions are open to doubt. I therefore request all parents in whose households a birth has occurred in the year 1896, to place upon a paper or card the required information, and keep it in a convenient place until the canvasser appears.

The canvass will be commenced on Jan. 1, 1897.

HARRISON A. KEITH,
City Clerk.

Dec. 14 to Feb. 1. Dec. 19—7w

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Quincy, Oct 28 tf

CONDITION OF TRADE.

Heavy Snowfall Caused Falling Off In Business.

Decrease of Sales a Favorable Feature.

Wool Continues Active With Heavy Sales---Bank Clearances.

New York, Jan. 30.—Bradstreet's today says:

There has been a falling off in general trade owing to the heavy fall of snow and cold weather. Low temperature has stimulated demand in a few retail lines, but jobbers report sales of dry goods, clothing and farmers' supplies checked. There is a moderate increas in distribution of heavy winter goods, but commercial travellers report very generally buyers are even more conservative than earlier in the month, and that wholesale trading in January, except in lines specified, is smaller than for years. Mercantile collections are interrupted, and the improvement looked for in iron and steel is not in sight.

The most favorable feature of the business week is the sudden and sharp falling off in the total number of business failures in the United States, the aggregate being 326 as compared with 429 last week, a decrease of 103. When compared with the corresponding week of 1896, this week's falling off is 67, but there is an increase of 14 as compared with the like period in 1894, there have with the like week in 1895. Contrasted been 14 fewer failures this week than a year ago.

There have been increased sales of hides and leather, in some instances of shoes, coal, fertilizers and southern pig iron for export. At Boston, Charleston, Galveston and San Francisco there are moderate gains in trade compared with last week. The efature of the Pacific coast business situation continues to be the relatively large proportion of foreign trade. Eastern and middle state iron and steel industries are in an unsatisfactory condition, but southern furnaces announce nearly 12,000 tons of iron sold for export, with Russia in the market as a would-be buyer.

The heavy business in raw wool within a fortnight continues, and there is still an active demand. Boston sales for three weeks aggregate nearly 30,000,000 pounds, of which more than two thirds is domestic. The London wool sales developed sharp competition between American buyers, and wools suitable for use here are as high as at any time during the December sale. Men's wear woolens, heavyweights for next fall, are attracting attention, and good orders have been booked. Cotton goods continue depressed.

Bank clearings at cities throughout the United States show a sharp falling off from last week, about 8 per cent., but an increase of 7 per cent compared with the corresponding total one year ago, 2 per cent compared with the clearings in the fourth week in January, 1895, and 25 per cent contrasted with the corresponding total in 1894. This week's clearings are 30 per cent smaller than the like total in 1893, and 20 per cent smaller than the corresponding aggregate in 1892. The downward movement of prices for some of the more important staples continues continues conspicuous, notably for flour, oats, lard, coffee, petroleum, turpentine and tin plate. Quotations for Indian corn, pork, sugar, cotton and print cloths are practically unchanged. Concessions have been made in prices for iron and steel, yet quotations are nominally unchanged.

Prices for stocks at New York have advanced on light transactions. Speculation is bulish on the settlement of the Ohio coal road rate war and the coming appointment of an experienced business man and financier like Mr. Gage of Chicago, as secretary of the treasury in the new cabinet. Bonds are in demand and good issues scarce, while government 4s have reached 123¾, the highest price yet reached. Exchange is firm on manipulation at 486¾ to 487, but tends to decline on the weakness of money in London.

Exports of wheat (flour included as wheat) from both coasts of the United States this week amount to 2,515,408 bushels, as compared with 2,916,000 bushels last week, 2,550,000 in the week a year ago, 2,483,000 bushels in the week two years ago, 2,083,000 bushels three years ago, and as contrasted with 3,123,000 bushels in the corresponding week of 1893. Exports of Indian corn amount to 3,611,602 bushels this week, compared with 3,520,000 bushels last week, 3,197,000 bushels in the week a year ago, 942,000 bushels in the week two years ago, 2,147,000 bushels three years ago, and as contrasted with 700,000 in the like week of 1893.

The total number of business failures throughout the Canadian dominion this week is 56. Last week the total was 57 and last year it was 63, while in the week two years ago it was 56 and in the corresponding period of 1894 it was 44.

THE WOOL MARKET.

Indications of Much Better Sales In Near Future.

Boston, Jan. 30.—The Boston Commercial Bulletin says of the wool market:

Nothing but the storm prevented this week's sales from rising even above last week's, the largest total for six days ever reached in the Boston market. All varieties of wool share in the boom. The smaller mills have supplemented the orders of the larger.

French, English and South American markets are being invaded by American orders. There has been no advance whatever on last week's prices, the world's supply still open to us being too large to permit it.

The demands for goods have started. Light weight cloths are closely sold out and free offers of orders to be delivered by April 1, have been tendered. New heavy weights, especially in the cheaper grades are beginning to move more readily.

The sales of the week are: 8,584,000 pounds domestic and 2,258,000 pounds of foreign against 7,907,000 pounds domestic and 3,799,000 pounds foreign last week, and 1,626,000 pounds domestic and 1,431,000 pounds foreign for the same week last year.

The sales to date show an increase of 16,712,000 pounds domestic and 2,847,000 pounds foreign from the sales to the same date in 1896.

The receipts to date show a decrease of 578 bales domestic and 7230 bales foreign.

He defied anyone to show that he had any further interest in the matter. He said he was not surprised that the gentleman from Vermont had talked about his being interested in the bill, when he remembered the recent debate on the Pacific funding bill, of which the gentleman had had charge. On that occasion, grave statements were made to the effect that the bill did not protect the interests of the government. He resented the imputation that Massachusetts men were engaged "in the business of wrecking railroads," and highly eulogized them for their enterprise and public spirit.

"I am a young man," he continued. "I came here with no reputation beyond service in the legislature of my state, but the gentleman from Vermont came here after a long term of service on the supreme court of his state. What was the record of that court? Ask any one of the shareholders of the Central railroad of Vermont, who were robbed by the decrees of that court, and then let the gentleman from Vermont talk to me of Massachusetts wrecking railroads."

Mr. Barrett, proceeding, said he did not care for the ridicule contained in the comparison between Daniel Webster and himself, but he felt it his duty to defend the men of his state from the charge of railroad wrecking. The wreck of the Central railroad of Vermont, he declared, when that railroad was in the hands of the supreme court of that state, as receiver, was the most complete in railroad history. It was a stench in the nostrils of civilization, and he defied any man to dispute it. Mr. Barrett received a round of applause when he concluded.

Mr. Powers, the subject of the attack, sat silent throughout the remarks of the Massachusetts member, and made no response.

Pilot Boat Missing.

Boston, Jan. 30.—The pilot boat Liberty No. 3 is missing, and it is feared she was lost in the recent storm. She should have reached her berth Wednesday night. She went out some days ago with a full complement of pilots. One by one they took charge of incoming vessels, and Boatkeper Benthram was left aboard to bring the Liberty to Boston. The prevailing opinion among the pilots is that the pilot boat was either driven far out to sea or else stranded on the Graves and pounded herself to pieces. In the latter event, not one of her crew could have escaped. The Liberty is the largest of the Boston fleet of pilot boats, and is also the latest acquisition to the fleet. The crew consists of first and second boatkeepers, steward and two men.

Murderer Palmer's Story.

St. Louis, Jan. 30.—Arthur Palmer, the murderer of his mother, brother and sister at Mamroneck, N. Y., is still here, awaiting officers from the east to take him back to the scene of his crime. When seen by a reporter, Palmer begged that the knowledge of his arrest be kept from his wife. "It was on my wife's account," he said, "that the kiling took place. I married her five years ago, and my people were opposed to the marriage. They treated her shamefully and finally drove her from home. We had a little boy, but he died. Had my people treated my wife the way they should, they would be alive today."

Big Dynamite Explosion.

Hazelton, Pa., Jan. 30.—Two thousand pounds of dynamite exploded at the Crystal Ridge colliery, near here, late Thursday night. Three supply houses were demolished, the side of the breaker torn out, and the engine house destroyed. Watchman Rickert and Engineer Yeager were buried in the debris, the former being fatally injured. The explosion was plainly felt in this city, many windows being broken by the shock. The explosion is said to have been the work of tramps.

Bradley Martins Threatened.

New York, Jan. 30.—The Press this morning says: Mrs. Bradley Martin has received dozens of threatening letters in connection with the famous fancy dress ball which she will give on Feb. 10. These letters have disturbed her and Mr. Martin greatly. Some of them have been of so incendiary a character as to indicate that they were written by anarchists. They have hinted at all sorts of violence if the ball is given, and, in some of them, dynamite bombs have been mentioned.

Alleged Postal Frauds.

New York, Jan. 30.—The World today alleges that, through frauds in the railway mail service of the postoffice department, the government is defrauded out of $10,000,000 a year by the railroads, through a system of "stuffing the mails" during the regular quadrennial weighing. In support of this allegation, The World prints what purports to be facts and figures, together with admissions of railway officials and postoffice department officials of the existence of the alleged frauds.

Claims an Alibi.

Portland, Me., Jan. 30.—Warren E. Bailey, charged with stealing $1000 worth of valuable stamps from S. A. Stevens, is on trial here. Mrs. Stevens positively identified the prisoner as the man who procured the stamps from her album. On the other hand, Bailey claims to have been in Brockton on that day, and his counsel put three reputable witnesses on the stand, who testified that they talked with him in Brockton on that day. The case is still on trial.

Internal Revenue Employes to Organize.

Cincinnati, Jan. 30.—A call has been issued for a national convention here Saturday, Feb. 20, of all employes of the internal revenue department, to form a national civil service organization, similar to the present national civil service organization of the postal department. Delegates will be present from all the states and territories.

Free Board For West Pointers.

Washington, Jan. 30.—There is a possibility that the West Point cadets may yet attend the inauguration of the president-elect. The item of expense has been one of the chief obstacles in the way of their coming. H. C. Burch, manager of the Ebbitt house, has offered the cadets free board during their stay.

Denies Woodmansee's Charges.

Chicago, Jan. 30.—U. S. Glick, who is accused of soliciting funds for the Republican league and of representing himself as the personal agent of Major McKinley and Chairman Hanna, by President Woodmansee of the league, denies the charge and says he will bring suit for libel.

Massachusetts Legislature.

Boston, Jan. 30.—A bill was introduced in the legislature yesterday by Representative Hayes of Lowell, to provide that prisoners committed to penal and reformatory institutions shall be employed on state highways, and for the abolition of all manufacturing in prisons, where the products come into competition with free labor.

In the senate a lively debate was precipitated by the introduction of a bill appropriating the amount asked for by the civil service commission, which amount was $4000 more than that appropriated last year.

Senator Cook inquired why the increase was necessary, and said he thought it was time to call a halt when "we see the workmen of this state wandering to and fro, seeking work. It is not," he said, "in line with the action of that chief executive who, with one stroke of his pen, placed 30,000 men on the civil service list, in order to have one favorite taken care of."

Senator Lemasney offered an amendment making the appropriation the same as last year, and, in speaking of the amendment, said: "I have always been of the opinion that the offices belong to the party in power. These civil service reformers are building up a class in this country."

The debate was cut short by the arrival of the hour of adjournment.

Forty Persons Nearly Asphyxiated.

Boston, Jan. 30.—Forty persons were overcome by escaping gas in the Palace hotel, a lodging house on Kneeland street, yesterday morning. A leak occurred in the gas main that passes under an addition to the building on Whitmore street. The gas filled the corridors and rooms, while the sleeping inmates gasped and stirred uneasily. Then a heaviness heavier than slumber stole upon them. Then the night clerk, himself suffering from the effects of inhalation of the deadly vapor, with a policeman, rushed up the stairs, from room to room, hammering at the doors and arousing the men, who were in peril of asphyxiation. Half dressed, gasping, staggering, they came tumbling out, scarcely realizing what had befallen them. Fortunately, they were not so far gone but a few generous whiffs of fresh air restored them. Two, however, were much more seriously affected, and it was not until many hours had passed that they were pronounced to be out of danger.

Maine Legislature.

Augusta, Me., Jan. 30.—There was a slim attendance in both houses yesterday, but the biggest pile of bills were presented of any session yet.

Among those presented in the house was an act to refund $100,000 city of Lewiston bonds, a petition that the chronic insane be supported by the state after five years at the insane hospital, a resolve giving $25,000 as a subsidy to any railroad building a bridge for travel and railroad over the St. John river at Fort Kent, provided the province of New Brunswick gives a like amount, the 54-hour bill, with over 50 petitions, bearing several thousand names, petitions for the reduction of the tax on savings banks, an act authorizing the Portland Railroad company to increase its capital from $500,000 to $1,000,000, and to extend its lines to Gorham.

Nearly a Collision.

Boston, Jan. 30.—During Thursday's gales, while the steamer Boston was 25 miles east of Thatcher's island, the officers suddenly saw a flare of light on a fishing vessel, and immediately reversed the engines at full speed astern. When the steamer stopped, the fishing vessel was found hove to right under her bows. The skipper had no side lights burning, and, but for the steamship captain sighting the flare of light through the thick snow storm, the fishing vessel would have gone down, probably with her entire crew.

In Charge of Football at Yale.

New Haven, Jan. 30.—The election of officers for the Yale University Football association was held last evening. It was held five months earlier than the usual meeting. The men who will have charge of Yale's football policy for 1898 are as follows: D. C. Twitchell, '98, of Hartford, president; H. F. Benjamin, '98, Gamson-on-the-Hudson, vice president; Ord Preston, '99, Englewood, N. J., secretary and treasurer; J. Brown, '99, Chicago, assistant manager.

Lee Acquitted.

Providence, Jan. 30.—John J. Lee, who was tried of a charge of manslaughter in connection with the death of his wife, Nellie, Jan. 12, was adjudged not guilty, and discharged. Mrs. Lee's fatal wound was due to her having fallen upon the carving knife, with which she had attacked her husband. Among those who testified in Lee's behalf were two brothers of the dead woman.

Kennedy on the Stand.

Salem, Mass., Jan. 30.—The prosecution concluded its case against Kennedy in the Learoyd poisoning case yesterday with the testimony of the Chief of Police Bacon. The defense opened by putting the defendant on the stand. He denied ever having any trouble with Mrs. Learoyd or that he threatened her husband's life.

He Had Been There Himself.



Mrs. Jason—Don't swear like that, Ray, just because the boys hit you with a snowball. Don't lose your temper.

Mr. Jason—Lose temper? Nothing! I'm just swearing to please the boys. That's what they want.—New York Evening Journal.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY

Take laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. 25c.

Balance of OIL STOVES to be closed out at reduced prices. GUY'S COLISEUM, Quincy.



You wouldn't think much of a man who remained tied when he had a knife in his hands, would you? He would be foolish to remain helpless when the slightest effort would free him. A man is made helpless and useless by other things besides ropes. Constipation will make a man helpless. His muscles and brain are so weighed down with impure, poisonous matter, useIessly retained in the system, that effort of all kind is distasteful; and what little work he is able to perform is not of good quality. Constipation makes a man sluggish and heavy. It gives him a headache, most likely. His "brain doesn't work." He has a bad taste in his mouth, a foul breath, and he "feels bad" all over. Constipation causes nine-tenths of all human sickness. It is the cause of sick and bilious headaches, of biliousness, sour stomach, heart-burn, palpitation of the heart, pimples, blotches, indigestion and dyspepsia. It can be cured just as easily as a rope may be cut. Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets will do it. They will do it without producing any harmful effect on the rest of the system. They are not violent in their action. They merely assist Nature. They will restore the healthy, natural action of the digestive organs. You don't become a slave to their use. You stay cured when you are cured. One little "Pellet" is a gentle laxative; two a mild cathartic. Get them at druggists. Nothing else is "just as good."

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GUY'S COLISEUM, - QUINCY.

Mortgagees' Sale.

BY Virtue and pursuance of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Charles L. Leavitt, William B. Barry, Stephen Walsh, Walter R. Fegan, John O'Leary, Patrick Fanning, James F. Lord, James A. O'Leary and Peter T. Fallon, co-partners, doing business under the firm name and style of the Quincy Co-operative Granite Works, to John Quincy Adams, Charles Francis Adams, Henry Adams, Brooks Adams and Mary Adams Quincy, Trustees, under a Declaration of Trust known as the Adams Real Estate Trust. Said mortgage being dated October 10, 1889, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds in Book 633, Page 491; said mortgage having been duly assigned by John Quincy Adams, et. als., Trustees, to C. F. Adams, et. als., Supervisors of the Adams Temple and School Fund. Said assignment being duly recorded with said Norfolk Deeds in Book 650, Page 181, and said mortgage having been duly assigned by C. F. Adams et. als., Supervisors, to Austin Ford of Cambridge, in the County of Middlesex and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, said assignment being duly recorded in said Norfolk Deeds, Book 758, Page 598, for breach of the conditions contained in said mortgage, and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, will be sold at public auction, on the premises hereinafter described, on THURSDAY, the eighteenth day of February, A. D. 1897, at three o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular the premises described in said mortgage, to wit:

A certain parcel of land lying in Quincy in the County of Norfolk and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, bounded and described as follows: Easterly on Willard street, there measuring two hundred ten and fifteen hundredths feet (210 15-100); Southerly on land of Gulliver and Hussey about one hundred and sixty-seven and sixty-eight hundredths feet (167 68-100) to the easterly line of the old Roadway known as the Bunker Hill Road; Westerly on the east side of said road, there measuring about two hundred two and thirty-five hundredths feet (202 35-100); northerly on land now or formerly of John Quincy Adams et. als., there measuring about ninety feet; (90) or however otherwise bounded, measured or described, subject to all unpaid taxes or assessments.

Two hundred dollars to be paid in cash at the time and place of sale.

AUSTIN FORD,
Assignee of said Mortgage.
Cambridge, Jan. 18, 1897. 23-30-6 5t

Commonwealth Of Massachusetts.

NORFOLK, ss. PROBATE COURT.

TO the next-of-kin and all other persons interested in Edward J. McKenna and Ellen L. McKenna, both of Quincy in said County of Norfolk, minors.

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said Court by Eugene A. McKenna of Quincy, in the County of Norfolk, praying for the appointment of himself or some other suitable person as guardian of said minors.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Quincy, in said County of Norfolk, on the tenth day of February, A. D. 1897, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why a guardian should not be appointed, as aforesaid.

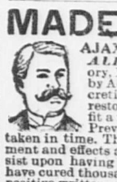
And said petitioner is hereby directed to give notice thereof to the next of kin of said minors and others interested, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the QUINCY DAILY LEDGER, a newspaper published in said Quincy, the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, or by delivering a copy thereof to the said kindred at least seven days before the said Court.

Witness, George White, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-second day of January, the year one thousand eight hundred and ininety-seven.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.
3t jan23-30-6

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GUY'S COLISEUM, - QUINCY.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

NORFOLK, ss.

TO the Honorable the Justices of the Supreme Judicial Court sitting at Dedham, within and for the County of Norfolk.

The undersigned, being all the stockholders of the W. H. Doble Company, respectfully represents that said Company was duly constituted a corporation according to the provisions of the one hundred and sixth chapter of the Public Statutes of said Commonwealth, on the second day of February, A. D., 1893, that the purpose for which said corporation was constituted was to manufacture and sell at wholesale and retail pies, cakes, puddings, candies and pastry of all kinds, and the wholesale and retail purchase and sale of groceries, provisions, meats, boots, shoes, slippers, men and women's foot wear, dry goods and men and women's furnishing goods of all kinds, and crockery, glass, china, wooden and earthen wear of all kinds; that the place within which said corporation was established was the city of Quincy, within said Commonwealth; that the capital stock of said corporation was twenty thousand dollars divided into two hundred shares of the par value of one hundred dollars each; that the said capital was fully paid in, in cash at the time of the organization; that the said business was thereafter transacted at a loss; that the corporation does not owe any debts; that a special meeting of the company held on this date, in which the entire capital stock was represented, it was unanimously voted to petition this Honorable Court for dissolution; that your petitioners desire to close the concern of said corporation, and that reasonable cause exists therefor as set forth above.

Wherefore they pray that a decree may be made by this Honorable Court dissolving the said corporation.

Dated February 14, 1896.

Name.	Residence.	No. of Shares.
ARTHUR H. DOBLE,	Quincy, Mass.,	five.
ENOCH H. DOBLE,	Quincy, Mass.,	one hundred and ninety-five.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

NORFOLK, ss. Supreme Judicial Court.

Upon the foregoing petition it is ordered that the petitioners give notice to all persons interested, to appear before the Justices of our said Supreme Judicial Court, to be holden at Dedham, within and for said County of Norfolk, on the first Monday of March next, by causing an attested copy of said petition and of this order thereon, to be published in the QUINCY DAILY LEDGER, a newspaper published at Quincy in said County, once in a week for three successive weeks, the last publication to be thirty days at least before the said first Monday of March next, that they may then and there appear and show cause why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.

By the Court,
LOUIS A. COOK, Clerk.
Jan. 11, 1897.

A true copy of petition and of the order thereon.

Attest: R. B. WORTHINGTON,
3t 16-23-30 Assistant Clerk.

SCROFULA AND ERYSIPELAS



Two Diseases That Cause Their Victims to Be Shunned by Their Fellow-Man.

SPRINGFIELD, Mo.

GENTLEMEN: I commenced taking P. P. P., Lippman's Great Remedy, last Fall, for Erysipelas. My face was completely covered with the disease; I took a short course of P. P. P., and it soon disappeared. This Spring I became much debilitated and again took another course, and I am now in good condition. I consider P. P. P. one of the best blood preparations on the market, and for those who need a general tonic to build up the system and improve the appetite I consider that it has no equal. Will say, anyone who cares to try P. P. P. will not be disappointed in its results, and I, therefore, cheerfully recommend it.

ARTHUR WOOD,
Springfield, Mo.

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Yours very truly,
W. P. HUNTER.

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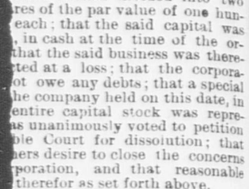
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NEXT WAR SECRETARY.

A'ger Makes Announcement of His Appointment by McKinley.

His Career as a Business Man and Soldier.

Goff Declines Attorney Generalship---Canton Gossip.

Canton, O., Jan. 30.—General Russell A. Alger yesterday announced to press representatives that he had been offered and had accepted the position of secretary of war in President McKinley's cabinet.

The policy of the administration, he said, had not even been considered, but even if it had he was too much of a soldier to announce the policy of his superiors.



RUSSELL A. ALGER.

He also confirmed Senator Burrows' statement that the relations between himself and Senator Sherman are entirely pleasant, and that cabinet associations would be harmonious, and all branches of the administration in accord.

General Russell A. Alger was born in Lafayette township, Medina county, O., Feb. 27, 1836. His grandfather served in the revolutionary war, and is claimed to have been a descendant of William the Conqueror. When 11 years of age, both his parents died. For the next seven years he worked on a farm, earning money to defray his expenses at the Richfield (O.) academy during the winters. Subsequently, he taught school, and in March, 1857, entered a law office in Akron. Two years later he was admitted to the bar. He entered the law office of Otis & Collinbury in Cleveland, but abandoned the practice of law the following autumn on account of failing health, and moved to Grand Rapids, Mich., where he engaged in the lumber business, and where, in 1861, he was married to Annette H. Henry.

In 1861, Alger enlisted in the Second Michigan cavalry, and was made captain of Company C. He was wounded in the battle of Booneville, Miss. Owing to his part in this engagement, he was promoted to the rank of major. In '62, he became lieutenant colonel of the Sixth Michigan cavalry, and in '63 was made colonel of the Fifth Michigan cavalry, his regiment being in Custer's famous brigade. In 1864 his health induced him to retire from the service. He was breveted brigadier and major general "for gallant and meritorious services," and was on private service in 1863-64, receiving orders personally from President Lincoln.

In 1865, he moved to Detroit, where he has since been extensively engaged in lumber and pine land business. He was a member of the firm of Moore & Alger, and became the head of the firm of R. A. Alger & Co., the most extensive pine lumber operators in the west. Subsequently the firm was merged into that of Alger, Smith & Co., which owns and operates extensive tracts and mills in Michigan and in the Canadian Georgian bay region.

General Alger was elected governor of Michigan in 1884. In 1888 he was one of the leading candidates for nomination by the Republican convention for the presidency. Great acrimony was engendered betwen the Alger workers and those working for Senator Sherman, and the breach then made between the general and the senator is believed to have only recently healed.

General Alger was commander-in-chief of the G. A. R. He has three sons and three daughters.

The Repository, which, for years, has been the McKinley organ at his home, says: The appointment of Lyman J. Gage, as secretary of the treasury, impresses the country most favorably. The president-elect is in receipt today of telegrams from almost every state, highly commending his selection. Mr. Gage is not only a great financier, but he is in entire accord with Major McKinley upon all questions of governmental policy, and will command the attention of congress and the country in the immediate future and during his administration. Easily the first citizen of Chicago, no private citizen of Illinois commands such universal respect or possesses in such a marked degree the esteem of the people of Illinois. Although a modest and somewhat retiring citizen, he has, nevertheless, always been active in great affairs, and is well known for his public spirit, broad views and great liberality. In politics, he has been a Republican, having voted for Fremont in 1856, and for every Republican candidate since, with a single exception, a dozen years ago. Few men in the country have read more attentively the public speeches and addreses of Major McKinley. Few are more better informed about them, and none are more heartily in accord with his views. Doubtless this knowledge and their strong personal friendship led Major McKinley to invite Mr. Gage into his cabinet. We believe he will meet the highest expectations of his friends, and prove a worthy succesor to such worthy financiers as Hamilton, Chase, Sherman, Windom and the great officers of the treasury. He is a staunch, broad-guaged, practical business man, and his selection at this juncture is of decided and positive benefit to the country.

Ex-Congressman James Wilson arrived in Canton yesterday, and went immediately to Major McKinley's home. Nothing is known of the result of the interview.

The president-elect was 54 years old yesterday. No demonstration in honor of the event was made. Mrs. McKinley sent birthday greetings from Chicago.

A dispatch from Parkersburg, W. Va., says that Judge Nathan Goff has declared he will not be President McKinley's attorney general.

FIENDISH OUTRAGE.

Woman Brutally Assaulted by a Negro---Wretch is Captured.

Lancaster, Pa., Jan. 30.—Mrs. Elmer I. Sehner was the victim of an awful outrage at the hands of a big negro yesterday at her home in the eastern end of Columbia. About 10 minutes after her husband left the house, while Mrs. Sehner was sitting in the parlor with her 2-months-old baby on her lap, she was horrified to see a big negro standing in the doorway. He immediately sprang at her, and bore her to the floor, at the same time choking her to prevent an outcry. Failing to quiet her struggles, he took a half-round file and beat her into unconsciousness, when he gagged and assaulted her. When she regained consciousness, the negro was standing over her. Her first thought was of her baby, which she had on her lap when the negro attacked her. She reached into the cradle, and, finding it there, picked it up. The negro again seized her and dragged her with the baby in her arms about the house, until she again lost consciousness.

The fact that the shutters of the house remained closed until an unusual hour, coupled with the screams, at last aroused the suspicions of the neighbors. They hurried to the house, and found the woman lying on the kitchen floor in an unconscious condition, with nearly every stitch of clothing torn from her body.

After being resuscitated, the horrible story was told by Mrs. Sehner. She gave a good description of her assailant, and the country is being scoured by detectives and citizens.

Detectives brought a dozen colored men to this city last night charged with robbing railroad cars. They are all in jail. One of the men was taken before Mrs. Sehner, the woman who was outrageously assaulted at Columbia, and she identified him as her assailant, and fainted away without giving any particulars. An angry mob got ropes ready to hang the man.

The Suffragist Convention.

Des Moines, Jan. 30.—The Woman's Suffrage association held a short session yesterday and adjourned to appear before the state senate in response to an invitation extended to them by that body. President Susan B. Anthony replied to the criticism of The Capital, a newspaper of this city, on alleged desecration of the national flag by the women suffragists in displaying a flag with but four stars. She said the stars represented the four states where real principles of the declaration of independence—that taxation and representation are inseparable—were fully recognized. We have not gone out of the Union, she said, but these four states have just fully come in. Is it a desecration to mark this little fact with a flag? She suggested that it might be better and give less offense to brethren to do as the Brooklyn women did and find the four stars representing Wyoming, Colorado, Utah and Idaho, on the flag and mark them yellow. We heard nothing about desecration during the campaign, she said, when the faces of McKinley and Bryan were everywhere displayed on flags and flag buttons.

Armenian Society Officers.

New York, Jan. 30.—The yearly meeting of the Armenian Relief association was held last night. Officers for the ensuing year were elected, and there was an addres on the Armenian situation by William Williard Howard, who has recently returned from Armenia. Mr. Howard was sent to Armenia to aid in the escape of Armenians from the atrocities at the hands of the Turks. His address was a long one, and, in the course of his remarks, he said: "I am expecting trouble in eastern Turkey in May or June, and I would not be surprised if another massacre should take place in Constantinople." Officers were elected as follows: President, Rev. Eugene A. Hofffman, dean of the General Theological seminary; first vice president, Bishop Henry C. Potter; second vice president, David J. Burrell; third vice president, Rev. R. S. MacArthur; treasurer, O. O. Edgerton Schmidt; honorary secretary, Rev. C. W. E. Body; executive committee, J. Bleecker Miller, Ludlow Ogden, Henry H. Mann, Robert H. Home, Nicholas R. Mersereau.

Print Cloth Agents Confident.

Fall River, Mass., Jan. 30.—Many of the agents of the print mills here are confident that enough spindles will be pledged to make the curtailment agreement effective. At noon yesterday 3,100,000 had been pledged, leaving 400,000 to be secured. Just what Providence manufacturers will do today is a matter of interest to manufacturers, many of whom believe that the requisite number cannot be reached without the cooperation of Rhode Island men. Many mill men are quite confident that the limit has already been reached. Brokers expressed the opinion that the chances slightly favor curtailment, and report buyers as cautious and waiting for final action of the producers. The point has been raised that the agreement stands open until Wednesday, but Monday will probably see a decision for or against short time. The sales for the week were only 77,000 pieces, and the stock on hand increased 3000 pieces.

Proof of Kruger's Intrigue.

London, Jan. 30.—The Graphic says that it is rumored that Colonel Cecil Rhodes, who arrived in England a week ago, brought with him documentary proof of the intrigues alleged to have taken place between President Kruger of Transvaal and the German government. It is claimed that the magnificent country home at Capetown belonging to Colonel Cecil Rhodes, ruined by fire Dec. 15, was burned for the purpose of destroying these documents.

Arrested at Prison Gate.

Portsmouth, N. H., Jan. 30.—C. E. Currier, whose term of imprisonment, for being concerned in an insurance swindle, expired yesterday, was taken into custody again, and taken to Salem, Mass., to answer a charge of swindling people in Newburyport.

Fight Bill a Law.

Carson, Nev., Jan. 30.—The bill passed by the legislature to legalize prize fighting is now a law, the governor having signed it last night.

THE WEATHER INDICATIONS.

ALMANAC, SATURDAY, JAN. 30.
Sun rises—6:59; sun sets, 4:56.
Length of day—9h. 57m.
Moon rises—5:40 a. m.
Full sea—9 a. m., 9:45 p. m.

Forecast for New England: Fair weather; westerly winds; slightly colder.

FOR BIMETALLISM.

Senate Passed Bill For International Monetary Conference.

Barrett and Powers Create Sensation.

Latter Says Boston Is the Home of Railroad Wreckers.

Washington, Jan. 30.—The international monetary conference bill was passed by the senate yesterday. The vote was 46 to 4.

The closing of the debate brought out several notable speeches, including those of Mr. Hoar (Mass.), Mr. Vilas (Wis.), Mr. Jones (Ark.) and Mr. Gorman (Md.), Mr. Allison (Ia.) and Mr. Carter (Mont.). It disclosed that little opposition existed against the bill, the only division being as to the expediency of seeking bimetallism through international agreement.

Mr. Hoar's speech attracted attention, and was one of the most noteworthy utterances of the veteran senator made in recent days. He spoke of his observations in Europe during last summer, his agreeable discussions with M. Meline and M. Bourgereau in Paris and Mr. Balfour in London on the advance of bimetallism. Mr. Hoar expressed the conviction that the four great nations, the United States, Great Britain, France and Germany, were fast and inevitably tending toward a bimetallic agreement.

The monetary conference bill, as passed, is as follows:

That whenever, after March 4, 1897, the president of the United States shall determine that the United States should be represented at any international conference called by the United States or any other country, with a view to securing by international legislation a fixity of value between gold and silver, as money, by means of a common ratio, he is hereby authorized to appoint five or more commissioners to such international conference, and for compensation of said commissioners and for all reasonable expenses connected therewith, to be approved by the secretary of state, including the proportion to be paid by the United States for the joint expenses of any such conference, the sum of $100,000, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated.

Section 2. That the president of the United States is hereby authorized, in the name of the government of the United States, to call, in his discretion, such international conference to assemble at such points as may be agreed upon.

During the day, Mr. Morgan, failing to secure an agreement for a vote on the Nicaraguan canal bill, announced that it would be urged to a conclusion Monday. The senate adjourned until Monday.

The house yesterday witnessed another exciting and somewhat sensational episode. At the end of an acrimonious debate on the conference report on the bill to confer the rights and franchises of the Atlantic and Pacific railroad on the purchasers under the mortgage foreclosure, Mr. Powers of Vermont and Mr. Barrett of Massachusetts exchanged broadsides.

Mr. Powers defended the conference report, against the assaults of half a score of members, led by Mr. Barrett. The latter was particularly severe in his criticism, charging that a stock jobbing operation was behind the measure. This drew from Mr. Powers, near the close of the debate, a reply, in which he charged that Boston was the home of the railroad wreckers, and, with keen sarcasm, ridiculed the Massachusetts member, and intimated that he was "interested" in his opposition. Mr. Barrett, in responding, denied the imputation, and scored Mr. Powers, who, he said, was on the supreme bench of Vermont when the Central railroad of that state was "wrecked under its decrees." He was not called to order, but Mr. Grout of Vermont twice protested against the attack on the judiciary of his state. The report was rejected by an overwhelming majority, 71 to 143, and the conferees were instructed to insist on house amendments.

The sensational incident occurred when Mr. Powers took the floor to close the debate. He undertook to ridicule Mr. Barrett and incidentally to hint that he might be representing opposition interests. This provoked a very sensational reply from the Bay State member. Mr. Powers appealed at the outset to members not to be taken off their feet by charges of rascality made by the gentleman from Massachusetts (Barrett). The latter, he said, was probably representing some of those who were interested in the affairs of this company. If any Massachusetts interests were involved, he declared emphatically, they were not involved in the direction of public good. Boston was the place where railroads were wrecked, and it was a dirty bird which befouled its own nest. Massachusetts, he went on, ironically, was a great state. It had furnished two presidents, the two Adamses, but both were, unfortunately, now dead; it had furnished the greatest intellectual genius in our history, Daniel Webster, also dead, and the most placid statesman who ever sat in this hall, Charles Sumner, also dead. These great men had pasesd away, and we were left today, he said, to bask in the sunshine of the gentleman from Massachusetts (Barrett) and learn righteousness at his feet (laughter).

"The gentleman from Massachusetts," he concluded, "might be one of the most useful men on this floor, but the trouble with him is that he assumes there is nothing on this floor worth respecting. He came here to shed light. He knew this was a chaos of darkness when he came. He was born, Mr. Speaker, to be a rose, with the destiny of blooming and blushing upon this floor; but his fate has been to wither and waste his beauty in the desert air." (Laughter and applause.)

Mr. Barrett was very much aroused by Mr. Powers' ridicule and innuendo, and the moment the Vermont member took his seat, he was on his feet. It was evident, from his opening words, that he did not intend to use a foil. After indignantly denying that he was in any way interested in the opposition to the pending measure, or had communicated with anyone on the subject, except his colleague, Mr. Moody, and the gentleman from Vermont, he said, menacingly: "The gentleman charges me with being interested. Before I have concluded, I shall draw a parallel which I think he will understand."

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Quincy & Boston ELECTRIC STREET RAILWAY.

[Subject to change without notice.]

On and after Friday, Jan. 1, 1897, cars will make trips on week days as follows:

Quincy and Neponset.

Leave CITY HALL for Neponset—6.00 A. M., 6.15, 6.30, 6.45, 7.00, and every 15, 30, 45 and 60 minutes past the hour until 7.00 P. M., then every half hour until 10.50 P. M. Cars leaving Quincy on the hour via. Norfolk Downs, except 6.00 P. M.

Leave NEPONSET—6.22 A. M., 6.37, 6.52, 7.07, 7.22, and every 7, 22, 37 and 52 minutes past the hour until 7.00 o'clock, then every half hour until 11 P. M.; last car for Quincy at 11.15 P. M. Cars leaving Neponset 22 minutes past the hour via. Norfolk Downs.

Quincy and East Weymouth.

Leave CITY HALL (10 minutes later from Quincy Point and 22 minutes later from North Weymouth)—5.45, 6.20, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, 11.20, 11.50 A. M.; 12.20, 12.50, 1.20, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20 4.50 5.20 (5.30 to East Weymouth car house), 5.50, 6.20, 6.30, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.50 P. M.

Leave EAST WEYMOUTH (20 minutes later from North Weymouth and 30 minutes later from Quincy Point)—6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11, 11.30 A. M.; 12, 12.30, 1, 1.30, 2, 2.30, 3, 3.30, 4, 4.30, 5, 5.30, 6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11.30 P. M.

Quincy and East Milton.

Leave CITY HALL, 5.55, 6.25, then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 55 P. M., then at 9.50 and 10.50 P. M.

Leave EAST MILTON, 6.30, 7.00 A. M., then on the hour and half hour until 9.30 P. M., then at 10.20 and 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and Holbrook.

Leave QUINCY for SOUTH BRAINTREE and HOLBROOK at 6.10 and 6.40 A. M., and every 10 minutes past and 20 minutes of the hour until 10.10 P. M. Last car leaves at 10.50 P. M. On Saturdays the last car leaves Quincy at 11.50 P. M.

Returning cars leave HOLBROOK for SOUTH BRAINTREE and QUINCY at 5.55 and 6.25 A. M., and every 25 minutes past and 5 minutes of the hour until 9.55 P. M. Last car leaves Holbrook at 11.30 P. M.

☞ On Sundays on the Weymouth route cars will leave Quincy on the hour and half hour and East Weymouth at quarter past and quarter of the hour.

☞ Special trips can be arranged on application to the Superintendent.

☞ At Quincy Centre close connection is made with Electric Cars on all the routes.

☞ At Neponset close connection is made with West End Street Cars to and from Boston.

☞ Cars are due at Beale street, Wollaston ten minutes after leaving Neponset and seven minutes after leaving Quincy.

BENJ. J. WEEKS, Superintendent.

New York, New Haven and Hartford R. R.

OLD COLONY SYSTEM.

On and after Jan. 17, 1897, trains will run as follows: (See note of explanation at bottom.)

TO BOSTON. Leave Quincy.	Stops at	Arrive Boston.	FROM BOSTON. Leave Boston.	Stops at	Arrive Quincy*
r 6 12 abc	*	6 30	5 53 ihgfedcba*		6 20 r
r 6 42 abc		7 00	6 30 cba		6 49 r
r 7 12 abc		7 30	7 30 cba		7 49 r
7 29 a		7 48	8 30 cba		8 49 r
r 7 42 abc		8 00	9 30 cba		9 49 r
r 8 12 abc		8 30	10 30 cba		10 49 r
8 29 a		8 45	11 30 cba		11 49 r
r 8 42 abc		9 00	12 00 (xx)		12 15
r 9 12 abc		9 30	12 30 cba		12 49 r
r 10 12 abc		10 30	1 30 cba		1 49 r
r 11 12 abc		11 30	2 30 cba		2 49 r
r 12 12 abc		12 30	3 30 cba		3 49 r
r 1 12 abc		1 30	4 30 cba		4 49 r
1 46 (xx)		2 00	5 00 cba		5 19 r
r 2 12 abc		2 30	5 15 a		5 32
r 3 12 abc		3 30	5 30 cba		5 49 r
r 4 12 abc		4 30	6 00 cba		6 19 r
r 5 12 abc		5 30	6 15 a		6 32
r 6 12 abc		6 30	6 30 cba		6 49 r
r 7 12 abc		7 30	7 00 cba		7 19 r
r 7 41 abcdefghi		8 07	7 30 cba		7 49 r
r 8 08 abcdef		8 30	8 30 fedcba		8 53 r
r 9 12 abc		9 30	9 30 cba		9 49 r
r 10 08 abcdef		10 30	10 30 fedcba		10 53 r
r 10 34 abcdefghi		11 08	11 00 ihgfedcba		11 27 r
r 11 12 abc		11 30	11 30 cba		11 49 r

SUNDAYS.

6 38 abcdef		7 00	4 05 fda		4 23
8 46 (xx)		9 00	7 30 fedcba		7 53 r
r 9 12 abc		9 30	8 30 (xx)		8 45
r 12 16 (xx)		12 30	9 30 ihgfedcba		9 57 r
1 07 abc		1 25	10 30 ihgfedcba		10 57 r
2 16 (xx)		2 30	11 30 (xx)		11 45
r 3 04 abcdefghi		3 30	12 35 cba		12 54
r 4 04 abcdefghi		4 30	1 30 (xx)		1 45
5 16 (xx)		5 30	4 30 cba		4 49 r
r 6 08 abcdef		6 30	5 00 (xx)		5 15
r 9 08 abcdef		9 30	7 00 fedcba		7 23 r
9 38 adf		9 55	10 30 fedcba		10 53 r

*The letters in the same line as the figures stand for different stations and indicate that trains stop, as follows:

a, Wollaston. g, Savin Hill.
b, Norfolk Downs h, Crescent Avenue.
c, Atlantic. i, South Boston.
d, Neponset.
e, Pope's Hill. r, Quincy Adams.
f, Harrison Square. (xx), Express.

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QUINCY—Ledger Office, 115 Hancock street.
Souther's Periodical Store, 1 Granite street.
McGovern Bros.', Adams building.
C. F. Carlson, near Quincy depot.
Stephen Pierce, corner of Hancock and School streets.

WEST QUINCY—Coram's Periodical store Copeland Street, and his carriers.

BREWER'S CORNER—Emma Lark, Copeland Street.

WOLLASTON—Ross' news stand and carriers.

NORFOLK DOWNS—Branscheid & Martens and their carriers.

ATLANTIC—Brancheid & Martens News Agency and their carriers.

QUINCY POINT—Miss Freeman's store.

SOUTH QUINCY—Peter Haverly, Water street.
F. J. Pierson, 96 Granite street.
O. D. Chick, 59 Liberty street.

EAST MILTON—William Clark's periodical store and his carriers.

EAST WEYMOUTH—George H. Hunt.

WEYMOUTH LANDING—W. E. Cunningham.

NO. WEYMOUTH—B. F. Thomas.

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MOON'S PHASES.

New Moon	3	1:03 a. m.	Full Moon	18	3:17 p. m.
First Quarter	10	4:46 p. m.	Third Quarter	25	3:08 p. m.

GEMS IN VERSE.

Memory.

What we miscall our life is memory.
We walk upon a narrow patch between
Two gulfs—what is to be and what has been—
Led by a guide whose name is Destiny.
Beyond are sightless gloom and mystery,
From whose unfathomable depths we glean
Chaotic hopes and terrors, dimly seen
Reflections of a past reality.
Behind, pursuing through the twilight haze,
The phantom people of the past appear—
Hope, happiness and sorrow, fruitless strife
And all the loved and lost of other days.
They crowd upon us closer year by year
Till we, as phantoms, haunt some other life.
—Charles Lotin Hildreth.

Sorrowful Things.

There is much that makes me sorry as I journey down life's way,
And I seem to see more pathos in poor human lives each day.
I am sorry for the strong, brave men who shield the weak from harm,
But who, in their own troubled hours, find no protecting arm.

I am sorry for the victors who have reached success to stand
As targets for the arrows shot by envious failure's hand.
I am sorry for the generous hearts who freely shared their wine,
But drink alone the gall of tears in fortune's drear decline.

I am sorry for the souls who build their own frames' funeral pyre,
Derided by the scornful throng, like ice deriding fire.
I am sorry for the conquering ones who know not sin's defeat,
But daily tread down fierce desire 'neath scorched and bleeding feet.

I am sorry for the anguished hearts that break with passion's strains,
But I am sorrier for the poor, starved souls that never knew love's pains,
Who hunger on through barren years not tasting joys they crave,
For sadder far is such a lot than weeping o'er a grave.

I am sorry for the souls that come unwelcomed into birth;
I am sorry for the unloved old who cumber up the earth;
I am sorry for the suffering poor in life's maelstrom hurled;
In truth, I am sorry for them all who make this aching world.

But underneath whatever seems sad and is not understood
I know there lies hid from our sight a mighty germ of good,
And this belief stands firm by me, my sermon, motto, text—
The sorriest things in this life will seem grandest in the next.
—Ella Wheeler Wilcox.

They Were Filled.



Rev. Protean Nubbin—So you say Kyote Bill's stockings were found hanging on a telegraph pole this morning?

Slobface Ike—Jesso, parson! Jesso!

Rev. P. N.—I suppose they were filled?

S. I.—Well, you betcher life they were! Jam full of Bill's feet.—Up to Date.

THE BRAINTREE PRESS.

The Work It Does and the Hardships and Pleasures.

At the meeting of the Braintree Literary society this week Editor Crooker of the Braintree Observer read the following interesting paper on "The Braintree Press."

Mr. President, Ladies and Gentlemen:

A child was once asked to describe a Zebra and she said it was a striped animal with a long neck used mostly to describe the letter Z.

If she were to be asked to describe the Braintree Press today she might say—It is an animal with three heads that consumes everything in sight.

The history of Norfolk county tells us that the first paper published in Braintree was the Old Colony Bulletin which appeared June 5, 1875. Its publisher was Mr. C. Franklin David and its editor Mr. A. E. Sproul. This paper was issued fortnightly, was a promising child but died young.

I imagine that my subject—The "Braintree Press" suggests to your minds a man whose form and manner were familiar to you for many years.

From January 1878 to Christmas 1894 he walked up and down your streets looking out sharply for the interests of his adopted town.

I never saw him but you called him "Mac" and during the year and a half that I have been among you I have been told how he would come in and talk with you, of his fondness for children, how they would run and meet him and give him flowers for his button hole, of his originality and his strong personality.

Prominent men say he was a good friend and a good fellow. You all remember him. His cordial greeting, his hearty laugh and the earnestness with which he fought for what he believed to be right.

It was he who succeeded in giving to Braintree the paper that has been published without intermission for nearly twenty years.

It has given me pleasure to hear the expressions of appreciation for the work done by this man who labored so zealously for the community and for which he received so little compensation.

Joseph Pulitzer says "a newspaper must perform some public service every issue. It must strike blow after blow for the right—for the true—for the honest." All this M'Ewan did—and his name will be remembered as the founder of the Observer.

It is seldom that the man who starts the first local paper in a town and helps to plant the seeds of prosperity, ever gets the fruits of his labor, and this man was no exception.

From the early days of M'Ewan with one paper and a bare living we now have three papers with great influence and unknown income.

The next paper to enter the field of usefulness was the "Reporter" which has seen five summers though it claims to have a very old head.

The youngest and last, was the "Bee" now in its third year. The first paper ever actually printed in Braintree was printed in the Bee office last January.

There is a good deal in a name. A California publisher established a paper which he called the "Man" and before the first edition was off 1100 maidens had subscribed for it.

If some one of the Braintree editors should adopt that name he might draw a large income from the 60,000 lone women in Massachusetts.

The editor of a local paper is often called a crank—probably because he is always ready to do a good turn.

There are those in every community that laugh at the local papers and the trivial items, but it is generally those who borrow it; for it is the little things that make up life and the local papers represent the life of a town.

They are the mirrors of a town and their editors are expected "to rejoice with them that do rejoice and to weep with them that weep".

They must sit in the bald-headed row at all entertainments and every story must be told right side out.

They are on the alert for all that benefits the community; and with all respect for our churches, our schools and my friend Horne, I say that the Braintree Press has greatest power for good of any institution in town.

A minister preaches to an audience of from 100 to 400 and gets—say $1500 per year.

The editor prints his sermons and columns of matter upon the topics of the day, reaching from 1000 to 4000 people every week, and what does he get? He gets a living and perhaps a cursing from the man whose name happens to be spelled wrong.

The doctor presides at a birth and charges $10. The minister performs a marriage ceremony and gets anything from a bushel of beans to a handsome fee. The undertaker provides a man with his last suit of clothes and charges a *post mortem* price; but the editor, who keeps a careful record of all that happens from the cradle to the grave, and then writes a grand obituary—why he gets nothing. He does not even have a change to kiss the bride.

It is not my province at this time to state what constitutes a good local paper, but the editor that understands his business finds it as hard to tell what to leave out as what to print. His paper must be a faithful exponent of facts and he must, with great care, present the good and the evil. The paper that does this must have the hearty cooperation of the people *or die*.

The people have much to do with the success of the home papers, and a community is known by the kind of papers it supports.

When the Press, Pulpit and People work together the best results are attained.

The papers of Braintree are all working for good schools, good churches, good roads, honest government, high morals and low taxes.

To be sure two of them may kick when the other gets the town printing, but the mule that could not kick would be a dead mule; so the papers must be able to kick when it is necessary.

Whatever support the papers of Braintree get they give out a hundred times more than they receive; and every citizen of our town, whether he reads the papers or not, is getting some benefit from the Braintree Press.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

4TH SUNDAY AFTER EPIPHANY.

Church services are inserted in this paper without charge, but none will be accepted to run until further order. A notice should be sent each week even though it is but a renewal. Give subject and special services when possible. Let all churches be represented—Eds.]

Unitarian Church—Rev. Ellery C. Butler, pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Preaching by the pastor. Sunday School at 12. Vesper service at 4 P. M.

Bethany Congregational Church, junction Hancock and Chestnut streets—Rev. E. N. Hardy, pastor. Morning service at 10.30 A. M. Subject: "The Comforter." Bible School at 12 M. Junior C. E. at 3.30 P. M. Young People's meeting at 6.15 P. M. At 7.30 P. M. Christian Endeavor meeting in church auditorium. Special music and an attractive concert exercises. Weekly prayer meeting Friday evening at 7.30.

Christ's Church,—Rev. Walter Russell Breed, rector. Morning prayer and sermon at 10.30. Sunday School at 12 M. Evening prayer and address at 7 o'clock. Subject: "The Story of Thomas, a Becket." Seats free. everybody welcome. Wednesday, 8 P. M. St. Andrews Brotherhood meets in the Parish House.

Universalist Church—Rev. E. W. Preble pastor. Morning service at 10.30 A. M. Preaching by the pastor. Sunday School at 12 o'clock.

Christadelphian Church — At 7 P. M. the subject will be "The Kingdom of God is within you."

Washington Street Congregational Church,—Morris Howland Turk, pastor. Morning service with sermon at 11. Bible School at 12 M. Junior Y. P. S. C. E., at 4 P. M. Y. P. S. C. E., 6.30 P. M. Evening service at 7.15. Subject: "An Arch Robber;" the third address in the series on "Robbery." A cordial welcome to all.

Calvary Baptist Church, Franklin street,—Rev. C. A. Parker, pastor; residence, 18 Gay street. Preaching at 10.30 A. M. by the pastor. Bible school at 12 M. No service at 3.30 P. M. as formerly. Prayer and praise service at 7 o'clock. The ordinance of Baptism of last week was delayed because of sickness and is expected to be at the close of the evening service on Sunday. All are welcome to these services, especially to the Bible school do we invite all ages.

First Presbyterian Church, Water Street—Rev. Robert Westly Beach, pastor. Morning service, 10.30. Subject: "Adding to the Church." Sunday School at 11.45 A. M. Y. P. S. C. E., 6 P. M. Evening service at 7.00. Subject: "Seeing but not Perceiving." It is expected that Miss Goldthwait will sing. Prayer meeting, Thursday, 7.30 P. M. All always welcome.

First United Presbyterian Church—Orangeman's Hall, 110 Hancock street. Rev. W. W. Dornan, pastor. Preaching at 10.30. Subject: "Is there no balm in Gilead?" Sunday School at the close of the morning service. Christian Endeavor society at 6.15 P. M. Preaching at 7.30 P. M. Subject: "Ezekiel's Vision." All are invited.

St. Chrysostom's Church—Rev. Carlton P. Mills, pastor. Morning service at 10.45. Sunday School at 12.15. Evening service at 7 o'clock.

Union Chapel, Rawson road, Wollaston Park. Services at 3 P. M. conducted by Rev. Carleton P. Mills of Wollaston. Sunday School at 4 P. M. All are invited.

Wollaston Unitarian Church—Rev. J. E. Bagley, pastor. Service at 10.45 A. M. Rev. Blanche Pentecost Bagley will preach. Text: "And he answered and said, I go Sir and went not." Sunday School at 12 M. Guild of the Good Shepherd at 6.30 P. M.

Memorial Congregational Church, Atlantic—Rev. Edward Norton, minister. Preaching at 10.45 A. M. Sabbath School at 12 M. Evening service at 7 o'clock. Celebration of Christian Endeavor Day. Prayer meeting Friday evening at 7.30. Teacher's meeting at the close of the prayer meeting.

Atlantic M. E. Church—Rev. Ira E. Price, pastor. Class meeting at 10 A. M. Preaching at 10.45. Sabbath School at 12 M. Epworth League Prayer meeting at 6 P. M. Song service at 7 P. M. followed by revival services. All are welcome. Friday prayer meeting at 7.30 P. M. Epworth League at 4 P. M.

—I say it is not very much to ask that we restore the American system, for this is our country. It is nobody's else but ours, and if we do not make it what we want it, it's our fault. I think the true policy of the people of this country is to protect the men who owe allegiance to that flag first (pointing to the American flag) and who will fight—aye, die, if need be—to preserve it. —*Wm. McKinley.*

—The ring, as an accessory of the marriage ceremony, was in use long before the Christian era. In Egypt, at a very early time, gold money used to circulate in the form of rings, and the Egyptian, at his marriage, placed one of these gold rings on his wife's finger to signify that he entrusted her with all his property.—*The American.*

QUINCY TELPHONES.

The List of Subscribers is Constantly Increasing.

The telephone subscribers of Quincy are republished in today's Ledger by request with two additions:

15	4	Braintree, H B Vinton, public
223	2	Holbrook, G T Wilde, "
27	3	N Weymouth, B F Thomas, "
228		Quincy, C C Hearn, "
223	3	Randolph, F A French. "
224		S Braintree, C H Hobart, "
17	3	Weymouth, C D Harlow, "
222		Wollaston, A W Fay, "
35	4	Abbott & Miller, Quincy
227	2	Abele, Francis, Jr, "
38	2	Anderson, L S "
57	4	Ash John H, M D, West Quincy
29	2	Austin & Winslow Ex Co. Quincy
233	2	Badger Bros, West Quincy
10		Barker, W P Quincy
42	3	Boston Bazaar, C R Sherman, Woll.
41	2	Brown, Geo H Quincy
20	4	Brown, W E "
28		Cameron, Geo A, South Quincy
30		Cobb, W H Quincy
37	3	Cook & Watkins, South Quincy
32	3	Costello, J F, bowling alley, Quincy
23		Craig & Richards Granite Co
65	4	Crane, F H & Sons, Quincy
16	3	Crane, F H & Sons, South Quincy
9	2	Cutting, J M Quincy
48	3	Daily Ledger "
231	3	Davis, F S, M D "
4	4	Baxter, E W, "
72	2	Desmond, Daniel "
69	2	Dion, Thos J, M D, West Quincy
68	4	Doble, A H, South Quincy
35	2	Doble, E H, West Quincy
35	5	Doble, H F, West Quincy
71	3	Dyer, B T, Quincy
233	3	Eaton, W N, Quincy
6	2	England, G R, Quincy
69	3	Fallon, John & Sons, West Quincy
36	2	Faxon, H H, Quincy
16	4	Fegan & Ballou, Quincy
234	3	Farwell, C G Wollaston
57	3	Field & Wild, Quincy
48	4	French, J T, Quincy
237	3	Friguglietti, F Rev. Quincy
49	3	Gallagher's Ex, Quincy
18	2	Garey, C W, M D, Quincy
230	3	Gilbert, J H, M D, "
221	2	Gordon, J A, M D, "
74	2	Graham, J R, Factory
59	3	Green, F F, Quincy
3	3	Hall, John. Quincy
11	2	Hallowell, H C, M D, Quincy
228		Hearn, C C. Quincy
18	3	Hitchcock, Geo Quincy
39	2	Hitchcock, Geo, office, Quincy
236	2	Holbrook, F Quincy
226		Hollingsworth, S J, Quincy
235	4	Howland, C A, Quincy
230	2	Hunting, N S, M D, Quincy
238	2	Johnson, B, Quincy
47	2	Kavanagh Bros, Quincy
78	2	Kincaide H L & Co, Quincy
61	2	King, Theo Quincy
48	3	Ledger, Quincy Daily
233	5	Lee, C G, Wollaston
22	2	Lofgren, W R, Quincy
42	2	Loud & Tribou, Wollaston
12	3	Lyons Granite Co, West Quincy
54	3	Magee, Geo. T. Quincy
60		Marden, W M, Quincy
64	2	McAnarney, J W, Quincy
37	2	McLennan, R M, M D, Quincy
72	3	Meadow Brook Ice Co.
71	2	Merrill, J F, Quincy
75	2	Merrill Bros., Wollaston
62	2	Milne & Chalmers, Quincy
12	4	Murphy, E J, West Quincy
68	2	Murray, L G, Quincy
227	4	National Mt. Wollaston Bank
26	3	National Granite Bank
221	4	National Sailors' Home
33	3	New York & Boston Ex. Co.
76	3	Old Colony Boot & Shoe Co.
22	3	Packard, W M, Quincy
237	2	Padula, F T, M D, Quincy
238	3	Patch C & Sons, Quincy Point
238	4	Patch C & Sons, Quincy
221	3	Patch C & Sons, Wollaston
48	3	Patriot, Quincy
29	3	Penniman & Sons, Quincy
39	3	Pratt, L M & Co., Quincy
48	3	Prescott, Geo. W & Son, Quincy
62	4	Purity Dried Fruit Co.
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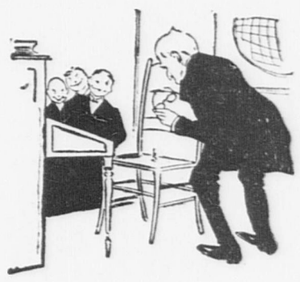
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